

Resolution ICC-ASP/3/Res.8

Adopted at the 6th plenary meeting, on 10 September 2004, by consensus

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Intensifying dialogue between the Assembly of States Parties and the International Criminal Court

The Assembly of States Parties,

Recognizing the excellent work already undertaken by the Bureau,

Bearing in mind the need for an intensified dialogue with the Court as it moves into the next phase of its establishment and operations,

Requests the Bureau, pursuant to article 112, paragraph 3(c), of the Rome Statute, and while respecting prosecutorial and judicial independence and the special role of the Committee on Budget and Finance under resolution ICC-ASP/1/Res.4, between this date and the fourth session of the Assembly of States Parties:

- (a) In relation to the subject of intensification of dialogue between the Assembly of States Parties and the Court, to focus upon those priority issues which the Bureau considers most appropriate, including in particular the premises of the Court and the draft Regulations of the Trust Fund for Victims;
 - (b) To consider the issues referred to in subparagraph (a) above, including at meetings, and *authorizes*, where necessary, the Bureau to create such mechanisms as it considers appropriate in whichever location it views as most appropriate;
 - (c) To report back informally to the Assembly of States Parties in advance of its fourth session in relation to each priority issue;
 - (d) To report informally to the fourth session of the Assembly of States Parties on the possible establishment of subsidiary bodies under article 112, paragraph 4, of the Rome Statute.
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