



KOSOVO SPECIALIST CHAMBERS
DHOMAT E SPECIALIZUARA TË KOSOVËS
SPECIJALIZOVANA VEÇA KOSOVA

In: KSC-CA-2026-04

Before: A Panel of the Court of Appeals Chamber
Judge Michèle Picard
Judge Kai Ambos
Judge Nina Jørgensen

Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon

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Notification of Approval of Co-Counsel for Mr Jakup Krasniqi

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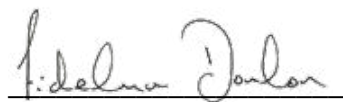
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1. Pursuant to Rule 26 of the Rules,¹ the Registrar hereby informs the Panel of the Court of Appeals Chamber of the approval of Mr Mentor Beqiri ('Mr Beqiri') as Co-Counsel for Mr Jakup Krasniqi ('Mr Krasniqi').
2. On 2 October 2026, Counsel for Mr Krasniqi, Ms Venkateswari Alagendra ('Ms Alagendra'), informed the Defence Office that she would like to be assisted by Mr Beqiri as Co-Counsel.
3. Mr Beqiri is admitted to the List of Specialist Counsel in accordance with Rule 25 of the Rules and Section 7(3) of the Directive on Counsel.²
4. On 5 October 2026, the Registrar approved Mr Beqiri as Co-Counsel to Mr Krasniqi, in accordance with Section 18(1) of the Directive on Counsel.³
5. This submission is filed as public, whereas Annex 1 is submitted as confidential pursuant to Rule 82(3) of the Rules, as it contains personal information of Co-Counsel.

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Registrar

Wednesday, 7 October 2026

At The Hague, the Netherlands

¹ Rules of Procedure and Evidence Before the Specialist Chambers, KSC-BD-03/Rev3/2020, 2 June 2020 ('Rules'); *see also* Law No. 05/L-053 on Specialist Chambers and Specialist Prosecutor's Office, 3 August 2015, arts 21(4), 21(5), 34(7) and 41(4)(b).

² Decision on Admission to the List of Specialist Counsel, KSC/REG/DEF/322, 30 March 2026.

³ *See* Annex 1, Letter of Approval, Selection of Co-Counsel, KSC/REG/IOR/9463, 5 October 2026, confidential.