



KOSOVO SPECIALIST CHAMBERS
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SPECIJALIZOVANA VEÇA KOSOVA

In: KSC-BC-2020-06

Before: Trial Panel II
Judge Charles Smith III, Presiding Judge
Judge Christoph Barthe
Judge Guénaél Mettraux
Judge Fergal Gaynor, Reserve Judge

Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon

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Rexhep Selimi and Jakup Krasniqi

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Thaçi Defence Request for Temporary Release on Compassionate Grounds",
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1. On 17 March 2025, Mr Thaçi submitted his sixth Request for temporary release on compassionate grounds, following the passing of his father, [REDACTED].¹ Mr Thaçi requests temporary release [REDACTED].²
2. The Registrar wishes to inform the Trial Panel that the Registry is liaising with all external partners, including [REDACTED], to explore the feasibility of a visit. This includes logistical planning and security assessments. The Registry is proceeding in an expedited manner, and plans to submit its assessment before the Trial Panel by 18 March 2025 at noon.
3. Pursuant to Rule 82(3) and (4) of the Rules,³ this submission is filed as confidential and *ex parte* for distribution to the Registrar, Specialist Prosecutor's Office, and the Defence for Mr Thaçi only.

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Registrar

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¹ KSC-BC-2020-06, F03024, Urgent Thaci Defence Request for Temporary Release on Compassionate Grounds, 17 march 2025, confidential and *ex parte* ('Request'), para.1.

² Request, paras 1, 16-20.

³ Rules of Procedure and Evidence Before the Kosovo Specialist Chambers, KSC-BD-03/Rev3, 2 June 2020, public ('Rules').