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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-04-74-T

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#### **IN TRIAL CHAMBER III**

**Before:** Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti

Judge Árpád Prandler Judge Stefan Trechsel

Reserve Judge Antoine Kesia-Mbe Mindua

Registrar: Mr Hans Holthuis

**Order of:** 21 June 2007

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

Jadranko PRLIĆ Bruno STOJIĆ Slobodan PRALJAK Milivoj PETKOVIĆ Valentin ĆORIĆ Berislav PUŠIĆ

#### ORDER TO ADMIT EVIDENCE REGARDING WITNESS ALIJA LIZDE

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Ms Senka Nožica and Mr Peter Murphy for Bruno Stojić

Mr Božidar Kovačić and Ms Nika Pinter for Slobodan Praljak

Ms Vesna Alaburić and Mr Nicholas Stewart for Milivoj Petković

Ms Dijana Tomašegović-Tomić and Mr Dražen Plavec for Valentin Ćorić

Mr Fahrudin Ibrišimović and Mr Roger Sahota for Berislav Pušić

Case No. IT-04-74-T 21 June 2007

**TRIAL CHAMBER III** ("Chamber") 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"),

**CONSIDERING** that the Office of the Prosecutor ("Prosecution") moved for the admission of seven documents <sup>1</sup> and that Counsel for the Accused Prlić ("Prlić Defence"), Counsel for the Accused Stojić ("Stojić Defence"), Counsel for the Accused Praljak ("Praljak Defence") and Counsel for the Accused Ćorić ("Ćorić Defence") moved for the admission of, respectively, 14, <sup>2</sup> 1, <sup>3</sup> 4<sup>4</sup> and 3<sup>5</sup> documents relating to the testimony of Alija Lizde, who appeared before the Chamber on 1 and 2 May 2007 ("Proposed Exhibits"),

**CONSIDERING** that the Chamber has heard the objections raised by the Prosecution with regard to the admission of two Proposed Exhibits tendered by the Prlić Defence and one Proposed Exhibit tendered by the Ćorić Defence<sup>6</sup>, as well as the response of the Ćorić Defence to these objections,<sup>7</sup>

**CONSIDERING** that the Chamber has examined each of the Proposed Exhibits based on the criteria for admissibility defined in its Decision on Admission of Evidence of 13 July 2006 ("Decision of 13 July 2006"), taking into account the objections raised by the Parties,

**CONSIDERING** that the Chamber hereby decides to admit into evidence the documents labelled "admitted" in the Annex attached to this decision because they were submitted to Witness Alija Lizde and have satisfactory indicia of relevance, probative value and reliability,

**CONSIDERING** that the Chamber hereby decides by a majority not to admit into evidence the documents labelled "not admitted" in the Annex attached to this decision because they are not in conformity with the instructions of the Decision of 13 July 2006,

#### FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS,

**PURSUANT TO** Rules 54 and 89 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence,

**GRANTS** the motions of the Prosecution and the Stojić Defence,

**PARTIALLY GRANTS** the motions of the Prlić Defence, the Praljak Defence and the Ćorić Defence.

**DECIDES** to admit into evidence the documents labelled "admitted" in the Annex attached to this decision, **AND** 

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**DISMISSES** the motions of the Prlić Defence, the Praljak Defence and the Ćorić Defence in all other respects.

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

<sup>2</sup> IC 00532.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> IC 00531.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> IC 00532.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> IC 00534.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> IC 00535.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> IC 00542.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> IC 00543.

/signed/

Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti Presiding Judge

Done this twenty-first day of June 2007 At The Hague The Netherlands

[Seal of the Tribunal]

# **Annex**

Proposed exhibit no.	Party proposing the admission of evidence	Admitted/ Not admitted/ Marked for identification (MFI)
P 05949	Prosecution	Admitted
P 06433	Prosecution	Admitted
P 08894	Prosecution	Admitted
P 09089	Prosecution	Admitted
P 09090	Prosecution	Admitted
P 09398	Prosecution	Admitted
IC 00529	Prosecution	Admitted
1D 01215	Prlić Defence	Not admitted (reason: witness unable to clarify to the Chamber its relevance, probative value and reliability)
1D 01414	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01415	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01416	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01417	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01418	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01419	Prlić Defence	Not admitted (reason: witness unable to clarify to the Chamber its relevance, probative value and reliability)
1D 01420	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01421	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01422	Prlić Defence	Admitted
1D 01423	Prlić Defence	Not admitted (reason: witness unable to clarify to the Chamber its relevance, probative value and reliability)
1D 01424	Prlić Defence	Not admitted (reason: witness unable to clarify to the Chamber its relevance, probative value and reliability)
1D 01425	Prlić Defence	Admitted
P 00486	Prlić Defence	Not admitted (reason: witness unable to clarify to the Chamber its relevance, probative value and reliability)
P 00629	Stojić Defence	Admitted
3D 00688	Praljak Defence	Admitted
3D 00899	Praljak Defence	Admitted
3D 00910	Praljak Defence	Not admitted (reason: the document was not presented to the witness)
IC 00530	Praljak Defence	Admitted
5D 02036	Ćorić Defence	Admitted

P 00489	Ćorić Defence	Not admitted (reason: witness
		unable to clarify to the Chamber
		its relevance, probative value
		and reliability)
5D 02040	Ćorić Defence	Not admitted (reason: the
		document was not presented to
		the witness)