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PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before: **Judge Nicolas Guillou, Presiding Judge**
Judge Reine Adélaïde Sophie Alapini-Gansou
Judge Beti Hohler

SITUATION IN THE STATE OF PALESTINE

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Transmission of Hungary's submission in response to Pre-Trial Chamber I's "Invitation to Hungary to provide submissions for the purposes of proceedings under article 87(7) of the Rome Statute", 16 April 2025, ICC-01/18-421

With public Annexes I and II

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I. Introduction

1. The Registry hereby transmits to Pre-Trial Chamber I ("Chamber"), Hungary's submission in response to the "Invitation to Hungary to provide submissions for the purposes of proceedings under article 87(7) of the Rome Statute" ("Submission"), received on 22 May 2025 from the Embassy of Hungary to the Kingdom of the Netherlands ("Submitter" or "Hungary").

II. Procedural History

2. On 16 April 2025, the Chamber invited Hungary to submit, by 23 May 2025, observations regarding its failure to provisionally arrest Mr Benjamin Netanyahu pursuant to the Warrant of Arrest issued on 21 November 2024 ("Invitation").[1] On the same day, the Registry transmitted the Invitation pursuant to the Chamber's instructions.[2]

3. On 24 April 2025, the Embassy of Hungary transmitted a Note Verbale confirming receipt of the Invitation and its onward transmission to the competent Hungarian authorities.

4. On 22 May 2025, Hungary provided the Registry with its submissions by way of Note Verbale.[3]

[1] Pre-Trial Chamber I, Invitation to Hungary to provide submissions for the purposes of proceedings under article 87(7) of the Rome Statute, 16 April 2025, ICC-01/18-421.
[2] *Ibid*.
[3] Annexes I and II transmitted via email to the Registry by the Embassy of Hungary to the Kingdom of the Netherlands on 22 May 2025 at 14:19. Confirmation that both the NV and Submission may be made public was received at 17:34.

III. Transmission

5. Pursuant to rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, the Registry hereby transmits the Submissions, together with the corresponding annex.

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Director, Division of Judicial Services
On behalf of Mr Osvaldo Zavala Giler, Registrar

Dated this 23 May 2025

At The Hague, The Netherlands