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### SPECIAL COURT FOR SIERRA LEONE TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before:

Hon. Justice, Benjamin Mutanga Itoe, Presiding Judge

Hon. Justice Bankole Thompson Hon. Justice Pierre Boutet

Registrar: Mr. Herman von Hebel

Date filed: 7 March 2008

THE PROSECUTOR

against

ISSA HASSAN SESAY **MORRIS KALLON AUGUSTINE GBAO** 

Case No. SCSL -2004-15-T

**PUBLIC** 

GBAO-RESPONSE TO SESAY DEFENCE APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION OF THE WITNESS STATEMENT OF DIS 129 UNDER RULE 92BIS OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, UNDER RULE 92*TER* 

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- 1. On 6 March 2008, Defence counsel for Issa Sesay filed a motion for admission of written evidence of DIS 129 witnesses pursuant to rule 92bis, or in the alternative pursuant to rule 92ter. It seeks to have the written statement of DIS 129 to be admitted into evidence under rule 92bis without examination in chief or cross-examination, or in the alternative to have the written statement admitted under rule 92ter.
- 2. Defence counsel for the Third Accused wishes to state that, in the interests of expediency, it does not oppose the admission of the witness statement of DIS 129 under rule 92bis or 92ter. Defence counsel for the Third Accused does not intend to cross-examine the witness.

Done at Freetown, 7 March 2008.

OO John Cammegh,

Lead Counsel for Augustine Gbao.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Prosecutor v. Sesay, Kallon and Gbao, Doc. N. SCSL-2004-15-T-1036, Urgent Sesay Defence Application for the Admission of the Witness Statement of DIS 129 under Rule 92l is or, in the Alternative, under 92ter, 6 March 2008.