



15 November 2002

## ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 243

### PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS:

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#### I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS:

##### **MILOŠEVIĆ Case (“Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina”)**

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*Trial Chamber III – Judges May (Presiding), Robinson and Kwon*

7<sup>th</sup> week of the Prosecution case.

On 11 November 2002, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Accused and one of the *amici curiae*:

- Witness Mustafa Čandić

On 12 November 2002, the trial was adjourned due to the health of the Accused. On 13 November, the hearing was adjourned for the remainder of the week.

##### **BRĐANIN Case (“Krajina”)**

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*Trial Chamber II Section A – Judges Agius (Presiding), Janů and Taya*

22<sup>nd</sup> week of the Prosecution case.

On 11 November 2002, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Witness Idriz Merdžanić

The court then adjourned until 20 November 2002.

##### **GALIĆ Case (“Sarajevo”)**

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*Trial Chamber I Section B – Judges Orić (Presiding), El Mahdi and Nieto-Navia*

6<sup>th</sup> week of the Defence case.

From 11 November to 14 November 2002, the following witnesses were examined by the Defence and subsequently cross-examined by the Prosecution:

- Protected witness DP21
- Protected witness DP20
- Witness Velimir Radojević (via video link)

##### **MRKŠIĆ Case (“Vukovar”)**

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*Pre-Trial Judge Agius*

On 11 November 2002, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

##### **SIMIĆ *et al.* Case (“Bosanski Šamac”)**

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*Trial Chamber II Section B – Judges Mumba (Presiding), Williams and Lindholm*

First week of the Defence case.

From 11 November to 15 November 2002, the following witnesses were examined by the Defence and subsequently cross-examined by the Prosecution:

- Expert witness Professor Nenad Kecmanović
- Expert witness Professor Pavle Nikolić
- Witness Blagoje Simić (one of the Accused)

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**KRAJIŠNIK and PLAVŠIĆ Case (“Bosnia and Herzegovina”)**

*Trial Chamber III – Judges May (Presiding), Robinson and Kwon*

On 14 November 2002, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

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**HADŽIHASANOVIĆ *et al.* Case (“Central Bosnia”)**

*Pre-Trial Judge Mumba*

On 15 November 2002, the parties were scheduled to appear before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

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

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**MLADIĆ Case (“Bosnia and Herzegovina”)**

*Confirming Judge Orić*

**ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO FILE AN AMENDED INDICTMENT AND CONFIRMING THE AMENDED INDICTMENT**

On 8 November 2002, the Confirming Judge granted the Prosecution’s request and confirmed the Amended Indictment. The Prosecution filed its Request for leave to file an Amended Indictment on 11 October 2002 (see *Press Release No.711*).

**WARRANT OF ARREST  
ORDER FOR SURRENDER**

On 8 November 2002, the Confirming Judge directed and authorised the Republika Srpska, the authorities of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, in particular the authorities of the Republic of Serbia, and the Prosecutor, to search, arrest and surrender to the International Tribunal Ratko Mladić.

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**HADŽIHASANOVIĆ *et al.* Case (“Central Bosnia”)**

*Trial Chamber II – Judges Schomburg (Presiding), Mumba and Agius*

**DECISION ON JOINT CHALLENGE TO JURISDICTION**

On 12 November 2002, the Trial Chamber dismissed the Joint Challenge to Jurisdiction Arising from the Amended Indictment, filed by the Defence on 21 February 2002.

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**MILOŠEVIĆ Case (“Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina”)**

*Trial Chamber III – Judges May (Presiding), Robinson and Kwon*

**ORDER TO THE REGISTRAR TO OBTAIN MEDICAL REPORTS ON THE CONDITION OF THE ACCUSED**

On 13 November 2002, the Trial Chamber ordered the Registrar to obtain and provide within seven days, a written medical report from the cardiologist, Dr. Paul van Dijkman, and a written psychiatric report within 14 days.

**ORDER ON PROSECUTION’S MOTION TO ADMIT DOCUMENTS RELATING TO HELENA RANTA**

On 13 November 2002, the Trial Chamber denied the Prosecution’s Motion and ordered, *inter alia*, that Helena Ranta be summoned by the Trial Chamber to testify at a date to be notified. The Prosecution filed its “Motion to Admit Documents Relating to Helena Ranta”, a forensic scientist, on 15 October 2002.

**BLAŠKIĆ Case (“Lašva Valley”)**

*Appeals Chamber – Judges Pocar (Presiding), Hunt, Güney, Gunawardana and Meron*

**SCHEDULING ORDER**

On 14 November 2002, the Appeals Chamber ordered the following:

- 1) The Appeals Hearing shall commence at 2:30 p.m. in Courtroom I on Thursday, 21 November 2002.
- 2) The Prosecution is granted 75 minutes for its submissions.
- 3) The Appellant is granted 75 minutes for his submissions
- 4) The Prosecution is granted 30 minutes to reply.
- 5) The Appellant is granted 30 minutes to reply.

**COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 18 NOVEMBER 22 NOVEMBER\***

**MONDAY 18 NOVEMBER**

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial  
 Courtroom II 09:00 - 10:30, **Stakić**, Pre-Defence Conference  
 11:00 - 13:45, **Stakić**, Start of Defence Case  
 Courtroom III 09:30 - 13:00, **Simić et al.**, Trial  
 14:30 - 16:30, **Simić et al.**, Trial

**TUESDAY 19 NOVEMBER**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial  
 Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Stakić**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Galić**, Trial  
 Courtroom III 09:30 - 13:00, **Simić et al.**, Trial  
 14:30 - 16:30, **Simić et al.**, Trial

**WEDNESDAY 20 NOVEMBER**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial  
 14:30 - 15:30, **Mrđa**, Status Conference  
 Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Stakić**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Galić**, Trial  
 Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Simić et al.**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Brđanin**, Trial

**THURSDAY 21 NOVEMBER**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Blaškić**, Appeals Hearing  
 Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Stakić**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Galić**, Trial  
 Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Simić et al.**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Brđanin**, Trial

**FRIDAY 22 NOVEMBER**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Brđanin**, Trial  
 Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Stakić**, Trial  
 14:15 - 19:00, **Galić**, Trial

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<http://www.un.org/icty/latest/> (in English) (Please click on Hearing Schedule);  
<http://www.un.org/icty/bhs/week-b.htm> (na bosanskom/hrvatskom/srpskom).

**PRESS RELEASES ISSUED SINCE 5 NOVEMBER**

DATE	NUMBER	TITLE	E	F	B/C/S
12/11/2002	711	AMENDED INDICTMENT AGAINST RATKO MLADIĆ	E		B/C/S

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