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THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before: Judge Georghios M. Pikis (Presiding)
Judge Philippe Kirsch
Judge Navanethem Pillay
Judge Sang-Hyun Song
Judge Erkki Kourula

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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Appeals Chamber's Clarification

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The Appeals Chamber of the International Criminal Court,

In the appeal of Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo of 9 October 2006 entitled “Requête d’appel du Conseil de la Défense de la ‘Decision on the Defence Challenge to the jurisdiction of the court pursuant to art.19.2. (a) of the Statute’ du 3 octobre 2006” (ICC-01/04-01/06-532),

issues the clarifications stated hereinbelow:

1. Having duly noted the responses of the parties, the Prosecutor (ICC-01/04-01/06-576) and the Defence (ICC-01/04-01/06-579), respecting amenity on their part to submit their respective briefs (document in support of the appeal, document in response to the appeal) within a period of time shorter than the one provided for by the Regulations of the Court, no order shall be made abridging the time stipulated for by the Regulations of the Court for the submission of the aforesaid documents.
2. The Appeals Chamber welcomes the commitment of the Prosecutor and the Defence to submit, if at all possible, the respective documents within a period shorter than the one envisaged by the Regulations of the Court in the interest of expediting the proceedings.

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



Judge Georghios M. Pikis
Presiding Judge

Dated this 19th day of October 2006

At The Hague, The Netherlands