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To À	Judge Kuenyehia	From De	President Song <i>SangHyun Song</i>
Date	5 May 2014	Through Via	
Ref.	2014/PRES/144-2	Copies	Vice President Monageng
Subject Objet	Decision on request for excusal from the Presidency and submissions pursuant to article 41(2)(c) and rule 34(2)		

By applications dated 29 April 2014¹ and 1 May 2014,² in the case against Messrs Bemba Gombo, Kilolo Musamba, Mangenda Kabongo, Babala Wandu and Arido (ICC-01/05-01/13), the defence for Mr Mangenda Kabongo and the defence for Mr Kilolo Musamba respectively requested the disqualification of Judge Tarfusser from Pre-Trial Chamber II.

On 2 May 2014, Judge Tarfusser requested to be excused from any functions of the Presidency in respect of the defence applications and in respect of any other application for his disqualification in the case.³

As discussed and in accordance with regulation 11(2), you shall henceforward carry out his responsibilities as a member of the Presidency in this particular matter until final determination.

¹ Requête en récusation du Juge unique Cuno Tarfusser, ICC-01/05-01/13-367.

² Defence Request for the Disqualification of the Single Judge Cuno Tarfusser, ICC-01/05-01/13-372.

³ 2014/PRES/144.