



THE APPEALS CHAMBER ("Appeals Chamber") of the Special Court for Sierra Leone ("Special Court") composed of Justice George Gelaga King, Presiding Judge, Justice Emmanuel Ayoola, Justice Renate Winter and Justice Raja Fernando;

SEISED of the 'Prosecution Motion for Voluntary Recusal or Disqualification of Justice Robertson,' filed on 2 August 2007, (the "Motion for Recusal");

NOTING the 'Brima - Kamara Joint Response to Prosecution Motion for Voluntary Recusal or Disqualification of Justice Robertson,' filed on 24 August 2007, (the "Joint Response");

NOTING Hon. Justice Robertson's written request filed on 24 August 2007, that the Appeals Chamber grant him an extension of time to allow him the opportunity to respond to the Motion for Recusal;

NOTING that Rule 7(C) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, ("the Rules") states:

- (C) Unless otherwise ordered by a Chamber or a Designated Judge, any response to a motion shall be filed within ten days of service of the motion by the Registry. Any reply to the response shall be filed within five days of service of the response by the Registry.

NOTING that Rule 54 of the Rules allows this Chamber of its own motion to issue such orders as may be necessary for the purposes of an investigation or for the preparation or conduct of the trial;

HEREBY GRANTS Hon. Justice Robertson's request to file his Response to the Motion for Recusal no later than 7 September 2007.

Done at Freetown this 28 August 2007.

Justice George Gelaga King  
Presiding

Justice Emmanuel Ayoola

Justice Renate Winter

Justice Raja Fernando

