

### THE SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE

#### In Trial Chamber II

Before:

Justice Julia Sebutinde, Presiding

Justice Richard Lussick Justice Teresa Doherty

Justice El Hadji Malick Sow, Alternate

Registrar: Mr. Herman von Hebel, Acting Registrar

Date:

18 May 2007

Case No.:

SCSL-2003-01-PT

THE PROSECUTOR

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### DAHKPANNAH CHARLES GHANKAY TAYLOR

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## DEFENCE RESPONSE TO MOTION REQUESTING LEAVE TO AMEND INDICTMENT

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1. On 14 May 2007, the Prosecution filed a Public Motion Requesting Leave to Amend the Indictment. As indicated at the Pre-Trial Conference on 7 May 2007,2 the Defence do not object to the requested amendments to the Amended Indictment against Mr. Charles Ghankay Taylor of 16 March 2006.3

Respectfully Submitted,

Karim A. A. Khan

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Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> Day of May 2007

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Prosecutor v. Taylor, SCSL-03-01-PT-235, Motion Requesting Leave to Amend Indictment, 14 May 2007. <sup>2</sup> Prosecutor v. Taylor, SCSL-03-01-PT, Pre-Trial Conference Transcript, 7 May 2007, pages 50-51. <sup>3</sup> Prosecutor v. Taylor, SCSL-03-01-I-75, Amended Indictment and Case Summary Accompanying the Indictment, 16 March 2006.

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