

## IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before: Judge Wolfgang Schomburg, Pre-Appeal Judge

Registrar: Mr. Adama Dieng

**Decision of:** 8 February 2005

## EMMANUEL NDINDABAHIZI v. THE PROSECUTOR

Case No. ICTR-01-71-A

## SCHEDULING ORDER

<b>Counsel for the Prosecution</b>
Mr. James Stewart

**Counsel for the Defence** Mr. Michel Konitz

**I, WOLFGANG SCHOMBURG**, a 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 1994 and 31 December 1994 ("Appeals Chamber" and "International Tribunal", respectively);

**NOTING** that Emmanuel Ndindabahizi ("Appellant") filed his Notice of Appeal on 13 August 2004;

**CONSIDERING** that pursuant to Rule 65*bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("Rules"), a status conference has the purpose to organise exchanges between the parties so as to ensure expeditious proceedings;

**NOTING** that the Appellant is currently in detention in the United Nations Detention Unit in Arusha pending appeal; **FURTHER NOTING** the "Decision of Withdrawal of Mr. Pascal Besnier as Lead Counsel for the Accused Emmanuel Ndindabahizi", issued by the Registrar on 30 November 2004, in which the Registrar instructed the Appellant to submit three names of eligible counsel pursuant to Circular No. 2 dated 22 November 1999 for assignment of a "replacement counsel" by the Registrar;

**PURSUANT** to Rule 65*bis*(B) of the Rules;

**HEREBY ORDER** that a status conference be held before the pre-appeal Judge on 8 March 2005, at 14:30 hrs. in Room S-355, third floor, Serengeti Wing, in case no courtroom is available at that time;

**DIRECT** the Registrar to serve this order also on the "replacement counsel", provided that he or she has been assigned to the Appellant by the Registrar prior to the status conference.

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

Dated this eighth day of February 2005,

At The Hague,

The Netherlands.

Wolfgang Schomburg Pre-Appeal Judge

[Seal of the International Tribunal]