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Evidence

Add the following sentence at the end of the paragraph:

"The Court shall respect and observe the obligations relating to the maintenance of confidentiality, showing due regard for national laws and customary practices such as the physician-patient, lawyer-client and confessor-penitent relationship, and shall respect and observe the confidentiality of private life."

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