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NOTICE OF APPEAL

- Counsel for Charged Person NUON Chea (the 'Defence') submit this notice of appeal to the Office of the Co-Investigating Judges (the 'OCIJ') pursuant to (i) the Pre-Trial Chamber's Decision on Ieng Sary's Appeal Regarding the Appointment of a Psychiatric Expert (the 'PTC Decision')¹ and (ii) Rule 35(6) of the ECCC Internal Rules (the 'Rules').
- On 7 July 2010, the Defence filed a 'Second Request for Investigation' (the 'Second 2. Request').² On 3 August 2010, having received no decision from the OCIJ on the Second Request, the Defence sent a Letter to the OCIJ regarding the Second Request for Investigative Action (the 'Letter to the OCIJ'). The Letter to the OCIJ requested that the OCIJ file a decision on the Second Request by 7 August 2010, to allow the Defence sufficient time to file an appeal, should the OCIJ partly or wholly reject the request.⁴ The Letter to the OCIJ noted that if the Defence did not receive a response by 7 August 2010, Defence counsel would consider the silence of the OCIJ to amount to a constructive refusal of the Second Request, and would move forward with filing the present Appeal.⁵
- To date, no decision has been received from the OCIJ. 3.

Document No A-189/I/8, 21 October 2008, para 24 ('the failure of the Co-Investigating Judges to rule on [a request] as soon as possible, in circumstances where a delay in making a decision deprives the Charged Person of the possibility of obtaining the benefit he seeks, amounts to a constructive refusal of the application, which can be appealed').

Document No D-384, 7 July 2010, ERN 00549028-00549031 (the 'Second Request').

³ Document No D-384/2, 'Letter to the OCIJ Re: Outstanding Rule 35 Request', 4 August 2010, ERN 00581379-00581380.

⁴ Letter to the OCIJ, p. 2. The Defence had previously asked the OCIJ to decide on the Second Request 'within one week from the date of filing', 7 July 2010, 'in order to allow an effective appeal before the PTC, before the issuing of the closing order, should the request be partly or entirely dismissed'. Second Request, para 9(b).

⁵ Letter to the OCIJ, p. 2.

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4. Accordingly, the Defence *construes* the OCIJ's failure to decide on the Second Request—as well as its apparent unwillingness to commit to prompt investigative action—as a refusal of the Second Request and hereby invokes its appellate right as provided by the PTC Decision.

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