



KOSOVO SPECIALIST CHAMBERS
DHOMAT E SPECIALIZUARA TË KOSOVËS
SPECIJALIZOVANA VEÇA KOSOVA

File number: KSC-BC-2020-05

Before: **The President of the Specialist Chambers**
Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova

Registrar: Fidelma Donlon

Date: 14 February 2020

Language: English

Classification: **Confidential**

Decision Assigning a Pre-Trial Judge

Pre-Trial Judge:

Judge Nicolas Guillou

Specialist Prosecutor's Office:

Jack Smith

THE PRESIDENT of the Specialist Chambers (“President”), acting pursuant to Articles 32(3), 33(1)(a) and 38(4) of Law No. 05/L-053 on Specialist Chambers and Specialist Prosecutor’s Office (“Law”), Rules 85(1) and 86(1) and (2) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence before the Kosovo Specialist Chambers (“Rules”) and Rules 3 and 4 of the Rules on Assignment of Specialist Chambers Judges from the Roster of International Judges (“Rules on Assignment”), herewith assigns a Judge to perform the functions of a Pre-Trial Judge.

I. PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

1. On 14 February 2020, the Specialist Prosecutor notified the President in accordance with Rule 86(1) of the Rules of proceedings to be initiated in accordance with Article 38(4) of the Law and Rule 86(2) of the Rules, and requested the assignment of a Pre-Trial Judge in accordance with Article 33(1)(a) of the Law.

II. ASSIGNMENT

2. The President shall assign the Pre-Trial Judge, having considered the criteria set forth in Rule 4(2) of the Rules on Assignment, in particular relevant experience and expertise as well as availability at this time.

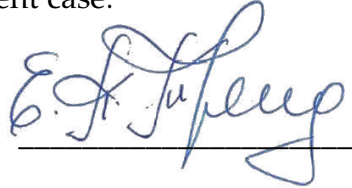
III. CLASSIFICATION

3. The notification was filed confidentially and the present decision will bear the same classification in accordance with Rule 82(4) of the Rules, until it is reclassified in accordance with Rule 3(4) of the Rules on Assignment.

FOR THESE REASONS, THE PRESIDENT HEREBY ASSIGNS

Judge Nicolas Guillou

as Pre-Trial Judge in the present case.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'E. Trendafilova', written over a horizontal line.

**Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova,
President of the Specialist Chambers**

Dated this Friday, 14 February 2020
At The Hague,
The Netherlands