





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

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### TRIAL CHAMBER III

**Before Judges:** 

Lloyd G. Williams, Q.C., Presiding

Andrésia Vaz

Khalida Rachid Khan

Registrar:

Adama Dieng

Date:

27 January 2004

#### THE PROSECUTOR

v.

### **Protais ZIGIRANYIRAZO**

Case No. ICTR-2001-73-I

#### DECISION ON THE DEFENCE MOTION TO WITHDRAW PENDING MOTIONS

Office of the Prosecutor:

Stephen Rapp Fatou Bensouda Amanda Reichman Charity Kagwi-Ndungu **Defence Counsel:**John Philpot

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

**SITTING** as Judge Lloyd G. Williams, designated by Trial Chamber III, pursuant to Rule 73 A) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Tribunal ("Rules");

**BEING SEIZED** of the Defence Motion to Withdraw Defence Pending Motions entitled "Désistement aux requêtes pendantes", filed on 10 December 2003;

**NOTING** that on 10 December 2003, the Defence has filed three motions pending before the Trial Chamber, namely:

- Requête en exception préjudicielle suivant l'Article 72 B) ii) du Règlement de procédure et de preuve, filed on 13 May 2002,
- Requête en communication de preuve et rectification du dossier, filed on 21 June 2003, and
- Requête (Deuxième) en exception préjudicielle suivant l'Article 72 B) ii) du Règlement de procédure et de preuve re: Renseignements personnels (Article 47 C)), filed on 11 July 2002;

**TAKING NOTE** of the argument raised by the Defence that this withdrawal does not constitute a waiver to the substantive rights highlighted in those motions;

#### THE CHAMBER

**HEREBY GRANTS** the Defence Motion for withdrawal of pending motions listed above.

Arusha, 27 January 2004

Lloyd G. Williams, Q.C. Designated Judge

