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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 Decision on the "Prosecutor's Request for an Extension of the Page Limit"**

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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),

Having duly considered the application for the extension of the page limit of the Prosecutor of 13 November 2006 (ICC-01/04-01/06-696) and the response of the appellant thereto (ICC-01/04-01/06-697) of 13 November 2006

*Issues* the decision stated hereinbelow:

1. The application of the Prosecutor for the extension of the page limit is premised on the assumption that such a limit is set at 20 pages. This is not the case. The page limit extends to 100 pages. The application is therefore superfluous and as such it is dismissed.
2. The reasons founding and supporting the decision of the Appeals Chamber will be given tomorrow, 17 November 2006.

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



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**Judge Georghios M. Pikis**  
Presiding Judge

Dated this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 2006

At The Hague, The Netherlands