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**No.: ICC-01-04-02/06 A2**

**Date: 14 August 2020**

**THE APPEALS CHAMBER**

**Before:** Judge Howard Morrison  
Judge Chile Eboe-Osuji  
Judge Piotr Hofmański  
Judge Luz del Carmen Ibáñez Carranza  
Judge Solomy Balungi Bossa

**SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO**

**IN THE CASE OF  
THE PROSECUTOR *v.* BOSCO NTGANDA**

**Public Document**

**with one confidential Annex**

**Transmission of an "Amicus Curiae Brief"**

**Source: Registry**

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## **I. Introduction**

1. The Registry hereby transmits to the Appeals Chamber (“Chamber”) in accordance with rule 13 (1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence (“RPE”), a document received from Aditya Roy, Doctoral Candidate, Faculty of Legal Studies, South Asian University, New Delhi (“Ms Roy”).

## **II. Procedural History**

2. On 24 July 2020, the Chamber issued its “Order inviting expressions of interest as Amici curiae in judicial proceedings (pursuant to rule 103 of the RPE)”<sup>1</sup>.
3. On 14 August 2020, the Court Management Section (“CMS”) received an e-mail from Ms Roy, including her submission (“Document”) which did not comply with the ICC filing format requirements.<sup>2</sup>
4. The same day, CMS contacted the submitter in order for her to align the Document format with the ICC requirements. She explained that due to severe lockdown restrictions, she could neither print nor sign her submission.<sup>3</sup>
5. Upon the Chamber’s confirmation,<sup>4</sup> the Registry submits the Document in the record of the case through the present transmission filing.

## **III. Classification**

6. In accordance with regulation 23 *bis* (1) of the Regulations of the Court, the present submission is classified as public. However, the Annex is filed as confidential, pending Ms Roy’s confirmation as to the level of confidentiality it requires.

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<sup>1</sup> ICC-01/04-02/06-2554 - Order inviting expressions of interest as amici curiae in judicial proceedings (pursuant to rule 103 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence).

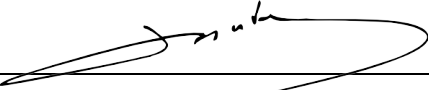
<sup>2</sup> E-mail received by CMS on 14 August 2020, at 14:59, from Aditya Roy.

<sup>3</sup> Same e-mail.

<sup>4</sup> E-mail received from the Chamber Legal Officer on 14 August 2020, at 15:32.

#### IV. Transmission

7. The Registry hereby transmits the Document as received from Ms Roy as Annex I to the present submission.

  
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Marc Dubuisson, Director, Division of Judicial Services  
on behalf of  
Peter Lewis, Registrar

Dated this 14 August 2020

At The Hague, The Netherlands