## UNITED NATIONS



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

Case No.:

IT-95-16-ES

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**English** 

## THE PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL

Before:

Judge Fausto Pocar, President

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

**Decision of:** 

15 July 2008

**PROSECUTOR** 

V.

DRAGO JOSIPOVIĆ

PUBLIC	

ORDER WITHDRAWING CONFIDENTIAL STATUS OF DECISION OF THE PRESIDENT ON THE APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE OF DRAGO JOSIPOVIĆ

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Ms. Jadranka Sloković

I, FAUSTO POCAR, 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 the "Decision of the President on the Application for Pardon or Commutation of

Sentence of Drago Josipović", issued on 30 January 2006, in which I granted Drago Josipović's

request for early release ("Decision");

CONSIDERING that Paragraph 6 of the Practice Direction on the Procedure for the Determination

of Applications for Pardon, Commutation of Sentence and Early Release of Persons Convicted by

the Tribunal ("Practice Direction")1 provides that the President may authorize disclosure of

otherwise confidential information collected pursuant to Paragraphs 2 through 5 of the Practice

Direction for the purpose of rendering a public decision;

HEREBY INSTRUCT the Registry of the International Tribunal to lift the confidential status of

the Decision, and ORDER that the Decision shall henceforth be considered a public filing.

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

Done this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 2008,

At The Hague, The Netherlands. Judge Fausto Pocar

President

[Seal of the International Tribunal]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> IT/146/Rev. 1, 15 August 2006.