





Tribunal Pénal International pour le Rwanda International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda

29 July 2004

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IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER (738/4-734

Before:

Judge Theodor Meron, Presiding Judge

Registrar:

Mr. Adama Dieng

Order of:

29 July 2004

Edouard KAREMERA Mathieu NGIRUMPATSE Joseph NZIRORERA André RWAMAKUBA

v.

THE PROSECUTOR

Case No ICTR-98-44-AR15bis.2

ORDER OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE ASSIGNING JUDGES AND DESIGNATING THE PRE-APPEAL JUDGE

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I, THEODOR MERON, Presiding Judge of the Appeals Chamber of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States Between 1 January and 31 December 1994 ("International Tribunal"),

NOTING the following documents filed in the Appeals Chamber (together, the "Appeals"):

- (1) "Notice of Appeal from Chamber III's `décision relative à la continuation du procès' of July 16, 2004," filed by counsel for Mathieu Ngirumpatse on 22 July 2004;
- (2) "Appeal Brought under Rule 15(E) on Behalf of Dr André Rwamakuba Concerning the Continuation of the Trial," filed by counsel for André Rwamakuba on 23 July 2004;
- (3) "Appeal from Second décision relative à la continuation du procès," filed by counsel for Joseph Nzirorera on 23 July 2004; and
- (4) "Mémoire relatif à la continuation du procès," filed by counsel for Edouard Karemera on 26 July 2004;

RECALLING the "Order of the Presiding Judge Assigning Judges" dated 23 July 2004, which ordered that the first three of the Appeals listed above be treated as a single case, *Mathieu Ngirumpatse et al. v. The Prosecutor*, Case No. ICTR-98-44-AR15bis.2;

CONSIDERING that all four Appeals arise from the "Décision relative à la continuation du procès" rendered by Trial Chamber III on 16 July 2004 and that judicial economy warrants that they be considered by the same Judges of the Appeals Chamber;

CONSIDERING the composition of the Appeals Chamber of the International Tribunal set out in Document IT/222 of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia, dated 17 November 2003;

NOTING Articles 11(3) and 13(4) of the Statute of the International Tribunal and Rule 108bis of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the International Tribunal;

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS,

ORDER that the cases of Mathieu Ngirumpatse et al. v. The Prosecutor and Edouard Karemera v. The Prosecutor be treated as a single case, Edouard Karemera et al. v. The Prosecutor, Case No. ICTR-98-44-AR15bis.2;

ORDER that, in the case of *Edouard Karemera et al. v. The Prosecutor*, Case No. ICTR-98-44-AR15bis.2, the Appeals Chamber be composed as follows:

Judge Theodor Meron

Judge Mohamed Shahabuddeen

Judge Mehmet Güney

Judge Wolfgang Schomburg

Judge Inés Mónica Weinberg de Roca; and

DESIGNATE Judge Inés Mónica Weinberg de Roca to serve as Pre-Appeal Judge in the case of Edouard Karemera et al. v. The Prosecutor, Case No. ICTR-98-44-AR15bis.2.

Done in French and English, the English text being authoritative.

Theodor Meron

Presiding Judge of the Appeals Chamber

Done this 29th day of July 2004, At The Hague,

The Netherlands.

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