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CMS/CFO: Sann Rada

**DECISION ON INTERNATIONAL CO-PROSECUTOR'S  
REQUEST TO FILE A REPLY**

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1. On 19 May 2021, the International Co-Prosecutor (“ICP”) filed a notice of her intent to file a reply to the Defence response, indicating she wished to adduce further argument to assist in our decision. She argues that she has been working on a reply since 12 May 2021.
2. The filing of the notice is already too late under No. 8.4. of the Practice Direction on Filing of Documents. The ICP should ideally have informed us on 12 May 2021 of her intention.
3. There is thus no need to hear the Defence.
4. The case is ready for decision and we are satisfied that we have all the relevant submissions that we need. A further delay is not acceptable.

**FOR THESE REASONS, we<sup>1</sup> DENY THE REQUEST.**

Dated 20 May 2021, Phnom Penh

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<sup>1</sup> While the CIJs are issuing this decision jointly, the NCIJ notes, for the record, that documents placed on the case file should be numbered sequentially from the last documents placed before the resignation of Judge Siegfried Blunk, without including in the count orders and decisions issued by Reserve CIJ Laurent Kasper-Ansermet.