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Tribunal International 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-02-60/2-ES

Date:

30 January 2004

Original:

English

THE PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL

Before:

Judge Theodor Meron, President

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

30 January 2004

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

DRAGAN OBRENOVIĆ

ORDER DESIGNATING THE STATE IN WHICH DRAGAN OBRENOVIĆ IS TO SERVE HIS SENTENCE

CONFIDENTIAL

Counsel for the Prosecution:

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Ms. Anne Davis

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Mr. Dušan Slijepčević

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 the Sentencing Judgement in *The Prosecutor v. Dragan Obrenović*, No. IT-02-60/2-S, issued by Trial Chamber I on 10 December 2003, which sentenced Dragan Obrenović to seventeen (17) years' imprisonment;

PURSUANT TO Article 27 of the Statute of the International Tribunal, Rule 103(A) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("Rules"), and paragraphs 4 to 6 of the Practice Direction on the Procedure for the International Tribunal's Designation of the State in Which a Convicted Person Is to Serve His/Her Sentence of Imprisonment, Document No. IT-137, 9 July 1998 ("Practice Direction");

CONSIDERING the Registrar's confidential internal memorandum dated 19 January 2004, submitted in accordance with the terms of paragraph 3 of the Practice Direction, which enumerates the States where Dragan Obrenović may serve his sentence;

NOTING the Agreement between the International Tribunal and the Government of Norway on the Enforcement of Sentences of the International Tribunal, signed 24 April 1998;

CONSIDERING that the Government of Norway agrees in principle to enforce Dragan Obrenović's sentence in Norway;

HAVING CONSIDERED all the factors set out in the Practice Direction:

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS,

DECIDE that Dragan Obrenović shall serve his sentence in Norway;

DIRECT the Registrar to make a request to the Norwegian authorities to enforce Dragan Obrenović's sentence in Norway, and, should the Government of Norway agree to such request, to organize Dragan Obrenović's transfer to Norway;

ORDER, pursuant to Rule 103(C) of the Rules, that Dragan Obrenović shall remain in the custody of the International Tribunal until his transfer to Norway.

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

Dated this 30th day of January 2004, At The Hague,

The Netherlands.

Judge Theodor Meron

President

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