

SPECIAL TRIBUNAL FOR LEBANON

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BEFORE THE TRIAL CHAMBER**SPECIAL TRIBUNAL FOR LEBANON**

Case No: STL-11-01/T/TC

Before: Judge David Re, Presiding
Judge Janet Nosworthy
Judge Micheline Braidy
Judge Walid Akoum, Alternate Judge
Judge Nicola Lettieri, Alternate Judge

Registrar: Mr Daryl Mundis

Date: 28 June 2016

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PROSECUTOR

v.

**SALIM JAMIL AYYASH
MUSTAFA AMINE BADREDDINE
HASSAN HABIB MERHI
HUSSEIN HASSAN ONEISSI
ASSAD HASSAN SABRA**

**ORDER FOR FILING OF RESPONSES TO PROPOSED PROSECUTION MOTION
ON VIDEO-CONFERENCE LINK TESTIMONY OF WITNESS PRH620**

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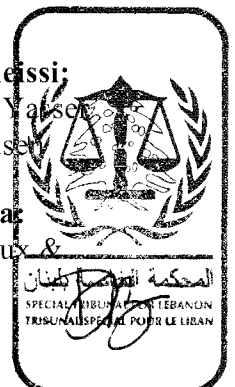
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1. The Prosecution, by email to Defence counsel, the Legal Representatives of Victims and the Trial Chamber's senior legal officer on 27 June 2016, provided an unfiled draft copy of a motion seeking video-conference link testimony for Witness PRH620.¹ The Prosecution intends to file its motion when the Appeals Chamber has rendered a decision on the issue certified for interlocutory appeal by the Trial Chamber on 9 June 2016 in its decision, Certification for interlocutory appeal of 'Interim decision on the death of Mr Mustafa Amine Badreddine and possible termination of proceedings'.² The Trial Chamber has a draft finalised decision, also ready for filing, in relation to the subject matter of Witness 620's proposed testimony.³

2. As Defence counsel have notice of the substance of the proposed Prosecution motion, and to ensure that the matter is decided in a timely fashion, the Trial Chamber—under Rule 9 (A) of the Special Tribunal's Rules of Procedure and Evidence—varies the time for filing any response to the motion to 24 hours from the Prosecution filing its motion.

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

Leidschendam,
The Netherlands
28 June 2016

David Re

Judge David Re, Presiding

Janet Nosworthy

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¹ The proposed motion is entitled 'Prosecution Motion for Video-Conference Link Testimony for PRH620' to which is annexed a confidential annex.

² STL-11-01/T/TC, *Prosecutor v. Ayyash, Badreddine, Merhi, Oneissi and Sabra*, F2620, Certification for interlocutory appeal of 'Interim decision on the death of Mr Mustafa Amine Badreddine and possible termination of proceedings', 9 June 2016.

³ F2480, Prosecution Motion for the Admission of Witness PRH620 as an Expert Witness, 3 March 2015. Defence responses and the Prosecution reply have been filed.