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To Whom it May Concern,

I am pleased to offer my sincere support, as President of the International Criminal Court (ICC), to the “Justice Today for Peace Tomorrow” conference organized by the Kreisau-Initiative. This conference will mark the 10th anniversary of the Model International Criminal Court (MICC) by bringing together current and future lawyers and social scientists interested in the work of the ICC. I am certain that this enriching experience will provide an opportunity to strengthen a network of professionals that are working towards the common goal of strengthening global justice.

Please also allow me to congratulate the Kreisau-Initiative for their efforts to teach students and young professionals the importance of a common international judicial system. A strong belief in the value of a universal, transparent and independent criminal court is necessary to end impunity for the perpetrators of the most serious crimes of concern to the international community.

I fully support the efforts taken to organize this Conference and wish you all the best in your current and future endeavors.

With kind regards,

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