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[New features on the ICTY website](#)

Two new features have been added to the ICTY website.

The first is an interactive map of the enforcement of sentences. The map displays all the countries that have signed an agreement on sentence enforcement with the Tribunal. The feature has a list of everyone whom the ICTY has convicted, and users can choose a convict to view the country where they are serving a sentence.

The second new feature is a compilation of statements and speeches given by the ICTY Principals.

[25 & 26 February](#)

[The beginning of the trial of Zdravko Tolimir is a milestone: the defendant was the last accused awaiting trial](#)

The trial of Zdravko Tolimir, a former high-ranking official in the Bosnian Serb Army (VRS), began on 26 February. The opening statement from the Prosecution was heard over two days. The Prosecution shall begin presenting their evidence on Thursday 11 March.

The Tolimir trial is the last to start at the Tribunal until the two fugitives (Goran Hadžić and Ratko Mladić) are either arrested or surrender.

Tolimir is charged with genocide, conspiracy to commit genocide, crimes against humanity and violations of the laws or customs of war committed between July and November 1995 against Bosnian Muslims in Srebrenica and Žepa (eastern Bosnia and Herzegovina). During this period, Tolimir was the Assistant Commander for Intelligence and Security of the Main Staff of the VRS. In this position, Zdravko Tolimir was one of seven Assistant Commanders who reported directly to Ratko Mladić, the Commander of the Main Staff of the VRS. Tolimir was allegedly involved in the murder of Bosnian Muslim prisoners temporarily held in various locations in the areas of Bratunac and Zvornik following the fall of the Srebrenica enclave. Among more than a dozen incidents of large-scale murder, the indictment alleges that Tolimir supervised the VRS detachment that summarily executed more than 1,700 Muslim men and boys at the Branjevo Military Farm and the Pilica Cultural Centre. The initial indictment against Tolimir was confirmed on 10 February 2005 and made public on 25 February 2005. He was arrested on 31 May 2007 and transferred into the custody of the Tribunal on 1 June 2007.

[1 & 2 March](#)

[Karadzic trial resumes and is adjourned once more](#)

Following the completion of Radovan Karadžić's opening statement, heard on 1 and 2 March, the Trial Chamber issued an oral decision adjourning the proceedings until further notice.

On 26 February, the Trial Chamber denied Karadžić's motion for postponement of trial. The accused filed an application for certification to appeal and for a stay of the proceedings. In its oral decision the Trial Chamber granted certification to appeal and said that it was "convinced that it is in the interest of justice for it to stay the effect of its decision on postponement until the Appeals Chamber resolves the matter." Therefore the "proceedings will be adjourned until further order following the Appeals Chamber's ruling."

[4 March](#)

[Prosecutor meets with EU President](#)

Serge Brammertz travelled to Brussels where he met with senior officials of the European Union, including the President of the European Council, Herman Van Rompuy (Belgium).

Frederick Swinnen, Special Adviser to the Prosecutor, said during the weekly press briefing that: "During the meeting, the Prosecutor will provide an update on the work of his Office, ongoing trials and appeals, the completion strategy and an update on cooperation of states. He will also underline the importance of the support of the EU to the OTP."

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 8 MARCH – 19 MARCH

MONDAY 8 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Đorđević**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Stanišić & Simatović**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Gotovina et al**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić**, Trial

TUESDAY 9 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Đorđević**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Stanišić & Simatović**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Prlić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Šešelj**, Trial

WEDNESDAY 10 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Perišić**, Trial
Courtroom II 14:15 – 19:00, **Đorđević**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Prlić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Šešelj**, Trial

THURSDAY 11 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Perišić**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Prlić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Tolimir**, Trial

FRIDAY 12 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Perišić**, Trial
Courtroom III 14:15 – 19:00, **Tolimir**, Trial

MONDAY 15 MARCH

Courtroom I 14:15 – 19:00, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Đorđević**, Trial
Courtroom III 14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić**, Trial

TUESDAY 16 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial
14:15 – 15:15, **Lukić & Lukić**, Status Conference
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Šešelj**, Trial

WEDNESDAY 17 MARCH

Courtroom I 14:15 – 19:00, **Đorđević**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Stanišić & Simatović**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Prlić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Šešelj**, Trial

THURSDAY 18 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial

Courtroom II 14:15 – 19:00, **Dorđević**, Trial
09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Stanišić & Simatović**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Tolimir**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić**, Trial

FRIDAY 19 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić & Župljanin**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Dorđević**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Tolimir**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Gotovina et al**, Trial

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PROCEEDINGS COMPLETED WITH REGARD TO 121 ACCUSED

Since the very first hearing (deferral request in the Tadić case) on 8 November 1994, the Tribunal has indicted a total of 161 individuals, and has already completed proceedings with regard to 121 of them: 11 have been acquitted, 61 sentenced (three are awaiting transfer, 27 have been transferred, 29 have served their term, and two died while serving their sentence), 13 have had their cases transferred to local courts. Another 36 cases have been terminated (either because indictments were withdrawn or because the accused died, before or after transfer to the Tribunal).

Proceedings are on-going with regard to 40 accused: 13 are at the appeals stage and 25 are currently on trial. Two fugitives are still at large.

A further 31 individuals have been or are the subject of contempt proceedings.

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