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IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

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

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(Case No. SCSL-2004-16-A)

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

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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

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