

ICC Case: The Prosecutor vs. Rodrigo Roa Duterte

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1. What decision did the ICC Pre-Trial Chamber I reach on April 23, 2026?

- A) Dismissed all charges
- B) Confirmed all charges of crimes against humanity**
- C) Granted immediate release
- D) Postponed the investigation

2. What is the specific timeframe for the alleged crimes committed in the Philippines?

- A) 1 January 2010 to 1 January 2020
- B) 1 November 2011 to 16 March 2019**
- C) 23 February 2026 to 27 February 2026
- D) 12 March 2025 to 23 April 2026

3. Which crimes is Mr. Duterte alleged to have committed?

- A) Tax evasion and fraud
- B) Murder and attempted murder**
- C) Theft and property damage
- D) Cybercrimes

4. Can the ICC decision to confirm charges be appealed automatically?

- A) Yes, by either party
- B) No, authorization is required**
- C) Only by the Prosecution
- D) Only by the Defence

5. Who is responsible for constituting the Trial Chamber for the next phase?

- A) The Assembly of States Parties
- B) The Pre-Trial Chamber I
- C) The ICC Presidency**
- D) The United Nations

6. How many victims have been authorized to participate in the proceedings?

- A) 539**
- B) 100
- C) 1,000
- D) 50

7. Where is Mr. Duterte currently being detained?

A) Manila, Philippines

B) The ICC Detention Centre in The Hague

C) A high-security prison in Davao

D) A military base in The Netherlands

8. What is the status of a suspect at the ICC before they are proven guilty?

A) Presumed guilty

B) Presumed innocent

C) Detained indefinitely

D) Denied legal counsel

9. Which of the following is a right granted to ICC suspects?

A) The right to choose their own judge

B) The right to remain silent

C) The right to avoid trial

D) The right to be tried in their home country

10. When did the investigation into the situation in the Philippines officially open?

A) 15 September 2021

B) 23 April 2026

C) 12 March 2025

D) 1 November 2011