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**SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE**

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Before: Judge Pierre Boutet

Registrar: Mr. Robin Vincent

Decision of: 28<sup>th</sup> May 2003

**THE PROSECUTOR**

Against

**BRIMA BAZZY KAMARA also known as IBRAHIM BAZZY KAMARA also known as ALHAJI IBRAHIM KAMARA**

CASE NO. SCSL-2003-10-I

**WARRANT OF ARREST AND ORDER FOR TRANSFER AND DETENTION**

Office of the Prosecutor:  
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**THE SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE (the Special Court),**

**SITTING AS** Judge Pierre Boutet designated pursuant to Rule 28 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence (the Rules);

**CONSIDERING** that the Indictment against **BRIMA BAZZY KAMARA** also known as **IBRAHIM BAZZY KAMARA** also known as **ALHAJI IBRAHIM KAMARA**, a citizen of Sierra Leone, born 7 May 1968 at Wilberforce Village, Western Area, Republic of Sierra Leone, who is accused of Crimes against Humanity, violations of Article 3 common to the Geneva Conventions and of Additional Protocol II, and other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law, was reviewed and approved by the Special Court on 28<sup>th</sup> May 2003;

**CONSIDERING** that the Special Court has approved the request of the Prosecutor for the issuance of a Warrant of Arrest and an Order for Transfer and Detention;

**CONSIDERING** the Application for non-disclosure by the Prosecutor made pursuant to Rule 53 of the Rules;

**HEREBY ORDERS THE REGISTRAR OF THE SPECIAL COURT**

(A) to address the Warrant of Arrest, Decision Approving the Indictment, the Approved Indictment of the Accused and a Statement of the Rights of the Accused to the national authorities of Sierra Leone in accordance with Rule 55 of the Rules made on 28<sup>th</sup> May 2003;

(B) to cause to be served on the Accused, at the time of his arrest, or as soon as is possible thereafter, in English or have read to him in a language he understands, a certified copy of the Warrant of Arrest, a certified copy of the Indictment, a statement of the rights of the Accused and to caution the Accused that any statement made by him shall be recorded and may be used as evidence against him in coordination with the national authorities of the State concerned;

(C) to remand the Accused into the custody of the Special Court Detention Facility or such other Detention Facility as determined by the President in accordance with Rule 57 of the Rules;

**HEREBY ORDERS THE RELEVANT AUTHORITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF SIERRA LEONE**

(A) to search for and arrest the Accused;

(B) to have a member of the Office of the Prosecutor present from the time of arrest;

(C) to transfer the Accused to the custody of the Special Court, or to such other place as the President of the Special Court may decide, without delay. The transfer shall be

arranged between the relevant national authorities of the Government of Sierra Leone and the Registrar of the Special Court;

(D) to assist and facilitate the Office of the Prosecutor, at any location, in the search for and seizure of all evidence related to the crimes alleged to have been committed by the Accused;

(E) to identify and locate assets owned by the Accused located within the territory of Sierra Leone and adopt provisional measures to freeze such assets without prejudice to the rights of third parties;

(F) not to disclose to the public, including the media or any public record, the existence of the Indictment and this Warrant of Arrest, or any part thereof, or of all or any part of any particular document or information pertaining to the Indictment and this Warrant for Arrest and Order for Transfer and Detention until further order of the Special Court;

(G) if the Government of Sierra Leone is unable to immediately execute the present Warrant of Arrest and Order for Transfer and Detention, as requested, the Government of Sierra Leone is requested to indicate the reason for its inability to give effect thereto.

Done in Freetown, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 2003.

Judge Pierre Boutet

