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International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Former Yugoslavia since 1991 Case No. IT-96-23/2-PT

Date: 6 November 2006

Original: English

IN TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before:

Judge Alphons Orie, Pre-trial Judge

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

6 November 2006

PROSECUTOR

V.

DRAGAN ZELENOVIĆ

FURTHER SCHEDULING ORDER FOR STATUS CONFERENCE

The Office of the Prosecutor:

Ms. Hildegard Uertz-Retzlaff

Counsel for the Accused:

Mr. Zoran Jovanović

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I, JUDGE ALPHONS ORIE, Judge of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 ("Tribunal");

NOTING the "Scheduling Order for Status Conference" of 2 November 2006 scheduling a status conference to take place before me on 10 November 2006;

BEING SEIZED of the "Defence Motion for Postponement of the Status Conference Scheduled for 10 November 2006" ("Motion"), in which Counsel requests a postponement of the status conference scheduled for 10 November citing cogent reasons for his unavailability on that date;

NOTING that the Prosecution does not object to a postponement of the status conference;

NOTING that according to Rule 65bis of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("Rules"), a status conference shall be convened within one hundred and twenty days of the initial appearance of the accused to review the status of the case and to ensure expeditious preparation for trial;

NOTING that the further initial appearance of Dragan Zelenović was held on 13 and 14 July 2006 and that a status conference was therefore to be convened before 15 November 2006;

CONSIDERING that it is an obligation of the Defence to ensure its availability on the dates scheduled for hearings, status conferences and other court sessions at the Tribunal, but there may be cogent reasons rendering it impossible for the Defence to appear before the Tribunal on a scheduled date;

CONSIDERING that in the present instance, it is appropriate to postpone the status conference;

CONSIDERING FURTHER that it appears that the Defence consents to the next status conference not taking place within the timeframe of Rule 65bis of the Rules;

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PURSUANT to Rules 54, 65bis of the Rules

HEREBY SCHEDULE a status conference to take place on 23 November 2006 at 10:00 am in Courtroom II.

Done in English and French, the English text being the authoritative.

Done this sixth day of November 2006,

At The Hague,

The Netherlands

Judge Alphons Orie Pre-Trial Judge

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