



ICC-PIDS-RT-1/07

OUTREACH ACTION PLAN FOR THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO: APRIL TO JUNE 2007¹

Objectives:

- Prepare the ground for the trial and respond to the needs for information during the initial hearings phase in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Thomas Lubanga Dyilo*.
- Provide general information about the Court to the groups which have not yet been targeted.
- Provide more specific information to the specific groups.

Activity cluster No. 1: Outreach missions for grass-roots communities						
Specific activity	Time frame	Organiser and venue	Activity objective	Target audience	Human resources	Means of verification
Hold 12 information sessions	9 - 20 April 2007	ICC-PIDS, Bunia	- Inform participants on the activities of the ICC and the crimes within its jurisdiction. - Assert Lubanga's guaranteed rights to a fair trial. - Prepare or train target audience to conduct outreach activities through	Twelve quarter heads and their counsellors (50 pers/ per quarter = total 600 persons)	PIDS: Nicolas Kuyaku and Patrick Tshibuyi	- Standard performance indicator forms - Activities report - list of attendees - Completed performance

¹ This plan reflects only the outreach measures planned for the second quarter of the year – April-June 2007. Similar activities will be planned for the next quarters in order to ensure that the information is continuously channelled to the populations directly affected by the conflict.

			meetings.			indicator forms
Information day for Bunia media	9 - 20 April 2007	ICC-PIDS, Bunia	- Provide information on latest developments in Lubanga case and create framework for broadcasting programmes on the ICC. -Explain the various stages of the judicial process	Radio Okapi/Bunia - Canal révélation - Radio Candip - RTK - Liberté - Digital Congo - RTNC	PIDS: Patrick Tshibuyi	- Third-party reports
University conferences	9 - 20 April 2007	ICC-PIDS, Bunia	- Provide information on latest developments in Lubanga case - Assert Lubanga's guaranteed rights to a fair trial.	- ISP/Bunia - <i>Centre universitaire de Bunia</i> - <i>Institut Supérieur théologique de Bunia</i> - <i>Institut supérieur de technique médicale</i> - ISP/CECA - UNIC (there is a law faculty)	PIDS : Patrick Tshibuyi & Nicolas Kuyaku	
Outreach for grass-roots religious communities: Catholic, Protestant and Muslim in Bunia	22 June - 7 July 2007	ICC-PIDS, Bunia	- Provide information on latest developments in Lubanga case - Assert Lubanga's guaranteed rights to a fair trial.	Leaders of grass-roots religious communities	PIDS: Nicolas Kuyaku & Patrick Tshibuyi	

			- Bring parish leaders on board in outreach activities			
Hold outreach session with Ituri ethnic leaders	12 - 21 June 2007	ICC-PIDS; Bunia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Inform participants on the activities of the ICC and the crimes within its jurisdiction. - Provide information on latest developments in Lubanga case - Assert Lubanga's guaranteed rights to a fair trial. - Provide information on rights, victim participation, and participation procedure. 	Traditional leaders	PIDS: Paul Madidi VPRS : Laetitia Bonnet, Fatou Sylla-Pastier, Anna Mayimona	
Outreach on victim participation	12 - 21 June 2007	ICC, Bunia	Provide information on rights, victim participation, and participation procedure.	NGOs and intermediaries; Religious leaders	PIDS: Paul Madidi VPRS: Laetitia Bonnet, Fatou Sylla-Pastier, Anna Mayimona	
Outreach on Trust Fund for Victims	12 - 21 June 2007	ICC, Bunia; Bukavu	Explain the Trust Fund's mandate and make contact with the various partners operating in the DRC.	NGOs and intermediaries; Religious and political leaders. Judicial officials.	TFV: André Laperriere PIDS: Paul Madidi	

					VPRS: Laetitia Bonnet, Fatou Sylla-Pastier, Anna Mayimona	
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Objectives:

- Provide information on the mandate and activities of the Court to the general public.
- Clear up any misunderstandings, respond to questions and concerns of general public.

Activity cluster No. 2: Interaction with general public through the media						
Specific activity	Time frame	Organiser and venue	Activity objective	Target audience	Human resources	Means of verification
Produce a series of programmes with Radio Okapi: "Chroniques" "Droits et devoirs", "Debat" ² "Institution, c'est facile à comprendre" ³ "Droits et devoirs" ⁴	April - May 2007	ICC Radio Okapi	- Inform listeners on the activities of the ICC and the crimes within its jurisdiction. - Provide information on latest developments in	General public	PIDS Paul Madidi P. Tshibuyi ICC - Legal Representatives for Victims Radio Okapi	Broadcasts sent out Broadcasts recorded Programme Recordings Feedback and other questions after programmes have been

² The programmes last a maximum of four and a half minutes, except for *Le Débat* (Debate) which is 30 minutes. They are all broadcast in the four national languages as well as in French. They all have a pedagogical objective - explaining concepts, institutions and civic duty. *Chroniques* (Features), relating to the ICC, will begin on 7 May 2007 and will be broadcast in the first week of each month. *Droits et Devoirs* (Rights and Duties), the second half of each month. The first broadcast of *Droits et Devoirs* will be recorded on Monday 23 April and will focus on victims' rights before the ICC.

³ The first lesson focused on the following questions: what is the ICC and why is it active in the DRC? It was broadcast in five languages during the week of 30 April to 4 May. The next broadcast (on a different topic) is scheduled for the first week of June.

⁴ The first broadcast has already been recorded and addressed the following question: what are the victims' rights before the ICC? It will be broadcast during the week of 14 to 19 May in five languages.

	30 April - 4 May 2007		Lubanga case. -Explain investigations and prosecutions policy of the Office of the Prosecutor. - Provide information on rights, victim participation, and participation procedure.			broadcast Evaluation report
Produce radio programmes <i>"Connaître la CPI"</i>	June 2007	ICC & Radio Canal Révélation; RTK; Radio Candip All broadcasting in Ituri	- Inform listeners on the activities of the ICC and the crimes within its jurisdiction. - Provide information on rights, victim participation, and participation procedure.	General public	PIDS : Patrick Tshibuyi Radio Okapi(Bunia) Radio Canal Révélation; RTK; Radio Candip All broadcasting in Ituri	
Intermittent interventions (depending on current affairs) ⁵	April, May, June 2007	ICC	Provide information on current matters at the ICC.	General public	PIDS ICC officials	

⁵ Twelve interviews have already been given to radio and television outlets, including one by Didier Preira further to the statements of Mr Flamme on Radio Okapi.

Activity cluster No. 3: Work together with partners						
Specific activity	Time frame	Organiser and venue	Activity objective	Target audience	Estimated human and financial resources	Means of verification
Training seminar: National and international justice in the fight against impunity	21 - 23 June 2007	International Criminal Bar; ICC (Paul Madidi); Konrad Adenauer Foundation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consolidate basic knowledge acquired by judges during initial training, by providing supplementary materials, on the subject of the judicial prosecution of mass violations of human rights before Congolese courts. - Further study of issues covered by initial training on international crimes; - Initiate judges and counsel on investigation techniques to use in respect of international crimes; - Share case-law in respect of decisions of trials for international crimes held before military courts; - Make available appropriate documentation to judges and counsel. 	Judges Counsel Judicial staff Journalists	International Criminal Bar ICC Konrad Adenauer Foundation	

Objective: Obtain media and other resources which may facilitate outreach in the field in the DRC.

Activity cluster No. 4: Media production						
Specific activity	Time frame	Organiser and venue	Activity objective	Target audience	Human resources	Means of verification
Produce sketches on	April -	ICC; Kinshasa	- Provide information on the	General public	PIDS- Paul Madidi	DVD

complementarity	May 2007		concept of complementarity - Also explain the presence of the ICC in the DRC		and Jacky Mambenga CANACU	CD <i>Diffusion SPOT</i>
Produce sketches on crimes within the Court's jurisdiction	May - June 2007	ICC; Kinshasa	- Provide information on crimes within the Court's jurisdiction. - Dispel any confusion between these crimes and ordinary crimes.	General public	PIDS- Paul Madidi and Jacky Mambenga CANACU	
Produce sketches on the failure of official status	June - July 2007	ICC; Kinshasa	- Provide information on the non-applicability of immunity before the Court.	General public	PIDS- Paul Madidi and Jacky Mambenga CANACU	