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The Embassy of the People's Republic of Bangladesh in The Hague presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute and with reference to the former's Notes No. ICC-ASP/17/SP/02 dated 14 March 2018 and ICC-ASP/17/SP/33 dated 29 August 2018 has the honour to inform that the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has decided to nominate H.E. Sheikh Mohammed Belal, presently Ambassador of Bangladesh to the Kingdom of the Netherlands for election as a member of the Board of Directors of the Trust Fund for Victims, at the elections to be held during the seventeenth session of the Assembly of States Parties in The Hague from 5 to 12 December 2018.

The Government of Bangladesh considers that H.E. Sheikh Mohammed Belal meets the requirements set out in paragraph 1 of the Resolution ICC-ASP/1/Res.7. Ambassador Sheikh Mohammed Belal is of high moral character, impartiality and integrity and has competence in the assistance of victims of serious crimes. He served as the Assembly of States Parties' The Hague Working Group Facilitator for Victims for the period 2015-2016; and as the HWG Facilitator, he played a committed role in advancing the issues of the victims of the serious crimes. A C.V. of Ambassador Sheikh Mohammed Belal is attached herewith.

The Embassy of the People's Republic of Bangladesh in The Hague avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute the assurances of its highest consideration.

Enclosure: As stated



The Hague, 11 September 2018

Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute
The Hague