

In: KSC-SC-2025-06/PL002
Specialist Prosecutor v. Pjëter Shala

Before: **Supreme Court Panel**
Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova
Judge Christine van den Wyngaert
Judge Daniel Fransen

Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon

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Notification of Assignment of Victims' Counsel

with one confidential Annex

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1. On 29 April 2026, the Defence filed a request for protection of legality against the Decision on Defence Appeal Against Reparation Order in the case of the Specialist Prosecutor v. Pjëter Shala.¹
2. Pursuant to Rule 23(2) of the Rules², the Registrar hereby informs the Panel of the assignment of Mr Simon Laws in the present case.
3. Mr Laws is admitted to the List of Victims' Counsel in accordance with Rules 25(1) and 26(1) of the Rules and the Directive on Counsel.³
4. On 30 April 2026, the Registrar assigned Mr Laws pursuant to Sections 12(3) and 17 of the Directive on Counsel and Regulation 37 of the Legal Aid Regulations.⁴ The contracting process was finalized on 11 May 2026.
5. This submission is filed as public, whereas Annex 1 is filled confidentially pursuant to Rule 82(1)(b) and (3) of the Rules, as it contains personal information concerning Counsel.

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Dr Fidelma Donlon
Registrar

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At The Hague, the Netherlands

¹ KSC-SC-2025-06/PL002/F00001, Defence Request for Protection of Legality against the Decision on Defence Appeal Against the Reparation Order, 29 April 2026, confidential.

² Rules of Procedure and Evidence Before the Kosovo Specialist Chambers, KSC-BD-03/Rev3/2020, as amended on 29 and 30 April 2020 ('Rules').

³ Directive on Counsel, KSC-BD-04/Rev2/2024, 22 February 2024 ('Directive on Counsel').

⁴ See Annex 1, Assignment Letter, KSC/REG/IOR/9006; Legal Aid Regulations, KSC-BD-25/Rev1/2024, 22 February 2024 ('Legal Aid Regulations').