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PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS

I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS

MILUTINOVIĆ et al. Case

Trial Chamber III - Judges Bonomy (Presiding), Chowhan, Kamenova and Nosworthy (Reserve Judge)

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 2 March 2007, the following witness testified in closed session:

- *Witness K-14*

On 6 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution:

- *Jose Pablo Baraybar* (Head of the Office of Missing Persons and Forensics of UNMIK)

From 6 March until 7 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *Joseph Omer Michael Maisonneuve* (member of the OSCE Kosovo Verification Mission during the relevant period)

From 7 March until 8 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *Jan Kickert* (second secretary in the Austrian Embassy in Belgrade during the relevant period)

On 9 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution, subsequently cross-examined by the Defence and then re-examined by the Prosecution:

- *Božidar Protić* (driver in the Serbian Ministry of Interior during the relevant period)

POPOVIĆ et al. Case (“Srebrenica”)

Trial Chamber II - Judges Agius (Presiding), Kwon, Prost and Støle (Reserve Judge)

Continuation of the Prosecution case

From 5 March until 6 March 2007, the following witness was cross-examined by the Defence and subsequently re-examined by the Prosecution:

- *Stephanie Frease* (former member of the ICTY/Office of the Prosecutor)

On 6 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *PW-154*

On 7 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *PW-158*

On 8 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution, subsequently cross-examined by the Defence and then re-examined by the Prosecution:

- *PW-122*

On 9 March 2007, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *Pero Petrović* (president of a local community in the Zvornik municipality, BiH)
- *PW-160*

PRLIĆ et al. Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Antonetti (Presiding), Prandler, Trechsel and Mindua (Reserve Judge)

Continuation of the Prosecution case

From 5 March until 8 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution, subsequently cross-examined by the Defence and then re-examined by the Prosecution:

- *Marijan Biškić* (Croatian Army officer)

Dragomir MILOŠEVIĆ Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Robinson (Presiding), Mindua and Harhoff

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 5 March 2007, the following witness was cross-examined by the Defence and subsequently re-examined by the Prosecution:

- *Ekrem Suljević* (police member in Sarajevo during the relevant period)

From 5 March until 6 March and again on 8 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *Ismet Hadžić* (BiH Army officer in Sarajevo during the relevant period)

On 7 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *Rupert Smith* (UNPROFOR Commander in BiH during the relevant period)

On 8 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *Per Brennskag* (member of UN Military Observers -UNMO in Sarajevo during the relevant period)

HARADINAJ et al. Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Orić (Presiding), Höpfel and Støle

Commencement of the Prosecution case

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On 5 March 2007, the Prosecution made its opening statement followed by the opening statement by the Haradinaj Defence.

From 6 March until 7 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution, subsequently cross-examined by the Defence and then re-examined by the Prosecution:

- *Marijana Andelković* (member of a Belgrade-based NGO “Humanitarian Law Centre” during the relevant period)

From 8 March until 9 March 2007, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- *Witness 38*

II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS

MILUTINOVIĆ et al. Case

Trial Chamber III - Judges Bonomy (Presiding), Chowhan, Kamenova and Nosworthy (Reserve Judge)

ORDER ON CLOSE OF PROSECUTION CASE-IN-CHIEF, RULE *bis* PROCEEDINGS, AND DEFENCE RULE 65ter FILINGS

On 5 March 2007, pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the Statute and Rules 54, 65ter, 85(C), 94*bis* and 98*bis* of the Rules, the Trial Chamber ordered, *inter alia*, that:

- the Prosecution case shall close its case-in-chief on or before 23 March 2007;
- during the week of 26 March 2007, the Chamber shall hear oral submission pursuant to Rule 98*bis*;

ORDER TO VACATE WARRANT OF ARREST AND ORDER IN LIEU OF INDICTMENT

On 9 March 2007, pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the Statute and Rules 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 59*bis* and 77 of the Rules, the Trial Chamber vacated the warrant of arrest, order for surrender of Božidar Protić and order in lieu of indictment on contempt concerning Božidar Protić, issued on 22 February 2007 following his initial refusal to appear as a witness in this case.

PERIŠIĆ Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Robinson (Presiding), Thelin and Höpfel

DECISION ON SIXTH REQUEST FOR ALTERATION OF CONDITIONS OF PROVISIONAL RELEASE

On 6 March 2007, pursuant to Rules 54 and 65 of the Rules, the Trial Chamber granted a motion by the accused and ordered that he is permitted to visit his family in the place of Koštunići in Serbia on 15-30 March, 15-30 April and 15-30 May 2007.

GOTOVINA et al. Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Orić (Presiding), Moloto and Van den Wyngaert

DECISION ON FINDING OF MISCONDUCT OF ATTORNEY MIROSLAV ŠEPAROVIĆ

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On 6 March 2007, pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the Statute, Rule 46(A) of the Rules and Articles 9, 14, 26 and 38 of the Code, the Trial Chamber affirmed its finding in the decision on conflict of interest and determined that Miroslav Šeparović is no longer eligible to represent Mladen Markač in this case before the Tribunal and ordered the accused to immediately engage new counsel to represent him. The Trial Chamber ordered new counsel to inform them as soon as practical, and no later than 30 March 2007, on how much time he or she needs to fully take over the case.

HARADINAJ et al. Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Orić (Presiding), Höpfl and Støle

DECISION ON PROSECUTION'S URGENT MOTION TO REVOKE UNMIK'S DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO MONITOR RAMUSH HARADINAJ'S POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

On 7 March 2007, Trial Chamber I denied the Prosecution's motion requesting that the UNMIK's delegated authority to monitor and decide upon Ramush Haradinaj's political activities be revoked.

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 12 MARCH – 16 MARCH 2007*

MONDAY 12 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 15:30, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **D. Milošević**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Haradinaj et al.**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Popović et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al.**, Trial

TUESDAY 13 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 15:30, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial
16:00 – 19:00, **Šešelj**, Status Conference
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Haradinaj et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **D.Milošević**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Prlić et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Popović et al.**, Trial

WEDNESDAY 14 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Mrkšić et al.**, Closing arguments
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Haradinaj et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **D.Milošević**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Prlić et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Popović et al.**, Trial

THURSDAY 15 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Mrkšić et al.**, Closing arguments
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Haradinaj et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **D.Milošević**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Prlić et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Popović et al.**, Trial

FRIDAY 16 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Mrkšić et al.**, Closing arguments
Courtroom II 09:00 – 17:00, **D. Milošević**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Haradinaj et al.**, Trial

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