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**International  
Criminal  
Court**

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No.: ICC-01/04-01/06 OA8  
Date: 23 February 2007

**THE APPEALS CHAMBER**

**Before:** Judge Georghios M. Pikis (Presiding Judge)  
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**

**Public Document**

**Decision of the Appeals Chamber on the Defence application “Demande de suspension de toute action ou procédure afin de permettre la désignation d’un nouveau Conseil de la Défense” filed on 20 February 2007**

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The Appeals Chamber of the International Criminal Court,

In the appeal of Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo (the “Appellant”) of 30 January 2007 entitled “Defence Appeal Against the Pre-Trial Chamber’s ‘Décision sur la confirmation des charges’ of 29 January 2007” (ICC-01/04-01/06-797),

In the application of Mr. Lubanga Dyilo of 20 February 2007 entitled “Demande de suspension de toute action ou procédure afin de permettre la désignation d’un nouveau Conseil de la Défense” (ICC-01/04-01/06-830-Conf),

*Renders* unanimously the following

## Decision

1. The time for submitting the Appellant’s response to “Directions of the Appeals Chamber” of 5 February 2007 (ICC-01/04-01/06-805) is extended to Friday, 23 March 2007, 4pm.
2. The time for submitting Appellant’s supplementation to the document entitled “Defence submissions on the scope of the right to appeal within the meaning of article 82 (1) (b) of the Statute” (ICC-01/04-01/06-810) filed on 7 February 2007 is extended to Friday, 23 March 2007, 4pm. Following such supplementation, the Prosecutor shall be at liberty to supplement his response (ICC-01/04-01/06-825) filed on 13 February 2007 by Wednesday, 28 March 2007, 4pm.

The reasons for this decision shall follow soon.

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



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**Judge Georghios M. Pikis**  
**Presiding Judge**

Dated this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February 2007

At The Hague, The Netherlands