



20 August 2010

## ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 591

### PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS

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#### I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS

##### **KARADŽIĆ case**

*Trial Chamber III – Judges Kwon (Presiding), Morrison, Baird and Lattanzi (Reserve Judge)*

##### **Continuation of the Prosecution case**

On 17 and 18 August 2010, the following witness testified:

- **Richard Mole** (*UN Senior Military Observer in Sarajevo during the relevant period*)

On 18 and 19 August 2010, the following witness testified:

- **Richard Higgs** (*expert witness testifying about the use of mortars during the war in Sarajevo*)

On 20 August 2010, the following witness testified:

- **Tomasz Blaszczyk** (*ICTY/OTP investigator testifying about the authenticity of the “Mladić” notebooks*)

##### **STANIŠIĆ&ŽUPLJANIN case**

*Trial Chamber II – Judges Hall (Presiding), Delvoie and Harhoff*

##### **Continuation of the Prosecution case**

On 16 and 17 August 2010, the following witness testified:

- **Nusret Sivac** (*testifying about the events in the area of Prijedor during the relevant period*)

On 17 and 18 August 2010, the following witness testified:

- **Biljana Simeunović** (*investigative judge in Bijeljina during the relevant period*)

On 19 and 20 August 2010, the following witness testified:

- **Sulejman Tihić** (*President of the SDA party in Bosanski Šamac during the relevant period*)

## **TOLIMIR case**

*Trial Chamber II – Judges Flügge (Presiding), Mindua and Nyambe*

### **Continuation of the Prosecution case**

From 17 until 19 August 2010, the following witness testified (*continuation from 13 July 2010*):

- *Cornelis Nicolai (UNPROFOR Chief of Staff during the relevant period)*

On 20 August 2010, the following witness testified:

- *Witness PW-049 (BiH intercept operator during the relevant period)*

## **II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS**

### **KRAJIŠNIK case**

*Judge Robinson – President of the ICTY*

#### **DECISION OF PRESIDENT ON EARLY RELEASE OF MOMČILO KRAJIŠNIK**

On 26 July 2010, Judge Robinson denied Krajišnik's motion for early release.

### **GOTOVINA *et al.* case**

*Trial Chamber I – Judges Orić (Presiding), Ćirić and Gwaunza*

#### **DECISION ON PROSECUTION'S APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER PURSUANT TO RULE 54*bis* DIRECTING THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA TO PRODUCE DOCUMENTS OR INFORMATION**

On 26 July 2010, the Chamber denied the Prosecution's motion for an order to Croatia under Rule 54 of the Rules to produce artillery documents.

### **Vojislav ŠEŠELJ case**

*Trial Chamber III – Judges Antonetti (Presiding), Harhoff and Lattanzi*

#### **REDACTED VERSION OF THE “DECISION IN RECONSIDERATION OF THE DECISION OF 15 MAY 2007 ON VOJISLAV ŠEŠELJ'S MOTION FOR CONTEMPT AGAINST CARLA DEL PONTE, HILDEGARD UERTZ-RETZLAFF AND DANIEL SAXON**

On 27 July 2010, Trial Chamber III ordered the Registrar to appoint an *amicus curiae*, who will investigate possible intimidation or pressure, albeit indirect, exerted by certain

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investigators for the Prosecution in this case and investigate techniques used by these investigators to obtain preliminary written statements from witnesses. The *amicus curiae* is ordered to inform the Chamber whether adequate grounds exist for initiating contempt proceedings against members of the Prosecution and, should that be the case, to identify those persons by name.

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### **LUKIĆ&LUKIĆ case**

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*Appeals Chamber – Judges Güney (Presiding), Pocar, Daqun, Meron and Agius*

### **ORDER RESCHEDULING APPEAL HEARING**

On 6 August 2010, the Appeals Chamber ordered that the appeal hearing, initially scheduled for 21 September 2010, be postponed to a date to be specified.

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### **ŠAINOVIĆ *et al.* case**

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*Duty Judge Meron*

### **DECISION ON DRAGOLJUB OJDANIĆ'S MOTION FOR TEMPORARY PROVISIONAL RELEASE ON COMPASSIONATE GROUNDS**

On 9 August 2010, Judge Meron granted the motion by Dragoljub Ojdanić for provisional release on compassionate grounds and ordered that his release would commence on 19 August 2010 (or as soon thereafter as practicable) and would last for not more than five days from the release date.

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### **KARADŽIĆ case**

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*Trial Chamber III – Judges Kwon (Presiding), Morrison, Baird and Lattanzi (Reserve Judge)*

### **DECISION ON ACCUSED'S MOTION FOR SUSPENSION OF PROCEEDINGS**

On 18 August 2010, the Trial Chamber granted Karadžić's motion in part and ordered that after the completion of the testimonies of Richard Higgs and Tomasz Blaszczyk the trial would be suspended for two weeks.

*Karadžić asked for the suspension in order to allow him and his Defence team to review the disclosed cassettes and CDs seized during the last search of Ratko Mladić's house in Belgrade.*

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## **COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 23 AUGUST – 27 AUGUST 2010\***

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### **MONDAY 23 AUGUST**

Courtroom I	09:00 – 13:45, <b>Stanišić&amp;Župljanin</b> , Trial
	14:15 – 19:00, <b>Karadžić</b> , Trial
Courtroom III	14:15 – 19:00, <b>Tolimir</b> , Trial

**TUESDAY 24 AUGUST**

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

**WEDNESDAY 25 AUGUST**

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

**THURSDAY 26 AUGUST**

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

**FRIDAY 27 AUGUST**

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić&Župljanin**, Trial  
14:15 – 19:00, **Karadžić**, Trial  
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Stanišić&Simatović**, Trial

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