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RESIDUAL SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE

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DECISION TO ASSIGN COUNSEL TO AUGUSTINE GBAQ

THE PRINCIPAL DEFENDER

CONSIDERING the Statute of the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone and in particular Article 23 thereof;

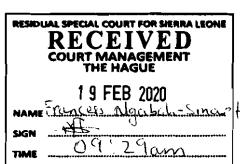
CONSIDERING the Rules of Procedure and Evidence as adopted by the plenary meeting of the Residual Special Court as amended on the 30th November 2018;

CONSIDERING the Directive on the Assignment of Counsel as adopted by the Registrar on the 1st October 2003 and in particular Article 13 thereof;

CONSIDERING that Mr. Augustine Gbao a Special Court for Sierra Leone Convict is presently serving his jail term in Mpanga Prison, Rwanda pursuant to an Order of the Special Court for Sierra Leone;

CONSIDERING that Augustine Gbao has informed the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone of his desire to appoint one Counsel of his choice namely John Cammegh Q.C. from The United Kingdom;

CONSIDERING that John Cammegh Q.C. has consented to represent Mr. Augustine Gbao pro bono by virtue of an agreement between John Cammegh Q.C. and the within named Counsel to which the Residual Special Court is not a party;



CONSIDERING that the Principal Defender of the Residual Special Court may assign Counsel in the interests of justice, to represent a Convict;

HEREBY DIRECTS the assignment of John Cammegh Q.C. as Counsel to John Cammegh Q.C. as of the 19th February 20120.

Dated at Freetown this 19th February 2020.

Ibrahim Sorie Yillah

Principal Defender RSCSL.