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TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before: Hon. Justice Benjamin Mutanga Itoe, Presiding Judge
Hon. Justice Bankole Thompson
Hon. Justice Pierre Boutet

Registrar: Herman von Hebel

Date: 3rd of June 2008

PROSECUTOR

Against

ISSA HASSAN SESAY
MORRIS KALLON
AUGUSTINE GBAO
(Case No. SCSL-04-15-T)

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TRIAL CHAMBER I (“Trial Chamber I”) of the Special Court for Sierra Leone (“Special Court”) composed of Hon. Justice Benjamin Mutanga Itoe, Presiding Judge, Hon. Justice Bankole Thompson and Hon. Justice Pierre Boutet;

HAVING RECEIVED the Motion to Request the Trial Chamber to Hear Evidence Concerning the Prosecution’s Witness Management Unit and its Payments to Witnesses, filed publicly by the Defence for the 1st Accused, Issa Hassan Sesay, (“Defence”) on the 30th of May 2008 (“Motion”);

CONSIDERING that Article 17(4)(c) of the Statute of the Special Court provides that the Accused shall be entitled “to be tried without undue delay”;

CONSIDERING that the fair and expeditious consideration of the Motion requires the imposition of an expedited timetable for the filing of a response and a reply;

PURSUANT TO Rules 7 and 54 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Special Court;

HEREBY ORDERS as follows:

1. Any Response to the Motion by the Prosecution shall be filed no later than Thursday, the 5th of June 2008 at 4:00 p.m.; and
2. Any Reply by the Defence shall be filed no later than Friday, the 6th of June 2008 at 4:00 p.m.

Done at Freetown, Sierra Leone, this 3rd day of June 2008

Hon. Justice Pierre Boutet

Hon. Justice Benjamin Mutanga
Itoe
Presiding Judge
Trial Chamber I

Hon. Justice Bankole
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