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To

Mr. You Bunleng and Mr. Marcel Lemonde
Co-Investigating Judges

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Subject: Request for authorization for Mr. Francois Bizot to meet Mr. Kaing Guek Eav

Respected Co-Investigating Judges

We, Kar Savuth and Francois Roux, Co-Lawyers for Mr. Kaing Guek Eav alias "Duch", after learning that Mr. Francois Bizot had filed a request for authorization to meet Mr. Kaing Guek Eav by letter dated 26 April 2008, and after learning that the Co-Investigating Judges had provided a negative response by letter dated 12 May 2008, wish to inform the Co-Investigating Judges that the Co-Lawyers request that you reconsider that request.

Please recall that if Mr. Francois Bizot testifies during judicial hearings, he will give testimony related to the personal character of Mr. Kaing Guek Eav, not related to the facts. By now, the views of Mr. Francois Bizot related to the personal character of Mr. Kaing Guek Eav are clear. Furthermore, these views have been laid out in public as well.

Mr. Francois Bizot has given testimony on the personal character of Mr. Kaing in his book entitled "Le portail" (The Gate) - he discussed this book during questioning by Judge Lemonde in 22 January 2008 (D 40) - and he has given testimony on the personal character of Mr. Kaing Guek Eav during many interviews published in the press (for example, in the newspaper "Liberation" dated 10-11 May 2008). Furthermore, he has also given testimony regarding the personal character of Mr. Kaing in the movie "Derriere le portail" (Behind the Door) filmed by Mr. Jean Baronnet (2004).

Therefore, meetings between Mr. Kaing in fact have no influence on any future questioning before the Judges of the Trial Court. Mr. Bizot will have the same status as Pastor Lapel, who will be able to meet our client (but it is very regretful that he was not personally present in Cambodia), and he is only a witness to clarify morality.

We wish to emphasize, like the expert Mrs. Sironi has noted, that meetings and discussions like this have a great importance, both in terms of morale and psychology, on Mr. Kaing's personal thinking toward finding acceptance of responsibility.

We wish to thank you for any positive response you may provide, and ask that the Co-Investigating Judges kindly accept our highest respects.

Phnom Penh, 6 June 2008

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For both Co-Lawyers One of the two Co-Lawyers

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