

SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE

IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before:

Justice Renate Winter, Presiding Judge

Justice Jon M. Kamanda Justice George Gelaga King Justice Emmanuel Ayoola Justice Shireen Avis Fisher

Acting Registrar:

Binta Mansaray

Date:

30 October 2009

PROSECUTOR

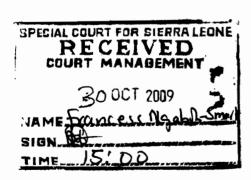
Against

ISSA HASSAN SESAY (Case No. SCSL-04-15-ES)

Decision on Urgent Application for Judicial Review of Registrar's Decision

Acting Registrar Binta Mansaray **Defence Counsel Issa Hassan Sesay:**

Wayne Jordash Sareta Ashraph Jared Kneitel



THE APPEALS CHAMBER of the Special Court for Sierra Leone ("Appeals Chamber") composed of Justice Renate Winter, Presiding Judge, Justice Jon M. Kamanda, Justice George Gelaga King, Justice Emmanuel Ayoola and Justice Shireen Avis Fisher;

BEING SEISED of the "Public Urgent Application to Judicially Review the Decision of the Acting Registrar in Relation to the Enforcement of Sentences and to Temporarily Stay the Transfer of Detainees to a Designated Enforcement State," filed by the Sesay Defence on 28 October 2009 (the "Motion");

NOTING that the Motion requests the Appeals Chamber to grant "a temporary stay of the transfer of Sesay to the enforcement state for a period of one month";¹

CONSIDERING that the Appeals Chamber rendered its Judgment in the case of *Prosecutor v. Sesay, Kallon and Gbao* on 26 October 2009;

FINDS that the Motion is not properly before the Appeals Chamber but that it should be directed to the President of the Court pursuant to Rule 19 (C); therefore

DISMISSES the Motion in its entirety.

Done this 30th day of October 2009 at Freetown, Sierra Leone.

Justice Renate Winter, Presiding

Justice Jon M. Kamanda

Justice George Gelaga King

Justice Emmanuel Ayoola

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Justice Shireen Avis Fisher

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1 Motion, paras 2, 30.

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