

In: No. KSC-CC-PR-2017-03

Before: The President of the Specialist Chambers

Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova

Registrar: Fidelma Donlon

Date: 28 June 2017

File name: Referral of the Revised Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence

Pursuant to Article 19(5) of the Law

Public

Order on the Reclassification of Annexes I and II to the Referral of Revised Rules of Rules of Procedure and Evidence to the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court

THE PRESIDENT of the Specialist Chambers (the "President"), in light of the "Referral of Revised Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence to the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court" and the "Judgement on the Referral of Revised Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence Adopted by Plenary on 29 May 2017 to the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court Pursuant to Article 19(5) of Law no. 05/L-053 on Specialist Chambers and Specialist Prosecutor's Office" herewith reclassifies Annexes I and II to the Referral of Revised Rules.

- 1. On 29 May 2017, the Revised Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence (the "Revised Rules") were adopted by the Specialist Chambers Judges sitting in Plenary (the "Plenary"), except for the Judges of the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court.
- 2. On 31 May 2017, the President referred the Revised Rules to the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court (the "SCCC") for the purpose of review in accordance with Article 19(5) of the Law.³ A consolidated version of the Revised Rules (Annex I) as well as the entire Rules (Annex II) were annexed to the Referral of Revised Rules with a confidential classification in order to safeguard the deliberations of the Constitutional Court Panel. At the same time, the President determined that a public version thereof "shall be made available upon the decision of the SCCC."⁴
- 3. On 28 June 2017, the Constitutional Court Panel rendered its Judgement on Referral of Revised Rules. In light thereof, Annexes I and II of the Referral of Revised Rules are herewith reclassified as public.

¹ Referral of Revised Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence to the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court, President, File No. KSC-CC-PR-2017-03, 31 May 2017 (the "Referral of Revised Rules").

² Judgement on the Referral of Revised Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence Adopted by Plenary on 29 May 2017 to the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court Pursuant to Article 19(5) of Law no. 05/L-053 on Specialist Chambers and Specialist Prosecutor's Office, File No. KSC-CC-PR-2017-03, 28 June 2017 (the "Judgement on Referral of Revised Rules").

³ Referral of Revised Rules.

⁴ Referral of Revised Rules, para. 6.

FOR THESE REASONS, THE PRESIDENT HEREBY

reclassifies as public Annex I and II to the "Referral of Revised Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence to the Specialist Chamber of the Constitutional Court", File No. KSC-CC-PR-2017-03, dated 31 May 2017.

Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova President

Dated this Wednesday, 28 June 2017

At The Hague, The Netherlands