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## <u>THE TRIAL CHAMBER</u> 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:	24 November 2016
Original language:	English
Classification:	Public
	The PROSECUTOR
	<b>v.</b>
	SALIM JAMIL AYYASH
	HASSAN HABIB MERHI
	HUSSEIN HASSAN ONEISSI
	ASSAD HASSAN SABRA

## **ORDER TO RECALL WITNESS PRH539 FOR FURTHER CROSS-EXAMINATION**

**Office of the Prosecutor:** Mr Norman Farrell & Mr Alexander Milne

Legal Representatives of Participating Victims: Mr Peter Haynes, Mr Mohammad F. Mattar & Ms Nada Abdelsater-Abusamra **Counsel for Mr Salim Jamil Ayyash:** Mr Emile Aoun, Mr Thomas Hannis & Chad Mair

**Counsel for Mr Hassan Habib Merhi:** Mr Mohamed Aouini, Ms Dorothée Le Fraper du Hellen & Mr Jad Khalil

**Counsel for Mr Hussein Hassan Oneissi:** Mr Vincent Courcelle-Labrousse, Mr Yasser Hassan & Ms Natalie von Wistinghausen

Counsel for Mr Assad Hassan Sabra: Mr David Young, Mr Guénaël Metthaux & Mr Geoffrey Roberts



1. Witness PRH539, a Prosecution investigator, testified on 16 September 2016. His statement was admitted into evidence, as exhibit P1137, under Rule 156 of the Special Tribunal's Rules of Procedure and Evidence which permits a statement to be tendered in lieu of examination in chief. Counsel acting for the Accused, Mr Hussein Hassan Oneissi, cross-examined him. Counsel for Mr Hassan Habib Merhi have now sought to have the witness recalled for further limited cross-examination in relation to exhibit 3D135 MFI (marked for identification).<sup>1</sup> The Prosecution does not object to this.<sup>2</sup>

2. The Trial Chamber considers the witness's recall for further cross-examination to be in the interest of justice and therefore orders that Witness 539 reappear, if necessary by video-conference link, for cross-examination by counsel for Mr Merhi.

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

Leidschendam, The Netherlands 24 November 2016

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24 November 2016

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Email to the Trial Chamber's legal officer, 17 November 2016.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Email to the Trial Chamber's legal officer, 23 November 2016.