

# **ANNEX 9**

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**Subject:** RE: Request for extension of page limit pursuant to Regulation 37 of the Court

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Dear colleagues,

Bearing in mind the nature of the request and that the response is due tomorrow, the Chamber considers it appropriate to resolve the matter without receiving any further submissions in response.

Given the arguments advanced below, and in light of the limited extension requested, the Chamber hereby grants the request pursuant to Regulation 37 of the Regulations of the Court.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED] on behalf of Trial Chamber VIII

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Dear Judges,

The Trust Fund for Victims ("Trust Fund") hereby seeks a limited extension of 7 pages for its observations on the LRV's Request due tomorrow, 15 May 2020.

On 29 April 2020, the Legal Representative of Victims submitted a request for review of administrative decisions issued ("Request"). The Request exceeds the statutory page limit: it is 31 pages long and is accompanied by three annexes, one of which containing substantive arguments and being over 400 pages long (Annex A).

As a result, pursuant to Regulation 37 of the Regulations of the Court, the Trust Fund seeks an extension of 7 pages for its observations. The Trust Fund submits that the unexpected length of the Request and annex A constitutes exceptional circumstances warranting the extension sought.

The Trust Fund reassures the Trial Chamber that it will still endeavour to be as concise as feasible.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED] on behalf of the Trust Fund