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Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia

Chambres Extraordinaires au sein des Tribunaux Cambodgiens

Supreme Court Chamber Chambre de la Cour suprême

Case File/Dossier No. 002/19-09-2007-ECCC/SC

Before: Judge KONG Srim, President

Judge Chandra Nihal JAYASINGHE

Judge SOM Sereyvuth

Judge Florence Ndepele Mwachande MUMBA

Judge MONG Monichariya Judge Maureen Harding CLARK

Judge YA Narin

Date: 26 February 2021 Language(s): Khmer/English

Classification: PUBLIC

INVITATION FOR PARTIES TO FILE OBSERVATIONS ON TIMETABLE FOR APPEAL HEARING IN CASE 002/02

<u>Co-Prosecutors</u> <u>Accused</u>

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Brenda HOLLIS

Civil Party Lead Co-Lawyers Co-Lawyers for KHIEU Samphân

PICH Ang KONG Sam Onn Megan HIRST Anta GUISSÉ

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THE SUPREME COURT CHAMBER of the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia for the Prosecution of Crimes Committed during the Period of Democratic Kampuchea between 17 April 1975 and 6 January 1979 ("Supreme Court Chamber");

NOTING that on 16 November 2018 the Trial Chamber pronounced its verdict and sentence in Case 002/02 by providing an oral summary of its findings and the disposition of the judgment;¹

NOTING that the written judgment was subsequently notified to the parties in Khmer, French, and English on 28 March 2019 ("Trial Judgment");²

BEING SEISED of appeals against the Trial Judgment lodged by the Co-Prosecutors³ and KHIEU Samphân;⁴ and the parties' respective responses thereto;⁵

RECALLING that on 4 December 2020 the Senior Legal Officer of the Supreme Court Chamber informally notified the parties through an e-mail communication that the Supreme Court Chamber was planning to hold the appeal hearing in Case 002/02 in the week of 17 May 2021;⁶

RECALLING that pursuant to Internal Rule 108(3) the Greffier of the Supreme Court Chamber notified all parties on 22 January 2021 that the Supreme Court Chamber would hold an appeal hearing from 17 to 21 May 2021 and that a scheduling order specifying the particulars would be issued in due course;⁷

¹ Pronouncement of Judgment in Case 002/02, T. 16 November 2018, E1/529.1.

² Case 002/02 Trial Judgment, 16 November 2018, E465. As part of the appeal under consideration, KHIEU Samphân challenges the legality of the process whereby the Judgment was delivered.

³ Co-Prosecutors' Appeal Against the Case 002/02 Trial Judgment, 20 August 2019, F50.

⁴ KHIEU Samphân Appeal Brief (Case 002/02), 27 February 2020, F54.

⁵ KHIEU Samphân Response to the Co-Prosecutors' Appeal in Case 002/02, 23 September 2019, F50/1; Co-Prosecutors' Response to KHIEU Samphân's Appeal Brief, 12 October 2020, F54/1; Civil Party Lead Co-Lawyers' Response to KHIEU Samphân's Appeal of the Case 002/02 Trial Judgment, 4 January 2021, F54/2.

⁶ Electronic mail sent from Senior Legal Officer of the Supreme Court Chamber, entitled "Re: Appeal hearing in Case 002/02 - changed dates", 4 December 2020 at 06:22AM, on file with the Supreme Court Chamber.

⁷ Notification of appeal hearing dates in Case 002/02 pursuant to Internal Rule 108(3), 22 January 2021, F58.

HEREBY:

ATTACHES the tentative timetable for the appeal hearing in Case 002/02;⁸

INVITES the parties to file their observations, if any, on the timetable within two weeks of the filing of this Invitation.

INFORMS the parties that a scheduling order will be issued shortly thereafter deciding the final timetable and identifying specific questions on which the parties' oral submissions will be expected to focus.

Phnom Penh, 26 February 2021

President of the Supreme Court Chamber

KONG Srim

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⁸ Annex - Timetable for the Hearing, 26 February 2021, F60.1.