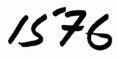
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Before:

Judge Erik Møse

Order of:

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THE PROSECUTOR

ELIZAPHAN NTAKIRUTIMANA GÉRARD NTAKIRUTIMANA

> Case No. ICTR-96-10-T and Case No. ICTR-96-17-T

REQUEST FOR COOPERATION (UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES)

For the Prosecutor:

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For the Defence:

Mr. Ramsey Clark

Mr. Edward M. Medvene

THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR RWANDA ("the Tribunal");

SITTING as Trial Chamber I, constituted of Judge Erik Møse ("the Chamber");

IN VIEW OF United Nations Security Council Resolution 955 of 8 November 1994, wherein the Council urged "intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations to contribute ... services to the International Tribunal" (para. 4);

CONSIDERING the Chamber's "Decision on Witness Protection" of 22 August 2000, which ordered protective measures for witnesses in the proceedings, including witnesses called by the Defence;

CONSIDERING the notification by counsel for the Defence, received by the Chamber on 15 December 2001, that witnesses required to testify for the Defence are currently residing in the following States:

Congo-Brazzaville, Democratic Republic of Congo, Zambia, Benin, Burkina Faso, Central African Republic, Rwanda, Belgium, France, The Netherlands, United States of America;

CONSIDERING that a number of prospective Defence witnesses are residing in refugee camps or in the territories of the aforementioned States, having applied for refugee status;

HEREBY,

REQUESTS, in the execution and implementation of the said Decision, the cooperation and assistance of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (the "UNHCR");

DIRECTS the Registrar to transmit this request forthwith to the UNHCR and to report back to the Chamber on the implementation of the present request.

Arusha, 18 December 2001

Erik Møse Presiding Judge

(Seal of the Tribunal)

