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UNITED **NATIONS**

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-04-84-A

Date:

25 August 2009

Original:

English

IN THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before:

Judge Patrick Robinson, Presiding

Judge Fausto Pocar Judge Liu Daqun Judge Andrésia Vaz Judge Theodor Meron

Registrar:

Mr. John Hocking

Order:

25 August 2009

PROSECUTOR

v.

RAMUSH HARADINAJ **IDRIZ BALAJ** LAHI BRAHIMAJ

PUBLIC

SCHEDULING ORDER FOR APPEAL HEARING

The Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr. Peter Kremer QC

Counsel for the Accused:

Mr. Ben Emmerson QC and Mr. Rodney Dixon for Ramush Haradinaj

Mr. Gregor Guy-Smith and Ms. Colleen Rohan for Idriz Balai

Mr. Richard Harvey and Mr. Paul Troop for Lahi Brahimaj

THE APPEALS 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 ("International Tribunal");

RECALLING that, during the last status conference on 11 March 2009, the Pre-Appeal Judge discussed with the parties the appropriate date for the oral arguments in these appellate proceedings;¹

NOTING that Rule 114 of the Rules provides that "[a]fter the expiry of the time-limits for filing the briefs provided for in Rules 111, 112 and 113, the Appeals Chamber shall set the date for the hearing and the Registrar shall notify the parties";

HEREBY ORDERS that the appeal hearing shall be held on Wednesday, 28 October 2009, subject to the following tentative arrangements:

09:00 a.m. – 09:10 a.m.	Introductory statement by the Presiding Judge (10 minutes)
09:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Submissions by the Prosecution (1 hour and 20 minutes)
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Pause (30 minutes)
11:00 a.m. – 11:55 p.m.	Response by Ramush Haradinaj (55 minutes)
11:55 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.	Response by Idriz Balaj (55 minutes)
12:50 p.m. – 13:50 p.m.	Lunch break (1 hour)
13:50 p.m. – 14:45 p.m.	Response by Lahi Brahimaj (55 minutes)
14:45 p.m. – 15:15 p.m.	Reply by the Prosecution (30 minutes)
15:15 p.m. – 15:30 p.m.	Pause (15 minutes)
15:30 p.m. – 16:50 p.m.	Submissions by Lahi Brahimaj (1 hour and 20 minutes)
16:50 p.m. – 17:20 p.m.	Pause (30 minutes)
17:20 p.m. – 18:15 p.m.	Response by the Prosecution (55 minutes)
18:15 p.m. – 18:45 p.m.	Reply by Lahi Brahimaj (30 minutes)
18:45 p.m. – 19:00 p.m.	Brief personal addresses by Ramush Haradinaj, Idriz Balaj, and
	Lahi Brahimaj (optional) (15 minutes)

INFORMS the parties that, although they remain free to use their allotted argument time as they see fit, they will be invited in due course to address questions from the bench during the hearing; and

¹ T. 13-15 (11 March 2009).

ORDERS that Ramush Haradinaj and Idriz Balaj shall inform the Appeals Chamber and the Registry in writing, by no later than 2 September 2009, if they will exercise their right to be present during the appeal hearing as provided for in Article 21(4)(d) of the Statute of the International Tribunal, so that appropriate arrangements can be made for their transfer to the seat of the International Tribunal.

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

Judge Patrick Robinson

Presiding

Dated this twenty-fifth day of August 2009 At The Hague The Netherlands

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