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THE SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE

EEFORE:

Hon. Justice Benjamin Itoe, Presiding

Flon. Justice Pierre Boutet,

Flon. Justice Bankole Thompson

Registrar: Mr. Herman von Hebel

3rd June 2008 Date filed:

The Prosecutor

-v-

Issa Hassan Sesay Morris Kallon Augustine Gbao

Case No: SCSL-04-15-T

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Addendum to Sesay Defence's 30th May 2008 Application Requesting the Trial Chamber to Hear Evidence Concerning the Prosecution's Witness Management Unit and its Payments to Witnesses

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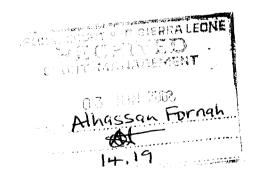
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- 1. On the 30th May 2008, the Sesay Defence filed a "Motion to Request the Trial Chamber to Hear Evidence Concerning the Prosecution's Witness Management Unit and its Payments to Witnesses".¹
- 2. The Sesay Defence requests that, in addition to the requested orders in Paragraph 3 of the Motion, the Trial Chamber enter into evidence, pursuant to Rule 92bis, Annexes B and C of the Motion as well as those portions of transcripts from the Taylor Trial referred to in the Motion.
- 3. Paragraph 3 of the Motion should read:
 - 3 The Defence requests that the Trial Chamber, pursuant to its Rule 54³ powers:
 - i) Order the Prosecution to provide a person or persons to attend the Trial Chamber to provide witness testimony concerning the role and function of the WMU in relation to witnesses and the details of all its payments to witnesses;
 - ii) Order the disclosure of all payment records of the WMU to facilitate the aforementioned hearing;
 - iii) Order the Prosecution to clarify the relationship between the WMU and its relationship, if any, with the Witnesses and Victims Section ("WVS");
 - iv) Order the Registry to clarify its supervision, if any, of the propriety of the WMU payments to witnesses;
 - v) Order the WVS to provide information concerning its relationship with the WMU and its oversight, if any, of the WMU (including any welfare or security information sharing to prevent duplication or unwarranted payments);
 - vi) Enter into evidence, pursuant to Rule 92bis, Annexes B and C of this Motion as well as those portions of transcripts from the Taylor Trial referred to in this Motion; and
 - vii) Any other ancillary Order the Trial Chamber deems necessary.

Dated 3rd June 2008

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¹ Prosecutor v. Sesay et al., SCSL-04-15-1161.