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BEFORE THE TRIAL CHAMBER
SPECIAL TRIBUNAL FOR LEBANON

Case No: STL-11-01/PT/TC

Before: Judge Robert Roth, Presiding
Judge Micheline Braidy
Judge David Re
Judge Janet Nosworthy, Alternate Judge
Judge Walid Akoum, Alternate Judge

Registrar: Mr. Herman von Hebel

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THE PROSECUTOR
v.
SALIM JAMIL AYYASH
MUSTAFA AMINE BADREDDINE
HUSSEIN HASSAN ONEISSI
ASSAD HASSAN SABRA

ANNEX F
Statement of Mr. Salim Jreissati

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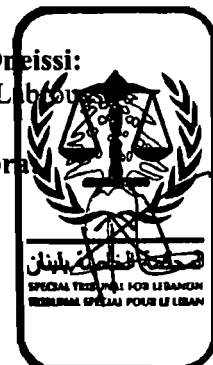
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Statement of H.E Mr. Salim Jreissati

I have been requested by Defence Counsels in the case of the Prosecutor v. Ayyash et al. (STL-11-01) before the Special Tribunal for Lebanon to provide this statement.

In 2006 and 2007, I was Legal Advisor to the President of the Republic of Lebanon, General Emile Lahoud.

I have been shown the three-page letter sent by President Lahoud to Mr. Kofi Annan, Secretary-General of the United Nations dated 14 November 2006, attached to this statement as Annex A. I can confirm, based on my personal knowledge and recollection, that President Lahoud signed and sent the original version of this letter in Arabic to Mr. Annan on 14 November 2006.

I have been shown the six-page letter sent by President Lahoud to Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General of the United Nations dated 5 February 2007, attached to this statement as Annex C. I can confirm, based on my personal knowledge and recollection, that President Lahoud signed and sent the original version of this letter in Arabic to Mr. Ban Ki-moon on 5 February 2007.

I have been shown a four-page document, United Nations Security Council S/2007/286, enclosing the letter dated 16 May 2007 from the Secretary-General Ban Ki - moon to the President of the Security Council, conveying the letter dated 15 May 2007 from President Lahoud, attached to this statement as Annex E. I can confirm, based on my personal knowledge and recollection, that the original version of President's Lahoud above mentioned letter, has been drafted in Arabic and sent to Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon on May 15, 2007.

I have given this statement voluntarily, and am aware that it may be used in judicial proceedings before the Special Tribunal for Lebanon.


Salim Jreissati

Done on 27 of April 2012.
Beirut, Lebanon

