

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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**Kilaj Defence Notice Pursuant to Rule
131**

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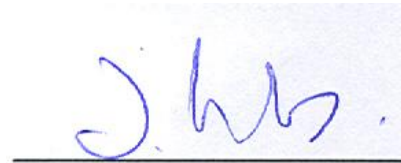
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1. In accordance with the Single Trial Judge's ("STJ") directions¹ and pursuant to Rule 131 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence Before the Kosovo Specialist Chambers, the Defence of Mr Isni Kilaj ("Defence") hereby informs the STJ that it does not intend to file a supplementary bar table motion.
2. The Defence gives notice that it closes its case.
3. The Defence understands that it will be permitted to adduce additional evidence if the Prosecution's evidence that is the subject of its pending appeal is admitted as part of its case.²

Respectfully submitted,



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¹ Order on the Further Conduct of Proceedings, KSC-BC-2023-12/F00890, 29 April 2026, confidential (a public redacted version was filed on 4 May 2026) ("Order")

² Order, para. 22