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IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before:

Judge Liu Daqun, Presiding Judge Mehmet Güney Judge Fausto Pocar Judge Arlette Ramaroson Judge Bakhtiyar Tuzmukhamedov

Registrar:

Mr. John Hocking

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

NIKOLA ŠAINOVIĆ DRAGOLJUB OJDANIĆ NEBOJŠA PAVKOVIĆ VLADIMIR LAZAREVIĆ SRETEN LUKIĆ

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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF PROSECUTION'S APPEAL AGAINST THE JUDGEMENT OF TRIAL CHAMBER III DATED 26 FEBRUARY 2009 IN RELATION TO THE ACCUSED DRAGOLJUB OJDANIĆ

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1. The Prosecution takes note of Dragoljub Ojdanić's withdrawal of his appeal¹ against the Judgement of Trial Chamber III dated 26 February 2009.² In particular, the Prosecution notes Ojdanić's full acceptance of the findings in the Judgement as to his conduct, conviction and sentence, as well as his expression of regret for the suffering endured by the victims as a result of the conduct for which he has been convicted.³

2. The Prosecution also notes Ojdanić's current medical condition.⁴

3. Based on the above considerations, the Prosecution hereby withdraws its appeal against the Judgement insofar as it concerns the Accused Dragoljub Ojdanić.⁵

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Prosecutor v. Nikola Šainović et al., Case No.IT-05-87-A, Notice of Withdrawal of Dragoljub Ojdanić's Appeal against the Judgement of Trial Chamber III Dated 26 February 2009 (Public with Public and Confidential Annexes), 28 January 2013 ("Ojdanić Notice").

² Prosecutor v. Milan Milutinović et al., Case No.IT-05-87-T, Judgement, 26 February 2009 ("Judgement").

³ Ojdanić Notice, Annex A.

⁴ Ojdanić Notice, Confidential Annex B.

Prosecutor v. Nikola Šainović et al., Case No.IT-05-87-A, Prosecution Notice of Appeal, 27 May 2009, Ground 1 (in relation to Ojdanić), Ground 2 (in relation to Ojdanić), Ground 5 (in relation to Ojdanić) and Ground 6 (in relation to Ojdanić).

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