



KOSOVO SPECIALIST CHAMBERS
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In: KSC-BC-2023-10
The Prosecutor v. Sabit Januzi and Ismet Bahtijari

Before: Pre-Trial Judge
Judge Nicolas Guillou

Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon

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Notification of Approval of Duty Co-Counsel to Sabit Januzi

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1. Pursuant to Rule 26(1) of the Rules,¹ the Registrar hereby informs the Pre-Trial Judge of the conditional approval of Mr Huw Bowden ('Mr Bowden') as Duty Co-Counsel for Mr Sabit Januzi ('Mr Januzi').
2. On 1 November 2023, Duty Counsel for Mr Januzi, Mr Jonathan Rees,² informed the Head of the Defence Office that he would like to be assisted by Mr Bowden as Duty Co-Counsel. Duty Counsel provided, in part, the relevant documentation pursuant to Section 18 of the Directive on Counsel in relation to Mr Bowden's approval by the Registrar.
3. Mr Bowden is admitted to the List of Counsel pursuant to Sections 7(3) and 18(1) of the Directive on Counsel.³
4. On 2 November 2023, the Registrar conditionally approved Mr Bowden as Duty Co-Counsel for Mr Januzi in accordance with Section 18 of the Directive on Counsel.⁴
5. This submission is filed as public, whereas Annex 1 is filed confidentially pursuant to Rule 82(1)(b) and (3) of the Rules, as it contains personal information concerning Duty Counsel and Duty Co-Counsel.

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Dr Fidelma Donlon
Registrar

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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 KSC-BC-2023-10, F00086, Notification of Assignment of Duty Counsel to Sabit Januzi, 2 November 2023, public, with one confidential Annex.

³ *See* Decision on Admission to the List of Specialist Counsel, KSC/REG/DEF/0074, 25 April 2019.

⁴ *See* Annex 1, Letter of Conditional Approval, Selection of Co-Counsel, KSC/REG/IOR/6464, 2 November 2023.