



SPECIAL TRIBUNAL FOR LEBANON

المحكمة الخاصة بلبنان

TRIBUNAL SPÉCIAL POUR LE LIBAN

**THE TRIAL CHAMBER**  
**SPECIAL TRIBUNAL FOR LEBANON**

**Case No:** STL-11-01/T/TC

**Before:** Judge David Re, Presiding  
Judge Janet Nosworthy  
Judge Micheline Braidy  
Judge Walid Akoum, Alternate Judge  
Judge Nicola Lettieri, Alternate Judge

**Registrar:** Mr David Tolbert, Acting Registrar

**Date:** 5 August 2020

**Original language:** English

**Classification:** Public

**THE PROSECUTOR**  
v.  
**SALIM JAMIL AYYASH**  
**HASSAN HABIB MERHI**  
**HUSSEIN HASSAN ONEISSI**  
**ASSAD HASSAN SABRA**

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**NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF PUBLIC PRONOUNCEMENT OF JUDGMENT**

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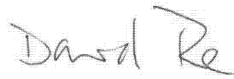
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1. A massive explosion occurred in Beirut on Tuesday 4 August 2020, causing terrible loss of life and injury. Property damage to the city, of an unimaginable scale, has left many thousands of people homeless. In view of this devastation and the three-day period of public mourning, and out of respect for the countless victims, the Trial Chamber will postpone the delivery of judgment scheduled for Friday 7 August 2020.
2. The judgment will now be delivered in public session on **Tuesday 18 August 2020 at 11:00.**

Done in Arabic, English, and French, the English version being authoritative.

Leidschendam,  
The Netherlands  
5 August 2020



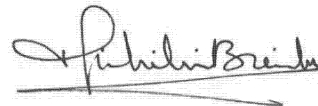
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