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ALL MEDIA & TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

17 JULY 2026

Dear All,

RE: THE JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO CRIMINALITY, POLITICAL INTERFERENCE, AND CORRUPTION IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM ("THE COMMISSION")- APPLICATION BY EVIDENCE LEADERS FOR TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES SCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY 10 JULY 2026 TO BE PARTIALLY IN – CAMERA.

1. We confirm we act for and on behalf of the Commission of Inquiry.
2. We refer to the above matter and attach, for your attention, a Notice in terms of Rule 4 of the Rules Governing the Proceedings of the Commission, together with the Chairperson's Ruling and Order dated 17 July 2026..
3. As appears from the attached Rule 4 Notice, the legal team representing Mr Suliman Carrim has brought an application requesting that the argument of his postponement application, scheduled to be heard on Friday, 24 July 2026 at 11h30, be conducted in camera. The Commission has issued directions regulating the procedure to be followed in relation to that application.
4. The Rule 4 Notice records the nature of the relief sought by Mr Carrim and summarises the grounds upon which the application is based, including his reliance upon his constitutional rights to privacy and dignity arising from the anticipated disclosure of sensitive medical information and information relating to his family's safety and security.

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5. In accordance with the Chairperson's Order, and in the interests of affording interested media organisations an opportunity to be heard, any media organisation wishing to oppose the application is required to:
 - 5.1. notify the Commission and Mr Carrim of its intention to oppose the application by 17h00 on Monday, 20 July 2026; and
 - 5.2. serve and file its written submissions in support of such opposition by 13h00 on Tuesday, 21 July 2026.
6. As further directed by the Chairperson, and pending determination of the application, the application papers themselves will not be distributed to the media or members of the public. The attached Rule 4 Notice and Order are intended to provide sufficient notice of the relief sought and the basis upon which it is advanced, while preserving the confidentiality of the information that forms the subject matter of the application.
7. Should you require any procedural clarification concerning the filing of a notice of opposition or submissions, you are welcome to contact the undersigned.
8. We trust that the above is in order.

Yours faithfully



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