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**International
Criminal
Court**

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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***

Public

Order inviting the parties' observations on 192 victims' applications

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

Mr Nkwebe Liriss
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

Trial Chamber III (“Chamber”) of the International Criminal Court (“Court”), in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Jean Pierre Bemba*, issues the following Order inviting the parties’ observations on 192 victims’ applications for participation.

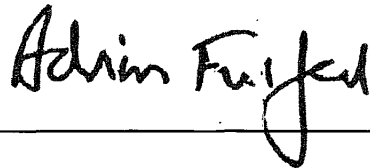
1. On 14 June 2010 the Registrar filed *ex parte* (only available to the Registry), its “Second report to Trial Chamber III on applications to participate in the proceedings”, along with the applications of 192 individuals wishing to participate in the current proceedings.¹
2. On 15 July 2010, pursuant to an order of the Chamber, the Registry transmitted redacted versions of the 192 applications to the parties.²
3. Pursuant to Rule 89(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence and Regulations 34 and 35 of the Regulations of the Court, the Chamber orders the parties to file responses on the 192 applications by 16.00 hours on 20 August 2010.
4. As set out in the Decision on the participation of victims in the trial and on 86 applications by victims to participate in the proceedings, the legal representatives will need to seek the permission of the Chamber in accordance with Regulation 24 of the Regulations of the Court if they wish to file a reply to the parties’ observations.³

¹ Second report to Trial Chamber III on application to participate in the proceedings, 14 June 2010, ICC-01/05-01/08-796-Conf-Exp.

² Transmission to the parties of redacted versions of 192 applications for participation in the proceedings, 15 July 2010, ICC-01/05-01/08-824-Conf-Exp. See also email communications of 16 June and 9 July 2010 between the Legal Adviser and Legal Officer to the Trial Division and DCS.

³ Corrigendum Decision on the participation of victims in the trial and on 86 applications by victims to participate in the proceedings, 12 July 2010, ICC-01/05-01/08-807-Corr, paragraph 18.

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



Judge Adrian Fulford



Judge Elizabeth Odio Benito



Judge Joyce Aluoch

Dated this 16 July 2010

At The Hague, The Netherlands