Cour Pénale Internationale



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## PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I

**Before:** 

Judge Sylvia Steiner, Single Judge

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 ESTABLISHING A DEADLINE FOR THE REPONSE OF THE PROSECUTION

The Office of the Prosecutor

Mr Luis Moreno-Ocampo, Prosecutor Ms Fatou Bensouda, Deputy Prosecutor Mr Ekkehard Withopf, Senior Trial Lawyer Counsel for the Defence

Mr Jean Flamme

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I, Judge Sylvia Steiner, judge at the International Criminal Court ("the Court");

**NOTING** the "Requête aux fins de faire courir tous les délais à compter de la date de réception de la version française des documents", filed by the Defence on 3 July 2006; and the "Requête aux fins de la traduction en français des pièces communiquées et de toute autre pièce pertinente", filed by the Defence on 4 July 2006;<sup>2</sup>

**NOTING** Rule 101 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("the Rules") and regulation 34 of the Regulations of the Court ("the Regulations");

**CONSIDERING** that, according to the *chapeau* of regulation 34 of the Regulations, the Chamber may order the Prosecution to file a response to a Defence request in a time-limit other than the 21 days provided for in regulation 34 (b) of the Regulations;

**CONSIDERING** the fact that the Defence requests of 3 and 4 July 2006 may have an overall impact on the proceedings of the case against Mr Thomas Lubanga Dyilo;

FOR THESE REASONS

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ICC-01/04-01/06-179.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> ICC-01/04-01/06-180.

**DECIDE** to give the Prosecution until 14 July 2006 at 14.00 hours to file its responses to the Defence requests of 3 and 4 July 2006.

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

Judge Sylvia Steiner
Single Judge

Dated this Tuesday 4 July 2006

At The Hague

The Netherlands