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**In:** KSC-BC-2020-05  
**Specialist Prosecutor v. Salih Mustafa**

**Before:** **Trial Panel I**  
Judge Mappie Veldt-Foglia, Presiding  
Judge Roland Dekkers  
Judge Gilbert Bitti  
Judge Vladimir Mikula, Reserve

**Registrar:** Dr Fidelma Donlon

**Filing Participant:** Specialist Prosecutor, Victims' Counsel

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**Joint Prosecution and Victims' Counsel report on the progress of discussions  
concerning dual status victims/witnesses**

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1. On 18 June 2021, the Trial Panel issued the Decision,<sup>1</sup> *inter alia*, ordering the Specialist Prosecutor's Office ('SPO') and the Victims' Counsel to report by Wednesday, 7 July 2021, on the progress of their discussions concerning contact with dual status victims/ witnesses.<sup>2</sup>
2. Discussions to address the logistical and security challenges in facilitating meetings between the Victims' Counsel and dual status victims were concluded. As a result, such meetings are being held between 5 and 8 July 2021. At the moment of filing this joint submission, the meetings are ongoing.

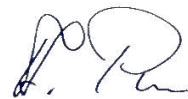
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Wednesday, 7 July 2021

At The Hague, the Netherlands.

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<sup>1</sup> Decision setting the date for the commencement of the trial and related matters, KSC-BC-2020-05/F00138 ('Decision').

<sup>2</sup> Paragraph 22 (e) in conjunction with paragraph 14 and 16 of the Decision.