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PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before: Judge Claude Jorda, Presiding Judge
Judge Akua Kuenyehia
Judge Sylvia Steiner

Registrar: Mr Bruno Cathala

**SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO
IN THE CASE OF
THE PROSECUTOR
*v. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo***

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Decision on Prosecution's Application for Extension of Time

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PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I (“the Chamber”) of the International Criminal Court (“the Court”);

NOTING the “First Decision on the Prosecution Request and Amended Requests for Redactions under Rule 81” (“the First Decision”),¹ filed by the single judge on 15 September 2006, in which the Prosecution is given until 25 September 2006 to file proposed summary evidence in relation to several witness statements, transcripts of witness interviews and investigators’ notes and reports of witness interviews;

NOTING the “Request for Extension of Time” (“the Prosecution Request”),² filed by the Prosecution on 22 September 2006, in which the Prosecution: (i) requests an extension of time until 29 September 2006 at 10h00; and (ii) informs the single judge that the Prosecution will file a “significant number” of proposed summaries on 25 September 2006 ;

NOTING regulation 35 of the Regulations of the Court (“the Regulations”);

CONSIDERING the considerable amount of material covered by the First Decision and the many matters currently being litigated in the proceedings of the case against Thomas Lubanga Dyilo;

CONSIDERING that, as required by Regulation 35 (2) of the Regulations, the Prosecution Request has shown good cause;

FOR THESE REASONS

¹ ICC-01/04-01/06-437.

² ICC-01/04-01/06-458.

DECIDES to extend the deadline provided for in the First Decision for the filing of proposed summary evidence until 29 September 2006 at 10h00.

DECIDES that any proposed summary evidence filed by the Prosecution after the time-limit set in the present decision shall be rejected *in limine*.

Done in English and French, the English version being authoritative.



Judge Claude Jorda
Presiding Judge



Judge Akua Kuenyehia



Judge Sylvia Steiner

Dated this Friday 22 September 2006

At The Hague

The Netherlands