

Kovács, Péter

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Note verbale

The Embassy of Hungary presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the International Criminal Court, and has the honour to communicate that Hungary nominates Judge Professor Péter Kovács as a candidate for the election of judges of the International Criminal Court for the period 2015-2024, as required by article 36, paragraph 4 (a) (ii), of the Rome Statute (see the relevant documents attached).

Hungary as a strong and long-standing supporter of the International Criminal Court attaches great importance to the quality, effectiveness and efficiency of the criminal procedure, which Hungary deems to be a key component in the fight against impunity of the most serious international crimes committed. With due regard to the above, the Government of Hungary nominates Judge Professor Péter Kovács to the Assembly of States Parties as being eminently suited to be elected judge of the Court.

Professor Kovács is an excellent international law practitioner with established competence in relevant areas of international law. The Hungarian candidate has gathered extensive judicial experience in his various professional legal capacities.

Presently, he is the presiding judge of the 1st Chamber of the Hungarian Constitutional Court. Next to his high moral character, impartiality and integrity and his fluency in both working languages of the Court, he fully meets the requirements set out in article 36, paragraph 3 (b) (ii), of the Rome Statute and stands as a List B candidate at the forthcoming election. The curriculum vitae of and other relevant documents of Judge Professor Péter Kovács are attached.

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