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#### TRIAL CHAMBER III

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Judge Joyce Aluoch Judge Kuniko Ozaki

# SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC IN THE CASE OF THE PROSECUTOR V. JEAN-PIERRE BEMBA GOMBO

# Public document With Confidential Annex A

Prosecution's Submission pursuant to the Order to review the confidentiality level of items admitted in Decision ICC-01/05-01/08-3019-Conf

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the Court, to:

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### I. Background

1. On 17 March 2014, Trial Chamber III ("Chamber") issued the "Order on the classification of item admitted into evidence" ("Order").

#### II. Request for Confidentiality

2. The Office of the Prosecutor ("Prosecution") requests that the annex be received by the Chamber as "Confidential". The Prosecution has taken notice of the fact that the attached annex refers to materials that are currently confidential and public, for some of which the Prosecution has determined that the original classification is still warranted, and they depict information for which redactions are sought.

## III. Prosecution's Compliance

3. In compliance with the Chamber's Order,<sup>2</sup> the Prosecution reviewed the level of confidentiality of all items of evidence emanating from the Prosecution which were admitted by Decision ICC-01/05-01/08-3019-Conf.

4. In reviewing these documents, the Prosecution has considered and determined (1) the correct metadata as to the level of confidentiality of the items in relation to which the information is either not clear or had not been previously provided, (2) which documents may be reclassified as "Public", and (3) documents for which no reclassification is requested.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ICC-01/05-01/08-3019-Conf, Decision on the admission into evidence of items deferred in the Chamber's previous decisions, items related to the testimony of Witness CHM-01 and written statements of witnesses who provided testimony before the Chamber, 17 March 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See ICC-01/05-01/08-3019-Conf, para. 90(e).

- 5. As a result, the Prosecution submits to the Chamber, appended as Annex A, a chart of all the items, emanating from the Office, admitted into evidence pursuant to Decision ICC-01/05-01/08-3019-Conf. The chart identifies, per item originally from the Office of the Prosecutor:
  - a) As a note for the Registry, the correct metadata as to the level of confidentiality of all the items;
  - b) The request for the reclassification as "Public" of the documents when the need for the confidentiality level no longer exists. Five of the documents need to be redacted before reclassification; the proposed redactions can be filed with the Chamber by 5 April 2014.

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Fatou Bensouda, Prosecutor

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> Day of March 2014 At The Hague, The Netherlands