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CO-PROSECUTORS' REQUEST TO CONFIRM AVAILABILITY OF WRITTEN REASONS FOR REVISED SEVERANCE ORDER

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REQUEST

- 1. On Friday 29 March 2013 the Trial Chamber (the "Chamber") announced the revised decision on severance of the proceedings in Case 002 indicating to the parties that the reasons for that decision would follow in writing as "soon as possible." ¹ Later that day, the Senior Legal Officer stated that on account of delays in "the translation process" the written decision "will follow shortly".²
- 2. Pursuant to Internal Rules 21(1), 85, 89ter and 92 and in the interests of the rights of all parties, the Co-Prosecutors respectfully request that if the written reasons cannot be notified to the parties in two working languages by Friday 12 April 2013 that they be notified in one working language by that date. It is submitted this request is reasonable bearing in mind the Trial Chamber Recess during the week of the Khmer New Year period (15 to 19 April 2013) is likely to affect the ability of the ECCC to translate documents.
- 3. The purpose of this request is to allow the Co-Prosecutors and other parties to assess in a timely manner their respective legal positions on the reasoned decision at this stage of the proceedings. This will ensure that our and their respective rights flowing from the decision are meaningful and effective. This is particularly significant in light of the relatively short time in which this trial as severed is predicted to finish.

Respectfully submitted,

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E1/176.1 Transcript, 29 March 2013, p. 2, ln. 21 to p. 4, ln. 17.

Email from the Senior Legal Office to the parties, 29 March 2013.