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The Embassy of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Kingdom of the Netherlands presents its compliments to the International Criminal Court (ICC) and has the honour to submit information regarding Tanzania's national nomination and selection procedures for election of candidates aspiring to the position of Judge at ICC as outlined below:

- i. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and East African Cooperation and Ministry of Constitutional and Legal Affairs are responsible for identifying the qualifications required for the position of Judge, in accordance with Article 36 of the Rome statute establishing the Court.
- ii. The Judiciary carefully reviews the profiles of Candidates, particularly those serving in the High Court or Court of Appeal to ensure their qualifications align with the standards set by International Courts, thereby enabling them to serve effectively alongside their counterpart members from other States.
- iii. The names, profiles and justifications for the nomination of judges are submitted to the Ministry of Constitutional and Legal Affairs which then collaborates with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and East African Cooperation to propose a shortlist of three candidates for consideration.
- iv. Final selection process involves submitting the names and credentials of the proposed candidates to the relevant State Authority for the purpose of nominating one candidate whose name will be submitted to the Secretariat of the International Court.

The Embassy of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Kingdom of the Netherlands avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the International Criminal Court the assurances of its highest consideration.

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