SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE

IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before:

Justice Emmanuel Ayoola, Presiding

Justice George Gelaga King

Justice Renate Winter Justice Jon M. Kamanda

Justice Philip Nyamu Waki, Alternate Judge

Registrar:

Ms. Binta Mansaray

Date:

4 December 2012

PROSECUTOR

Against

CHARLES GHANKAY TAYLOR (Case No. SCSL-03-01-A)

Public

SCHEDULING ORDER FOR WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS REGARDING
PUBLIC WITH ANNEX A CHARLES GHANKAY TAYLOR'S MOTION FOR
DISQUALIFICATION OF JUSTICE SHIREEN AVIS FISHER FROM DECIDING THE
DEFENCE MOTION TO PRESENT ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE PURSUANT TO
RULE 115

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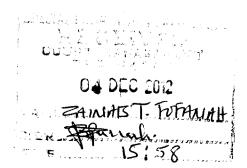
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Ms. Kate Gibson

Ms. Magda Karagiannakis



4 December 2012

THE APPEALS CHAMBER of the Special Court for Sierra Leone ("Special Court");

BEING SEIZED OF the "Public with Annex A Charles Ghankay Taylor's Motion for Disqualification of Justice Shireen Avis Fisher from Deciding the Defence Motion to Present Additional Evidence Pursuant to Rule 115" dated 30 November 2012 ("Motion"), requesting disqualification of Justice Shireen Avis Fisher from deciding the Defence Motion to Present Additional Evidence filed on 30 November 2012¹ and requesting that Justice Fisher refrains from consultations with the UN Secretary-General or his representatives regarding a waiver of immunity for the purposes of Justice Sow's additional evidence, if such evidence is admitted;²

HAVING RECEIVED the "Letter from Justice Shireen Avis Fisher in Response to Motion to Disqualify filed by Defence Counsel" dated 4 December 2012 ("Justice Fisher's Response");³

CONSIDERING that the Motion should be resolved expeditiously;

HEREBY ORDERS pursuant to Rules 106(C) and 7(C) of the Rules of the Procedure and Evidence ("Rules") that:

- 1) The Prosecution shall file any response to the Motion no later than three days from the service of the Motion and by 16:00 Hrs on Thursday, 6 December 2012; and
- 2) The Defence shall file any reply to any response no later than 16:00 Hrs on Monday, 10 December 2012;

AND FURTHER ORDERS that Justice Fisher's Response be filed confidentially and served on the Parties no later than 16:00 Hrs on 4 December 2012.

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¹ Public with Annexes A-E, G-K and Confidential Annex F Defence Motion to Present Additional Evidence Pursuant to Rule 115, SCSL-03-01-A-1352, 30 November 2012.

² Public with Annexes A-E, G-K and Confidential Annex F Defence Motion to Present Additional Evidence Pursuant to Rule 115, SCSL-03-01-A-1352, 30 November 2012, para. 27.

³ Letter from Justice Shireen Avis Fisher in Response to Motion to Disqualify filed by Defence Counsel, dated 4 December 2012.

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Justice Emmanuel Ayoola,

Presiding

Justice George Gelaga King

Justice Renate Winter

Justice Jon Kamanda

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