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Before: Justice Julia Sebutinde, Presiding Judge
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Case No.: SCSL03-1-PT

Date: 19 April 2007

PROSECUTOR

Against

CHARLES GHANKAY TAYLOR

ORDER FOR EXPEDITED FILING

Office of the Prosecutor:

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Defence Counsel for Charles G. Taylor:

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TRIAL CHAMBER II ("Trial Chamber") of the Special Court for Sierra Leone ("Special Court"), composed of Justice Julia Sebutinde, Presiding Judge, Justice Richard Lussick and Justice Teresa Doherty;

SEISED OF the Prosecution Corrigendum and Motion For Leave to Substitute Pages of the Prosecution Rule 73bis Pre-Trial Conference Materials, filed on 17 April 2007 ("Prosecution Motion");¹

SEISED ALSO of the "Defence Motion Requesting Reconsideration of 'Joint Decision on Defence Motions on Adequate Facilities and Adequate Time for Preparation of Mr. Taylor's Defence', Dated 23 January 2007", filed on 17 April 2007 ("Defence Motion");²

NOTING that the Trial Chamber has scheduled a Pre-Trial Conference on 7 May 2007³ and the opening of the trial on 4 June 2007;⁴

CONSIDERING that it is not only practicable, but also in the interests of justice to determine the said Motions before the Pre-Trial Conference on 7 May 2007;


CONSIDERING also that it is in the interests of a fair and expeditious trial to expedite the filings of any response or reply in regard to each of the Motions;

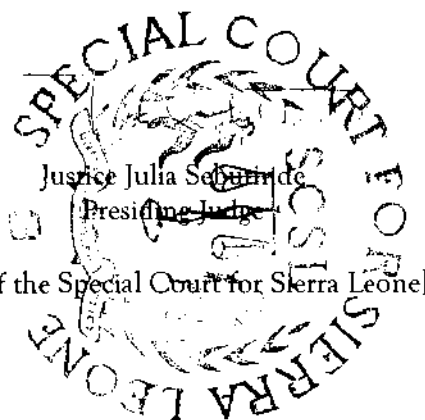
PURSUANT to Rules 7(C), 26bis and 54 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Special Court;

HEREBY ORDERS as follows:

- (1) Any response to the Prosecution Motion or the Defence Motion shall be filed on or before 4.00 p.m. on Monday, 23 April 2007; and
- (2) Any reply to the response to each of the Motions shall be filed on or before 4.00 p.m. on Wednesday, 25 April 2007.

Done at Freetown, Sierra Leone, this 19th day of April 2007.


Justice Richard Lussick




Justice Teresa Doherty

[Seal of the Special Court for Sierra Leone]

¹ Document No. SCSL-03-01-PT-219.

² Document No. SCSL-03-01-PT-220.

³ *Prosecutor v. Taylor*, Case No. SCSL-03-1-PT, Scheduling Order for a Pre-Trial Conference Pursuant to Rule 73bis, 2 February 2007.

⁴ *Prosecutor v. Taylor*, Case No. SCSL-03-1-PT, Joint Decision on Defence Motions on Adequate Facilities and Adequate Time for the Preparation of Mr. Taylor's, 23 January 2007.