

PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL

Before:
Judge Theodor Meron, President

Registrar:
Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:
1 April 2003

PROSECUTOR
v.
Vidoje BLAGOJEVIC
Dragan OBRENOVIC
Dragan JOKIC
Momir NIKOLIC

ORDER ASSIGNING JUDGES TO A CASE BEFORE A TRIAL CHAMBER

Counsel for the Prosecutor:

Mr. Peter McCloskey

Counsel for the Accused:

Mr. Michael G. Karnavas, Ms Suzana Tomanovic for Vidoje Blagojevic
Mr. David Wilson, Mr. Dusan Slijepcevic for Dragan Obrenovic
Mr. Miodrag Stojanovic, Ms Cynthia Sinatra for Dragan Jokic
Mr. Veselin Londrovic, Mr. Stephan Kirsch for Momir Nikolic

I, THEODOR MERON, President 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 ("International Tribunal"),

NOTING that, by Orders of the President dated 23 November 2001 and 2 April 2002, the Cases No. IT-01-43-PT, No. IT-01-44-PT, No. IT-98-33/1 and No. IT-02-56-PT were assigned to Trial Chamber II;

NOTING that, by Decision of Trial Chamber II dated 16 January 2002, the Cases No. IT-01-43-PT, No. IT-1-44-PT and No. IT-98-33/1 were joined and given the Case No. IT-02-53-PT;

NOTING that, by Decision of Trial Chamber II dated 17 May 2002, the Cases No. IT-02-53-PT and IT-02-56-PT were joined and given the Case No. IT-02-60-PT;

NOTING the letter of the Secretary General of the United Nations dated 21 January 2003 appointing Judge Argibay and Judge Vassylenko to serve in the International Tribunal for the trial of Case No. IT-

02-60-PT;

CONSIDERING that it is in the interest of justice that the Case No. IT-02-60-PT be reassigned to Trial Chamber I;

PURSUANT to Rules 19 (A) and 62 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence;

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS,

HEREBY ORDER that the Case No. IT-02-60-PT, currently assigned to Trial Chamber II, be reassigned to Trial Chamber I composed as follows:

Judge Liu (Presiding)

Judge Argibay

Judge Vassylenko

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

Dated this 1st of April 2003,
At The Hague,
The Netherlands.

Judge Theodor Meron
President

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