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RESIDUAL SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE
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DEFENCE OFFICE

DECISION TO ASSIGN PRO BONO COUNSEL TO THE DEFENCE OFFICE OF THE
RESIDUAL SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE

CONSIDERING the Statute of the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone and in particular Article 23 thereof;

CONSIDERING the Rules of Procedure and Evidence as adopted by the plenary meeting of the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone as amended on the 4th December 2013;

CONSIDERING the Directive on the assignment of Counsel of the Special Court for Sierra Leone as adopted by the Registrar on the 1st October 2003;

CONSIDERING that the Defence Legal Officer of the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone is desirous of the pro term (part time) legal support of Pro Bono Counsel to assist the Defence Legal Officer in the achievement of the mandate of the Defence Office particularly in the area of investigations;

CONSIDERING that Mr. Hassan Sherry a Barrister and Solicitor of the High Court of Sierra Leone and former Special Court for Sierra Leone Intern and brief Staff Member has agreed to provide such Legal Support to the Defence Legal Officer;

CONSIDERING that the Residual Defence Officer is also appreciative of any legal support which can be provided by Mr. Hassan Sherry especially in the area of investigations on behalf of Clients of the Defence Office;

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HEREBY DIRECTS the assignment of Mr. Hassan Sherry as pro tem (part time) pro bono Counsel before the Residual Special Court to work within the Residual Defence Office on a part time basis as of the 23rd May 2014.

Dated at Freetown this 23rd May 2014.


Claire Carlton-Hanciles
Defence Legal Officer