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TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before: Judge Adrian Fulford
Judge Elizabeth Odio Benito
Judge René Blattmann

Registrar: Mr Bruno Cathala

**SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO
IN THE CASE OF
THE PROSECUTOR *v.* THOMAS LUBANGA DYILO**

Public

**Decision notifying the election of the Presiding Judge in the case against Mr.
Thomas Lubanga Dyilo**

Office of the Prosecutor

Mr Luis Moreno-Ocampo, Prosecutor

Ms Fatou Bensouda, Deputy

Prosecutor

Mr Ekkehard Withopf, Senior Trial

Lawyer

Counsel for the Defence

Ms Catherine Mabilie

Legal Representatives of Victims

a/0001/06 to a/0001/03 and a/0105/06

Mr Luc Walley

Mr Franck Mulenda

Ms Carine Bapita Buyangandu

On 6 March 2007 the Presidency of the International Criminal Court constituted Trial Chamber I, referred to it the case against Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo and suspended transmission of the record of proceedings of Pre Trial Chamber I to Trial Chamber I pending the assignment of new Defence Counsel to Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo and the determination that he/she has had adequate time to familiarise him/herself with the case.

On 5 June 2007, the Presidency of the Court transmitted the record of the proceedings against Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo to Trial Chamber I and on 22 June 2007 Trial Chamber I was notified of the designation of Defence Counsel by Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo.

On 6 July 2007 Trial Chamber I was notified of the entry on the record of the Ms. Catherine Mabilie as Defence Counsel for Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo.

On 12 July 2007 the judges of Trial Chamber I elected a Presiding Judge in the case against Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo pursuant to Regulation 13(2) of the Regulations of the Court and **HEREBY DECLARE** that Judge Adrian Fulford is Presiding Judge in the case against Mr. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo.

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



Judge Adrian Fulford



Judge Elizabeth Odio Benito



Judge René Blattmann

Dated this 12 July 2007

At The Hague, The Netherlands