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**THE PRESIDENT OF THE MECHANISM**

**Before:** Judge Graciela Gatti Santana, President

**Registrar:** Mr. Abubacarr M. Tambaou

**Date:** 16 April 2026

**PROSECUTOR**

v.

**ALPHONSE NTEZIRYAYO**

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**REGISTRAR'S NOTICE OF  
RECOGNITION OF *PRO BONO* CO-COUNSEL**

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***Pro Bono* Counsel for Mr. Alphonse Nteziryayo**

Mr. Iain Edwards  
Ms. Kate McInnes

1. Pursuant to Rule 31(B) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals (“Rules” and “Mechanism”, respectively), I respectfully notify the President that the Registry has recognised Ms. Kate McInnes to act as *pro bono* co-counsel to Mr. Alphonse Nteziryayo in relation to the ongoing relocation matter, as of 16 April 2026. I recall that Mr. Iain Edwards was recognised as *pro bono* counsel to Mr. Mugiraneza in this regard as of 7 January 2022.<sup>1</sup> This previous recognition remains in effect, and Ms. McInnes will serve as additional *pro bono* co-counsel.
2. The recognition of Ms. McInnes as *pro bono* co-counsel to Mr. Nteziryayo follows the Registry’s vetting of her qualifications to act as *pro bono* counsel before the Mechanism, the submission of a Power of Attorney signed by Mr. Nteziryayo, dated 2 April 2026, and an Undertaking executed by Ms. McInnes on 30 March 2026.
3. I note that the recognition of *pro bono* co-counsel does not entail appointment or assignment pursuant to Rule 42 or 43 of the Rules.
4. I remain available should the President require further information.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
Abubacarr M. Tambaou  
Registrar

Dated this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 2026  
At The Hague,  
The Netherlands.

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<sup>1</sup> *Prosecutor v. Alphonse Nteziryayo*, Case No. MICT-15-90, Registrar’s Notice of Recognition of *Pro Bono* Counsel, public, 7 January 2022.



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