

**BEFORE THE TRIAL CHAMBER
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**LEGAL ISSUES
INITIAL HEARING**

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Before:

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MAY IT PLEASE THE TRIAL CHAMBER

1. In accordance with the Rule 80 Order of the Trial Chamber dated 13 January 2011,¹ Mr Khieu SAMPHAN hereby submits an initial indication of the legal issues he intends to raise at the initial hearing:

- Admissibility and merits of Civil Party applications;
- Contribution to and discussion of preliminary objections (Subrule 80 *bis* 3 of the Internal Rules);²
- Shortening the lists of witnesses and experts, and need to appoint *amici curiae* and experts in the interests of the quality of proceedings (Subrule 80 *bis* 2 of the Internal Rules);
- Seek further clarification concerning the notions of “good administration of justice, “conducive to the good administration of justice” and “availability” (Subrules 80 *bis* (2) and 87 (3) and (4) of the Internal Rules);
- Introduction to the history of Cambodia “period before 1975” during the substantive hearings (Subrule 91(1) of the Internal Rules);
- Any other legal issues that may arise during the course of judicial proceedings.

¹ Order to File Material in Preparation for Trial, 13 January 2011, E9, para. 15.

² See also Directions to Parties Concerning Preliminary Objections and related issues, E51/7, para. 2.
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FOR THESE REASONS

2. The Trial Chamber is requested to:

- TO ACCEPT the list of legal issues that Mr Khieu SAMPHAN intends to raise at the initial hearing.

**WITHOUT PREJUDICE,
AND JUSTICE SHALL BE DONE**

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