



**International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda
Tribunal pénal international pour le Rwanda**

TRIAL CHAMBER III

OR: ENG

Before:

Judge Yakov Ostrovsky, Presiding
Judge Lloyd George Williams
Judge Pavel Dolenc (Designated by the Trial Chamber pursuant to Rule 73)

Registrar:

Mr. Adama Dieng

Date:

3 December 2001

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

LAURENT SEMANZA

Case No. ICTR-97-20-T

**DECISION PURSUANT TO RULE 73 (E) IN RELATION TO THE DEFENCE
EXTREMELY URGENT MOTION FOR REVIEW OF THE ORAL DECISION OF 14
NOVEMBER 2001**

The Office of the Prosecutor:

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Ms Patricia Wildermuth

Counsel for the Accused:

Mr. Charles A. Taku
Mr. Sadikou A. Alao

THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR RWANDA (The "Tribunal"),

SITTING as Judge Pavel Dolenc, designated by Trial Chamber III (the "Chamber") pursuant to Rule 73(A) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence (the "Rules");

RECALLING that the Chamber was seised with the "Defense Extreme [sic] Urgent Motion For Review of the Oral Decision of the Hon. Trial Chamber III Dated 14 November 2001 Pursuant to Rules 73 Ter E and 54 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence" (the "Motion") filed on

December 2001;

NOTING that the Prosecutor filed a Response on 6 December 2001 opposing the Defence Motion;

NOTING that the Defence filed a "Notice of Discontinuance" withdrawing the Motion, on 7 December 2001;

CONSIDERING that the Motion was frivolous and baseless, and that it was not supported by any relevant evidence;

HEREBY directs the registry, pursuant to Rule 73(E), to not pay to the Defence any fees or costs associated with this Motion.

Arusha, 13 December 2001.

Judge Pavel Dolenc

(Seal of the Tribunal)