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**International
Criminal
Court**

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Date: 25 June 2010

TRIAL CHAMBER III

Before: Judge Adrian Fulford, Presiding Judge
Judge Elizabeth Odio Benito
Judge Joyce Aluoch

**SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC
IN THE CASE OF
THE PROSECUTOR
v. JEAN-PIERRE BEMBA GOMBO**

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Order postponing the commencement of the trial

Decision to be notified, in accordance with regulation 31 of the *Regulations of the Court*, to:

The Office of the Prosecutor

Ms Fatou Bensouda, Deputy Prosecutor
Ms Petra Kneuer, Senior Trial Lawyer

Counsel for the Defence

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Mr Aimé Kilolo-Musamba

Legal Representatives of the Victims

Ms Marie-Edith Douzima-Lawson

Legal Representatives of the Applicants

Unrepresented Victims

**Unrepresented Applicants for
Participation/Reparation**

**The Office of Public Counsel for
Victims**

Ms Paolina Massidda

**The Office of Public Counsel for the
Defence**

States Representatives

Amicus Curiae

REGISTRY

Registrar

Ms Silvana Arbia

Defence Support Section

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Ms Maria Luisa Martinod-Jacome

Detention Section

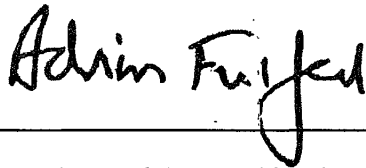
**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Ms Fiona McKay

Other

1. The trial in the case of *Prosecutor v. Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo* is presently scheduled to commence on 5 July 2010.
2. Due to administrative reasons, in particular the likely change in the composition of the Bench, and to facilitate necessary preparation for the commencement of the trial, pursuant to Article 64(3)(a) of the Rome Statute, and Rule 132 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, the trial date of 5 July 2010 is vacated.
3. The trial will commence on 14 July 2010 at 14.30, when counsel will deliver their opening speeches. On 15 July 2010 the Chamber will hear any outstanding speeches and address any necessary trial and case-management issues.
4. Given the fixed judicial recess extends from 17 July until 9 August 2010, and in order to ensure effective witness scheduling and trial preparation, the evidence in the case will commence on Monday 30 August 2010.

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



Judge Adrian Fulford



Judge Elizabeth Odio Benito



Judge Joyce Aluoch

Dated this 25 June 2010

At The Hague, The Netherlands