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## TRIAL CHAMBER I

**Before:** 

Judge Cuno Tarfusser, Presiding Judge

## SITUATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF CÔTE D'IVOIRE IN THE CASE OF THE PROSECUTOR v. LAURENT GBAGBO and CHARLES BLÉ GOUDÉ

## Public with confidential annex

Decision on an amended schedule of hearings and order of appearance of witnesses after the summer recess

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

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Unrepresented Victims	Unrepresented Applicants for Participation/Reparation
The Office of Public Counsel for Victims	The Office of Public Counsel for the Defence
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**Judge Cuno Tarfusser**, Presiding Judge of Trial Chamber I of the International Criminal Court, in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Laurent Gbagbo and Charles Blé Goudé*, having regard to Article 64(8)(b) of the Rome Statute and Rule 140 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, issues this decision on an amended schedule of hearings and order of appearance of witnesses.

- On 7 June 2017, the Presiding Judge issued a first decision on the schedule of hearings, the order and manner of appearance of witnesses still to be called by the Prosecutor after the summer recess.<sup>1</sup>
- On 11 July 2017, the Prosecutor notified the Chamber that three witnesses would not be called during the presentation of her case.<sup>2</sup>
- 3. For this reason, the Presiding Judge hereby outlines, in the confidential annex to this decision, an amended schedule of hearings and order of appearance of witnesses for the period after the summer recess. The specifications are without prejudice to any adjustments in the schedule and order of appearance that may become necessary as the hearings proceed. The calendar weeks during which the Chamber will sit remain as outlined in the decision of 7 June 2017.

## FOR THESE REASONS, THE PRESIDING JUDGE HEREBY

**DECIDES** that the schedule of hearings and order of appearance of witnesses shall proceed as outlined in the confidential annex to this decision, without prejudice to any necessary adjustments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ICC-02/11-01/15-952 and -952-Conf-Anx.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> "Prosecution's further notice of withdrawal of witnesses", ICC-02/11-01/15-981-Conf.

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

Judge Cuno Tarfusser, Presiding Judge

Dated this 17 July 2017 At The Hague, The Netherlands