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## SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE

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## IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before:

Justice George Gelaga King, Presiding Judge

Justice Emmanuel Ayoola Justice Renate Winter Justice Raja Fernando

Registrar:

Herman von Hebel

Date:

16 August 2007

PROSECUTOR

Against

ALEX TAMBA BRIMA BRIMA BAZZY KAMARA SANTIGIE BORBOR KANU (Case No. SCSL 2004-16-A)

## **PUBLIC**

ORDER EXTENDING TIME FOR FILING A RESPONSE TO 'PROSECUTION MOTION FOR VOLUNTARY RECUSAL OR DISQUALIFICATION OF JUSTICE ROBERTSON'

Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr. Stephen Rapp Mr. Chile Eboe-Osuji Defence Counsel for Alex Tamba Brima:

Mr. Kojo Graham

Defence Counsel for Brima Bazzy Kamara:

Mr. Andrew Daniels

Defence Counsel for Santigie Borbor Kanu:

Mr. Abibola E. Manly-Spain



THE APPEALS CHAMBER ("Appeals Chamber") of the Special Court for Sierra Leone ("Special Court") composed of Justice George Gelaga King, Presiding Judge, Justice Emmanuel Ayoola, Justice Renate Winter and Justice Raja Fernando;

SEISED of the 'Prosecution Motion for Voluntary Recusal or Disqualification of Justice Robertson,' filed on 2 August 2007, (the "Motion for Recusal");

NOTING that Rule 7(C) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, ("the Rules") states:

(C) Unless otherwise ordered by a Chamber or a Designated Judge, any response to a motion shall be filed within ten days of service of the motion by the Registry. Any reply to the response shall be filed within five days of service of the response by the Registry.

**NOTING** that Rule 54 of the Rules allows this Chamber of its own motion to issue such orders as may be necessary for the purposes of an investigation or for the preparation or conduct of the trial;

HEREBY ORDERS pursuant to Rule 7(C) and Rule 54 of the Rules, that the time for filing a Response to the 'Prosecution Motion for Voluntary Recusal or Disqualification of Justice Robertson,' be extended to no later than 24 August 2007, and further AUTHORISES Court Management to serve this Order and accept any Response for filing during the official recess period of the Special Court.

Done at Freetown this 16 August 2007.

Justice George Gelaga King

Justice Emmanuel Ayoola

Justice Renate Winter

Presiding

Justice Raja Fernand

Seal of the Special Court for Sierra Leone

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