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In: KSC-CA-2022-01/CR002

Before: Single Judge

Judge Nicolas Guillou

Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon

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Public Redacted Version of "Request for Extension of Time to File the Registrar's Submissions on the Haradinaj Request for Temporary Release on Compassionate Grounds", filing CR002/F00006, dated 6 March 2023

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I. INTRODUCTION

1. Pursuant to Rules 9(5)(a) and 23(2) of the Rules¹ and the Order of the Single Judge Panel ('Single Judge'),² the Registrar hereby requests an extension of time to file the Registry's submissions on the Haradinaj Defence Request for Temporary Release on Compassionate Grounds ('Request').³

II. SUBMISSIONS

A. Request

2. On 3 March 2023, Mr Nasim Haradinaj submitted a request for a custodial visit on compassionate grounds to allow him to [REDACTED].⁴ Specifically, Mr Haradinaj requests [REDACTED].⁵ On 3 March 2023, Mr Haradinaj confirmed that [REDACTED].⁶

B. Feasibility and Operational Requirements

3. The [REDACTED] occurred on 5 March 2023 in the village of [REDACTED].⁷

4. [REDACTED].⁸ [REDACTED].⁹

5. The Security and Safety Unit ('SSU') of the Registry, together with external partners, is currently assessing the impact of the above [REDACTED] information on the Registry's assessment of feasibility, in particular in relation to mission security.

¹ Rules of Procedure and Evidence Before the Kosovo Specialist Chambers, KSC-BD-03/Rev3/2020, 2 June 2020 ('Rules').

² KSC-CA-2022-01/CR001 and CR002, Single Judge, Order for Submissions on Requests for Temporary Release, 3 March 2023, confidential ('Order'), paras 10 and sect. IV(1)(a).

³ KSC-BC-2022-01/CR002, F00001, Haradinaj Defence Request for Temporary Release on Compassionate Grounds, confidential ('Request').

⁴ Request, paras 1-3, 15-16, 23.

⁵ Request, para. 23.

⁶ KSC-CA-2022-01/CR002, F00005, URGENT Filing Further Submissions on the Haradinaj Defence Request for Temporary Release on Compassionate Grounds, confidential, with one confidential Annex, 3 March 2023.

⁷ [REDACTED].

⁸ [REDACTED].

⁹ Ibid.

6. The Registrar further notes that, other than the [REDACTED] details, Mr Haradinaj has provided no other information concerning the proposed location of a custodial visit to Kosovo, which is required for the Registry to complete any feasibility assessment.

7. In light of the above, the Registrar respectfully requests an extension of time to file the Registry’s submissions on Mr Haradinaj’s request, pursuant to Rule 9(5)(a) of the Rules. Specifically, the Registrar requests an extension of two working days after Mr Haradinaj supplements his Request with specific location information.

III. CLASSIFICATION

8. This submission is filed as confidential pursuant to Rule 82(4) of the Rules.

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Registrar

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