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In: KSC-BC-2020-06
Specialist Prosecutor v. Hashim Thaçi, Kadri Veseli, Rexhep Selimi and Jakup Krasniqi

Before: **Trial Panel II**
Judge Charles L. Smith, III, Presiding Judge
Judge Christoph Barthe
Judge Guénaél Mettraux
Judge Fergal Gaynor, Reserve Judge

Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon

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Prosecution submission of proposed lesser redacted transcripts (W03825)

with confidential Annex 1

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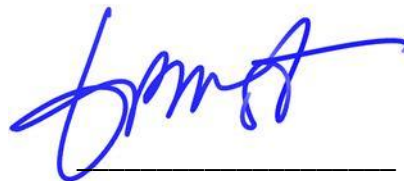
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1. Pursuant to the Oral Order¹ and following receipt of the relevant official transcript on 27 November 2023, the Specialist Prosecutor's Office ('SPO') sent *inter partes* the proposed lesser redacted transcripts for all private session testimony of W03825. On 30 November 2023, the Witness Protection and Support Office ('WPSO') sent its response proposing sixty-six additional redactions. On 8 December 2023, Victims' Counsel sent his response agreeing with the SPO's proposal. On 11 December 2023, the Thiagi Defence sent their response objecting to seven of the SPO's proposed redactions. The other Defence teams did not send a response.
2. The SPO has consolidated all proposed redactions and related justifications in Annex 1.²
3. Annex 1 is confidential in accordance with Rule 82(4) and to give effect to existing protective measures.

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Monday, 18 December 2023

At The Hague, the Netherlands.

¹ Transcript, 7 November 2023, pp.9444-9446 ('Oral Order') (ordering, *inter alia*, the Parties and participants to engage *inter partes* in the review of private session testimony and propose lesser redacted versions of the official transcripts within thirty days).

² The SPO's proposals are marked in red in Annex 1, WPSO's proposals are marked in blue.