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IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before: Justice George Gelaga King, Presiding Judge
Justice Emmanuel Ayoola
Justice Raja Fernando
Justice Renate Winter

Registrar: Herman von Hebel

Date: 28 September 2007

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PROSECUTOR

Against

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

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**DECISION ON PROSECUTION MOTION FOR VOLUNTARY RECUSAL OR
DISQUALIFICATION OF JUSTICE ROBERTSON**

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Mr. Stephen Rapp
Mr. Chile Eboe-Osuji

Defence Counsel for Alex Tamba Brima:

Mr. Kojo Graham

Defence Counsel for Brima Bazy Kamara:

Mr. Andrew Daniels

Defence Counsel for Santigie Borbor Kanu:

Mr. Agibola E. Manly Spain

THE APPEALS CHAMBER of the Special Court for Sierra Leone ("the Special Court");

SIESED of the Prosecution Motion for Voluntary Recusal or Disqualification of Justice Robertson from hearing the appeal of the Judgment of the Trial Chamber in the AFRC Case ("Motion for Recusal") filed on 2 August 2007;


NOTING the Brima-Kamara Joint Response to Prosecution Motion for Voluntary Recusal or Disqualification of Justice Robertson ("Joint Response") filed on 24 August 2007;

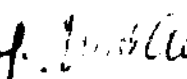
CONSIDERING Justice Robertson's communication dated 14 September 2007 to the President of the Special Court informing him officially that he had resigned his appointment as a Justice of the Appeals Chamber of the Special Court;

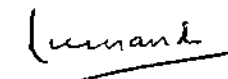
FINDING therefore that in the circumstances the Motion for Recusal lapses;

HEREBY ORDERS that the Motion be struck out.

Done at Freetown this 28th day of September 2007


Justice King
Presiding Judge


Justice Ayoola


Justice Fernando


Justice Winter

