

In: KSC-BC-2023-12
Specialist Prosecutor v. Hashim Thaçi, Bashkim Smakaj, Isni Kilaj, Fadil Fazliu and Hajredin Kuçi

Before: Single Trial Judge
Judge Christopher Gosnell

Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon

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Kuçi Defence Request for Remote Attendance, with Public Annex 1

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1. The Defence for Mr Hajredin Kuçi ("Defence") respectfully requests that the Single Trial Judge allow Mr Kuçi to attend the Defence case hearings via video conference pursuant to Rule 68 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence. Annexed to the present request is Mr Kuçi's waiver of his right to be physically present at any upcoming hearings. The waiver signed by Mr Kuçi is filed as public Annex 1.

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Respectfully submitted,



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