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Court**

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PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before: Judge Claude Jorda, Presiding Judge
Judge Akua Kuenyehia
Judge Sylvia Steiner

Registrar: Mr Bruno Cathala

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**DECISION ESTABLISHING A DEADLINE FOR FINAL SUBMISSIONS ON THE
NFI'S ADDITIONAL REPORT**

The Office of the Prosecutor

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VPRS 1 to VPRS 6

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PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I the International Criminal Court (“the Court”);

NOTING the “Decision as to the content of the NFI Report”, filed by Pre-Trial Chamber I on 28 November 2005, in which the Chamber ordered the NFI to produce a final report within the next sixty days;

NOTING the “Additional report from the NFI 30 January 2006 NFI case number 2005.05.02.089A” (“the NFI’s Additional Report”), filed confidentially by the Registry on 1 February 2006;

NOTING article 56 (1) (b) and (2) of the Rome Statute;

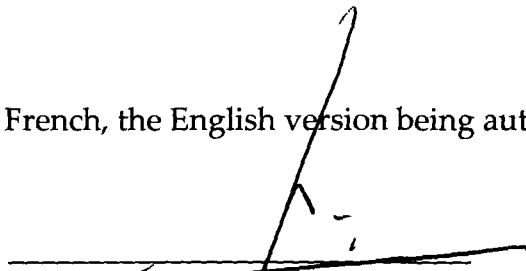
CONSIDERING that in order to complete the proceedings related to the NFI’s examination under article 56 (1) (b) and (2) of the Statute, the Chamber considers it necessary to grant the Prosecution and the *Ad Hoc* Counsel for the defence the opportunity to make final observations on the NFI’s Additional Report;

CONSIDERING that the proceedings related to the NFI’s examination have been conducted confidentially and that they do not have any impact on the personal interests of participants VPRS 1 to VPRS 6 because they refer to incidents wholly unrelated to those in which they were allegedly victimized .

FOR THESE REASONS

DECIDES to give 15 days to the Prosecution and to the *Ad Hoc* Counsel for the defence to present their final observations on the NFI's Additional Report.

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



Judge Claude Jorda
Presiding Judge



Judge Akua Kuenyehia



Judge Sylvia Steiner

Dated this Wednesday 8 February 2006

At The Hague

The Netherlands