

SPECIAL TRIBUNAL FOR LEBANON

المحكمة الخاصة بلبنان

TRIBUNAL SPÉCIAL POUR LE LIBAN

**THE CONTEMPT JUDGE**

**Case No.:** STL-14-06/PT/CJ  
**Before:** Judge Nicola Lettieri, Contempt Judge  
**Registrar:** Mr Daryl Mundis, Registrar  
**Date:** 25 January 2016  
**Original language:** English  
**Classification:** Public

IN THE CASE AGAINST

*AKHBAR BEIRUT S.A.L.*  
IBRAHIM MOHAMED ALI AL AMIN

**SCHEDULING ORDER**

*Amicus Curiae* Prosecutor:  
Mr Kenneth Scott

Counsel for *Akhbar Beirut S.A.L.* and Mr  
Ibrahim Mohamed Ali Al Amin:  
Mr Antonios Abou Kasm



## INTRODUCTION

1. I recall that, in light of my decision to permit the *Amicus Curiae* Prosecutor (“*Amicus*”) to amend his exhibit and witness lists, I previously postponed the commencement of the trial proceedings in this matter. I ordered that the parties shall make opening statements and the *Amicus* shall present his case-in-chief from 24-26 and from 29 February 2016 to 1 March 2016, as needed.<sup>1</sup> I stated that the dates for the presentation of the Defence’s case, if any, would be determined as soon as practicable.<sup>2</sup>

2. Having now heard from the *Amicus* and the Defence with respect to the scheduling of the Defence case,<sup>3</sup> I issue this scheduling order.

**PURSUANT** to Rules 60 *bis* (H), 77 (E), 89 (B), 127 (A) and 130;

**I**

**ORDER** that the Defence shall present its case, if any, from 7-8 and 11-13 April 2016.

Done in Arabic, English and French, the English version being authoritative.

Dated 25 January 2016

Leidschendam, the Netherlands



Judge Nicola Lettieri  
Contempt Judge



<sup>1</sup> STL, *In the case against Akhbar Beirut S.A.L. and Al Amin*, STL-14-06/PT/CJ, F0164, Public Redacted Version of Decision on Motions to Amend the *Amicus Curiae* Prosecutor’s Exhibit and Witness Lists, 18 December 2015 (“Decision on Motions to Amend Exhibit and Witness Lists”), p. 12.

<sup>2</sup> *Ibid.*

<sup>3</sup> Email from Mr Antonios Abou Kasm to the Legal Officer in Chambers of 12 January 2016; email from Mr Kenneth Scott to the Legal Officer in Chambers of 12 January 2016.