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-95-5/18-R77.3

Date:

7 May 2013

Original: English

IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER

Before:

Judge Melville Baird, Presiding Judge

Judge O-Gon Kwon **Judge Howard Morrison**

Judge Flavia Lattanzi, Reserve Judge

Registrar:

Mr. John Hocking

Order of:

7 May 2013

IN THE CONTEMPT CASE OF RADISLAV KRSTIĆ

PUBLIC

SCHEDULING ORDER FOR COMMENCEMENT OF TRIAL

Counsel for Mr. Krstić

Mr. Tomislav Višnjić

THIS TRIAL 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"),

NOTING that on 27 March 2013, Radislav Krstić (the "Accused") was charged with contempt of the Tribunal pursuant to Rule 77(A) of the Tribunal's Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("Rules") for having refused to testify in the case of *Prosecutor v Radovan Karadžić* ("*Karadžić* Case") on several occasions, including on 7 February 2013 and 25 March 2013, and therefore knowingly and wilfully interfering with the administration of justice by refusing to comply with the Chamber's subpoena and an addendum thereof;¹

NOTING the initial appearance of the Accused on 4 April 2013, during which the Accused maintained that he would not testify in the *Karadžić* Case, and pleaded not guilty to the contempt charge;²

CONSIDERING that Counsel for the Accused, Mr. Tomislav Višnjić, has indicated on 22 April 2013, via email to the Chamber that the Defence will be prepared for the trial to commence by 21 May 2013;

CONSIDERING that it is in the interests of justice that the trial of the Accused be held as soon as practicable;

PURSUANT TO Article 20 of the Statute of the Tribunal and Rules 54 and 73 bis of the Rules;

Order in Lieu of Indictment, 27 March 2013, para. 10, referring to Subpoena ad Testificandum, confidential, 23 October 2012 and Addendum to Subpoena ad Testificandum, issued on 23 October 2012, confidential, 7 November 2012.

² Hearing, T. 3, 5 (4 April 2013).

ORDERS that:

- (A) A pre-trial conference in the Accused's case shall be held on 28 May 2013 at 2:15 p.m. in Courtroom I;
- (B) The trial shall commence on 28 May 2013 immediately following the pre-trial conference;

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

Judge Melville Baird

Presiding

Dated this seventh day of May 2013 At The Hague The Netherlands

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