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procedure and evidence relating to part 6 of the Statute, on
the trial**

Rule 6.30

Participation of victims in the proceedings

Rule [B]

Add a paragraph 5 reading as follows:

“In the case of victims of sexual violence, children or handicapped persons, special attention must be paid to the level of experience and knowledge of the legal representatives assigned by the Registry.”

Rule 6.31

Reparations to victims

Rule D. Assessment of reparations

In paragraph (a), insert the word **and** before the word **or**, so that the paragraph reads:

“(a) The Court may award reparations on an individualized and/or collective basis, taking into account the scope and extent of any damage, loss and injury.”

Rule E. Trust Fund

In paragraph (c), following the word **medical**, add the word **socio-psychological**, so that the paragraph reads:

“(c) The Court may, at any time before it has made a determination relating to reparations, order the Trust Fund to provide interim relief to victims, such as medical or socio-psychological attention or other humanitarian assistance.”
