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Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia
Chambres Extraordinaires au sein des Tribunaux Cambodgiens

Phnom Penh, 06 May 2009

Dear All Local and International NGOs,

As you know, the first trial concerning the Accused Kaing Guek Eav alias Duch (Case 001) has been launched at the ECCC. This trial is attracting wide public interest both nationally and internationally.

We strongly support the participation of Cambodians in the process of Moving Forward through Justice. We therefore invite you to join our efforts by encouraging your staff, especially your Cambodian staff, to attend the proceedings.

The hearings in Case 001 are public, and held on Monday to Thursday from 20 April until 2 July, except for recess from May 1 to May 15. All persons aged 18 and over may attend, while those aged 16 to 18 need to be in the presence of a guardian (usually a parent or teacher).

The ECCC provides public buses for public who do not have their own means of transport from downtown Phnom Penh to the ECCC and return, and who have requested seats in advance. For a group of 35 people or more, the ECCC can arrange a bus to pick up at any location not far from Phnom Penh town.

You are kindly requested to invite other local and international NGOs that are not included in the invitation to join this hearing as well.

Please let us know in advance if and when your staff would like to attend. Please contact Chin Hemvichet, Public Affairs Outreach Officer:

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Sincerely yours,

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