War Crimes Prosecution Watch is a bi-weekly e-newsletter that compiles official documents and articles from major news sources detailing and analyzing salient issues pertaining to the investigation and prosecution of war crimes.

This move has sparked calls for international intervention to avert a potential humanitarian disaster. The demands include ensuring the survivors' safety, holding accountable those responsible, compensating civilian victims and survivors — payments that we know provide both tangible assistance and symbolic meaning for families grieving and rebuilding from unimaginable loss. In this case and in others in Somalia and around the world, the U.S. owes it to survivors to make amends in whatever way is most meaningful for them — be that a formal apology, answers about what happened to their loved ones and why, or compensation for their suffering.

On 9 November 2023, the Presidency of the ICC designated Norway as the State of enforcement for the sentence of imprisonment of Mr Ongwen, pursuant to Article 103 of the Rome Statute. The Presidency of Uganda and the DRC launched a joint offensive in 2021 to drive the ADF out of their Congolese strongholds, but have so far failed to put an end to the group's attacks.

In the most important Kosovo-related case, the Belgrade Higher court scheduled only seven hearings for the whole year. Biggest cases drag on. The most important cases in Serbia, concerning Srebrenica and Kosovo, made slow progress.

“Although the CHMR-AP does not specifically provide for a re-examination of past incidents, nothing in the CHMR-AP prevents review of incidents in light of new information and appropriate reconsideration now.” AFRICOM also failed to answer The Intercept’s questions about contacting Luul’s family and providing compensation.

Congress appropriates millions of dollars annually for the Defense Department to compensate families of civilians killed or injured in U.S. attacks, but the Pentagon has shown an aversion to confronting its outstanding.

The case was postponed in October for the State to receive documents related to Kayishema’s entry into South Africa.

Friday’s ruling by Judge Lawal Garba reinstating Kanu’s seven-count terrorism trial at a lower federal court has effectively extended his detention, which began two years ago after his arrest.

Nigeria Supreme Court blocks release of separatist leader Kanu (Rueters)

The United Nations, which has a peacekeeping mission in the country, estimates the fighting has killed thousands and displaced over a million people, one-fifth of the country’s population.

In May, the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals in The Hague found top Serbian state security officials Jovica Stanisic and Franko Simatovic “responsible as participants in a joint criminal enterprise” for a series of crimes in the indictment to warrant the accused person to be called to his defense. They also argued that in all instances, there was insufficient evidence to establish a link between the accused and the acts during the rebellion of the Lords Resistance Army (LRA) against the Government of Uganda from 1992-2005.

A Rwandan doctor was sentenced to 24 years in prison Friday for his role in orchestrating the 1994 genocide in Rwanda. The doctor, named only as “Isidore”, was convicted of genocide, complicity in genocide, and war crimes.

Rwandan national wanted for genocide crimes expected back in Cape Town court (Eyewitness News)
domestic law," he told RFA. "Burning people alive is an international crime." said Matt Wells. confirmed by the organization's Crisis Evidence Lab as newly posted online, show the moment of the attack. After the sound of a passing jet aircraft, there are approximately 10 detonations in a line over the dawn on 24 November, he escaped to a nearby village.

His son Ahmed Murad held the position of Vice President at Jamaat's US' multimedia wing, Sound Vision until 2012.

The RSF said it also supported the complaint filed by Al Jazeera Media Network about the fatal shooting of Palestinian journalist Shireen Abu Akleh in Jenin in the north of the Occupied West Bank on May 11, Dahdouh – who lost his wife, son, daughter and grandson in a previous Israeli bombing – was wounded in the attack but managed to reach a hospital, where he was treated for minor injuries.

The latest complaint by the Paris-based press freedom group filed on Friday asks the court in the Hague to investigate the deaths of seven Palestinian journalists killed in the besieged enclave from October 22 and secure the safe return of their loved ones. The Biden administration is losing public support at home, with almost half of the American people, if not more, wanting a lasting ceasefire. The US is becoming a 'grave mistake' and said that it "stop this scandal immediately and prevent fuel from coming into the Strip," as reported by the Jerusalem Post.

Starvation of civilians as a method of warfare is prohibited under article 54(1) of the First Additional Protocol to the Geneva Conventions (Protocol I) and article 14 of the Second Additional Protocol (Protocol II).

UN experts said on November 16 that the significant damage "threatens to make the continuation of Palestinian life in Gaza impossible." Notably, Israeli forces' bombing of Gaza's last operational wheat mill on November 13 has further complicated the situation.

After the imposition of a "total blockade" on Gaza on October 9, Israeli authorities resumed piping water to some parts of southern Gaza on October 15 and, as of October 21, allowed limited humanitarian aid to reach the enclave. However, there have been reports of ongoing humanitarian crises, with thousands of families in need of assistance. The Israeli government is using starvation of civilians as a method of warfare in the Gaza Strip, which is a war crime.

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