



Tribunal Pénal International pour le Rwanda
International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda

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04 April 2006

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IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before:

Judge Liu Daqun, Presiding
Judge Mohamed Shahabuddeen
Judge Mehmet Güney
Judge Theodor Meron
Judge Wolfgang Schomburg

Registrar:

Mr. Adama Dieng

Decision of:

4 April 2006

ICTR Appeals Chamber

Date: 04 April 2006

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PROSECUTOR

v.

Édouard KAREMERA
Mathieu NGIRUMPATSE
Joseph NZIRORERA

Case No. ICTR-98-44-AR73.6

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Decision on Édouard Karemera's Request for Extension of Time to Respond to Joseph Nzirorera's Interlocutory Appeal

Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr. Hassan Bubacar Jallow
Mr. James Stewart
Mr. Don Webster
Ms. Linda Bianchi

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1. 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 Serious Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States, between 1 January and 31 December 1994 ("Appeals Chamber" and "Tribunal", respectively) is seized of the "Joseph Nzirorera's Interlocutory Appeal from Decision Denying Motion for Stay of Proceedings and Request for Stay Pending Appeal", filed on 7 March 2006 ("Appeal"). The Appeals Chamber is also presently seized of a request for an extension of time to respond to the Appeal pending the translation of the submissions of both Mr. Nzirorera and the Prosecution into French, filed by Édouard Karemera on 24 March 2006 ("Motion for Extension of Time").¹

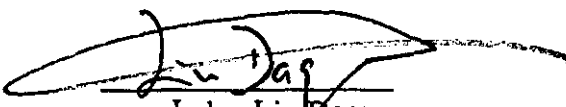
2. Rule 116 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Tribunal allows for extensions of time upon a showing of good cause. A request must normally be filed within the prescribed time limits, which Mr. Karemera did not do. He also provides no explanation for this failure.

Disposition

For the foregoing reasons, the Motion for Extension of Time is **DENIED**.

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

Done this 4th day of April 2006,
At The Hague,
The Netherlands.


Judge Liu Daqun
Presiding

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¹ *The Prosecutor v. Édouard Karemera et al.*, Case No. ICTR-98-44-AR73.6, Requête de Édouard Karemera en