



Public Information and Outreach in the Central African Republic Calendar of Activities – December 2010

Overall objectives:

- To ensure that information on the commencement of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo is disseminated effectively.
- To publicise the hearings and to make the judicial proceedings accessible to the general public and affected communities.

Activity	Date	Place	Summary	Evaluation tools
Distribution of the Court's audio productions ("In the Courtroom" programme) – summary of the 1st day – to radio stations – Sango version	26 November	Bangui	CDs giving a summary (approx. 12 min.) of the first day of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba were distributed to CAR radio stations in Bangui and the provinces. This summary was broadcast 111 times during the week of 26 November to 3 December. Around 800,000 people informed.	Weekly activity report submitted by each radio station to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.
Information session with the Justice Section of BINUCA (United Nations Integrated Office in the CAR)	2 December	Bangui	Exchange of information on the International Criminal Court's mandate and on the work of the Justice Section of BINUCA 1 participant.	N/A

Distribution of DVDs of the entire first 3 days of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba to TV stations – French and Sango versions	3 December	Bangui	DVDs of the entire hearings of the first 3 days of the trial were distributed to TV Centrafrique (public) and TV Tropic (private). These DVDs were broadcast 12 times (4 broadcasts per DVD) by TV Tropic, totalling over 44 hours of air time. Around 100,000 people informed.	Activity report submitted by TV Tropic to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.
Outreach session for the general public	3 December	Bossembele, Ombella-Mpoko prefecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outreach session for the general public in Bossembele on the beginning of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo (PowerPoint presentation and videos) - Session conducted in partnership with the Victims Participation and Reparations Section - Questions & Answers 216 participants. 	- Multi-question log form
Distribution of the Court's audiovisual productions ("In the Courtroom" programme) – 2nd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba – to TV stations – French version	3 December	Bangui	DVDs of the 2nd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba were distributed to TV Centrafrique (public) and TV Tropic (private). Summary no. 2 was broadcast 28 times during the week of 4 to 10 December. Around 200,000 people informed.	Weekly activity report submitted by each TV station to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.

Distribution of the Court's audio productions ("In the Courtroom" programme) – 2nd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba – to radio stations – French version	3 December	Bangui	CDs of the 2nd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba were distributed to CAR radio stations in Bangui and the provinces. Summary no. 2 was broadcast 115 times during the week of 4 to 10 December. Around 800,000 people informed.	Weekly activity report submitted by each radio station to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.
Distribution of the Court's audio productions ("In the Courtroom" programme) – 2nd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba – to radio stations – Sango version	3 December	Bangui	CDs of the 2nd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba were distributed to CAR radio stations in Bangui and the provinces. Summary no. 2 was broadcast 111 times during the week of 4 to 10 December. Around 800,000 people informed.	Weekly activity report submitted by each radio station to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.
Outreach session for the general public	6 December	Damara, Ombella-Mpoko prefecture	- Outreach session for the general public in Damara on the commencement of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo (PowerPoint presentation and videos) - Questions & Answers 146 participants.	- Multi-question log form
Presentation of the annual report on the Outreach Unit's activities	7 December	New York, United States	The Outreach Coordinator for the CAR participated in the presentation of the	N/A

to the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties			annual report on the Outreach Unit's activities to the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties.	
Interview in Sango with the staff of the ICC Outreach Unit in the Central African Republic	7 December	Premises of Radio Maria Be Africa, Bossangoa, Ouham prefecture	Interview in Sango with the ICC Outreach Officer. The interview focused on the outreach activities for the public in Bossangoa. Length of interview: 15 min. (3 broadcasts) Around 5,000 people informed.	Interview broadcast on Radio Maria Be Africa, Bossangoa.
Outreach session for the general public	8 December	Bossangoa, Ouham prefecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outreach session for the general public in Bossangoa on the commencement of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo (PowerPoint presentation and videos) - Session conducted in partnership with the Victims Participation and Reparations Section - Questions & Answers 356 participants. 	- Multi-question log form
Outreach session for the general public	10 December	Sibut, Kémo prefecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outreach session for the general public in Sibut on the commencement of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo (PowerPoint presentation and videos) - Session conducted in 	- Multi-question log form

			partnership with the Victims Participation and Reparations Section - Questions & Answers 34 participants.	
Distribution of the Court's audiovisual productions ("In the Courtroom" programme) – 3rd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba – to TV stations – French version	10 December	Bangui	DVDs of the 3rd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba were distributed to TV Centrafrique (public) and TV Tropic (private). Summary no. 3 was broadcast 27 times during the week of 10 to 16 December. Around 200,000 people informed.	Weekly activity report submitted by each TV station to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.
Distribution of the Court's audio productions ("In the Courtroom" programme) – 3rd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba – to radio stations – French version	10 December	Bangui	CDs of the 3rd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba were distributed to CAR radio stations in Bangui and the provinces. Summary no. 3 was broadcast 119 times during the week of 10 to 16 December. Around 800,000 people informed.	Weekly activity report submitted by each radio station to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.
Outreach session for the general public	14 December	Bozoum, Ouham-Pende prefecture	- Outreach session for the general public in Bozoum on the commencement of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo (PowerPoint presentation and videos) - Session conducted in	- Multi-question log form

			partnership with the Victims Participation and Reparations Section - Questions & Answers 264 participants.	
Distribution of the weekly newsletters produced by the ICC to the media	16 December	Bangui	"ICC Weekly Update" newsletters #58 and #59 were sent to the media (TV, press, radio). Around 1,000 people informed.	- E-mail distribution list
Inform the CAR public about the conclusion of the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties	16 December	Bangui	The press release entitled "Assembly of States Parties concludes its ninth session" was sent to the media (TV, press, Bangui radio stations and provincial radio stations). Around 1,000 people informed.	- E-mail distribution list - Media hook-ups
Distribution of the Court's audio productions – 3rd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba – to radio stations – Sango version	17 December	Bangui	CDs of the 3rd summary of the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba were distributed to CAR radio stations in Bangui and the provinces. Summary no. 3 (in Sango) was broadcast 117 times during the week of 17 to 23 December. Around 800,000 people informed.	Weekly activity report submitted by each radio station to the ICC Field Office in Bangui.
Briefing with NGOs working in the field of promoting,	20 December	Bangui	ICC/NGO information session on: - the commencement of the trial of Jean-Pierre	- Attendance sheet - Multi-question log form

protecting and defending human rights, victims' associations and women's groups			<p>Bemba Gombo before the ICC (screening of summaries 1, 2 and 3 on the trial of Jean-Pierre Bemba; screening of Paolina Massidda's message)</p> <p>- Information on the situation in Kenya and distribution of the press release on the summonses to appear issued by the ICC for six suspects.</p> <p>15 participants.</p>	
Inform the CAR public about the situation in Kenya	21 December	Bangui	<p>The press release entitled "Kenya's post election violence: ICC Prosecutor presents cases against six individuals for crimes against humanity" was sent to the media (TV, press, radio stations in Bangui and in the provinces).</p> <p>Around 10,000 people informed.</p>	<p>- E-mail distribution list</p> <p>- Media hook-ups</p>
Inform the CAR public about the situation in Kenya	21 December	Bangui	<p>The press release entitled "Kenya's post election violence: ICC Prosecutor presents cases against six individuals for crimes against humanity" was sent to higher education institutions.</p> <p>Around 1,000 people informed.</p>	<p>- Information relayed within universities</p>
Distribution of	21 December	Bangui	"ICC Weekly Update"	- E-mail distribution list

the weekly newsletter produced by the ICC to the media			newsletter no. 60 was sent to the media (TV, press, and radio stations). Around 1,000 people informed.	
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