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TRIAL CHAMBER – Written Record of Interview of Expert **សាធារណៈ / Public**

On 11 February 2015, at the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia, from 12.30pm

We, Sivhoang CHEA and Maddalena GHEZZI, Greffiers of the Extraordinary Chambers, upon the instructions of the Trial Chamber have requested expert witness Ms. Elizabeth BECKER to authenticate four (4) audio-recording of interviews the expert witness took.

Present during the Interview of the Expert were Roger PHILLIPS, Legal Officer and Greffier of the Extraordinary Chambers, and Wendy LOBWEIN, Coordinator of the Witnesses/Experts Support Unit of the Extraordinary Chambers.

The Ms. Elizabeth BECKER was asked to listen to and authenticate four audio recordings of her interviews with IENG Sary, IENG Thirith and POL Pot, which the Expert provided to the international Co-Prosecutor Robert PETIT (see D28/2). These audio recordings were later filed by the Co-Prosecutors before the Co-Investigating judges to support their Introductory Submission (see D28/1). Before listening to the recordings the Expert clarified that she did not provide the tapes of the audio-recording, but rather copied all the audio recordings onto one (1) compact disk (CD).

Authentication:

1. The Expert listened to the first segment of the first audio recording entitled IENG Sary Phnom Penh 1978 (D28R, ERN TR00232779-TR00232779_1), until approximately minute 02:30.
The Expert authenticated the audio recording as the recording of her interview of IENG Sary in Phnom Penh in 1978 (December). She recognised the voice of IENG Sary, who could be heard speaking in Khmer, and THIOUNN Prasith interpreting into English. Present at this meeting were: IENG Sary, THIOUNN Prasith, Elizabeth BECKER, Richard DUDMAN, and Malcolm CALDWELL.
2. The Expert listened to the second audio recording, entitled IENG Thirith (D28R, ERN TR00232779-TR00232779_2), until approximately minute 03:30.

The Expert authenticated the audio recording as the recoding of her interview with IENG Thirith in New York at a UN office (the Expert witness could not recall exactly which office), in October 1981 during the UN General Assembly.

She recognised the voice of IENG Thirith speaking in English. Present at the interview were: IENG Thirith and Elizabeth BECKER.

- 3. The Expert listened to the third audio recording, entitled POL Pot Dinner (D28R, ERN TR00232779-TR00232779_3), until approximatively minutes 3:00, and again from minute 10:00 for approximatively two minutes.

The Expert clarified that the title of the third audio recording is incorrect, as there was no dinner with POL Pot. She authenticated the audio recording as the second part of the only interview she had with POL Pot in December 1978 in Phnom Penh (D28R, ERN TR00232779-TR00232779_4). She recognised the voice of POL Pot, who can be heard speaking in Khmer, and of THIOUNN Prasith interpreting in English. Present at this interview were: POL Pot, IENG Sary, THIOUNN Prasith (main interpreter), KEAT Chhon (secondary interpreter), Elizabeth BECKER, and Richard DUDMAN.

- 4. The Expert listened to the fourth audio recording, entitled POL Pot Interview (D28R, ERN TR00232779-TR00232779_4), until approximatively minutes 1:50, again at minute 10:00 for approximatively two minutes, and finally from approximatively minute 58 to 1:02:00.

She authenticated the audio recording as the first part of the interview with POL Pot in December 1978 in Phnom Penh. She recognised the voice of POL Pot, who can be heard speaking in Khmer, and of THIOUNN Prasith interpreting in English. Present at this interview were: POL Pot, IENG Sary, THIOUNN Prasith (main interpreter), KEAT Chhon (secondary interpreter), Elizabeth BECKER, and Richard DUDMAN.

The authentication process was concluded at about 12.45pm.

Elizabeth BECKER

Expert Witness

Sivhoang CHEA

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Maddalena GHEZZI

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