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PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS

I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS

POPOVIĆ et al. Case

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

Continuation of the Defence case (Vinko Pandurević)

On 2 and 3 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- *Vinko Pandurević (one of the accused)*

GOTOVINA et al. Case

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

Completion of the Prosecution case

On 2 and 3 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- *Dušan Sinobad (testifying about the events in the area of Benkovac during the relevant period)*

This was the last witness in the Prosecution case. On 4 and 5 March 2009, the parties discussed evidentiary matters. On 5 March 2009, the Prosecution case materially concluded. The Rule 98bis submissions are tentatively scheduled to commence on 19 March 2009.

Vojislav ŠEŠELJ Case

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

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 4 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- *Alija Gušalić (testifying about the events in the area of Bijeljina during the relevant period)*

The trial is adjourned until further notice.

PRLIĆ et al. Case

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

Continuation of the Defence case (Bruno Stojić)

On 2 and 3 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- ***Witness 2D-AB*** (*doctor in the area of Herzegovina during the relevant period*)

On 4 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- ***Dragan Pinjuh*** (*HVO officer in Sarajevo, then "Herceg-Bosna" MUP member in Mostar during the relevant period*)

PERIŠIĆ Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Moloto (Presiding), David and Picard

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 2 and 3 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- ***Milan Gunj*** (*administrator of a military facility in Serbia allegedly visited by General Ratko Mladić in the period 1997-1999*)

On 3 and 4 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- ***Mladen Mihajlović*** (*Chief of the Engineering Administration of the Yugoslav Army during the relevant period*)

On 4 and 5 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- ***Milan Mandilović*** (*doctor in the Sarajevo State hospital during the relevant period*)

On 5 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- ***Nedžad Vejzagić*** (*Head of the Forensic department of the BiH Ministry of Interior during the relevant period*)

DORĐEVIĆ Case

Trial Chamber II – Judges Parker (Presiding), Flügge and Baird

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 2 and 3 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- ***Časlav Golubović*** (*Police Chief in the area of Bor, Serbia, during the relevant period*)

On 3 and 4 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- **Boško Radojković** (*Police officer/crime technician in the Kladovo police station during the relevant period*)

On 5 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- **Witness K-88** (*member of the Serbian Special Anti-terrorist Police Unit (SAJ)/logistic support*)

LUKIĆ&LUKIĆ Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Robinson (Presiding), Van den Wyngaert and David

Continuation of the Defence case (Milan Lukić)

On 3 and 4 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- **Witness MLD-23** (*reserve police officer, then member of the Republika Srpska Army in the area of Višegrad during the relevant period*)

On 4 and 5 March 2009, the following witness testified:

- **Witness MLD-24** (*member of the Republika Srpska Army in the area of Višegrad during the relevant period*)

On 5 and 6 March 2009, the following witness testified (*closed session*):

- **Witness MLD-25**

KARADŽIĆ Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Bonomy (Presiding), Flügge and Picard

Further appearance

On 3 March 2009, the parties met before the Trial Chamber for the further appearance of Radovan Karadžić. The accused chose not to enter a plea, after which Judge Bonomy entered a plea of not guilty on behalf of the accused.

Vojislav ŠEŠELJ Case (“Contempt”)

Judge Parker

Initial appearance

On 6 March 2009, the parties met before Judge Parker for the initial appearance of the accused Šešelj. The accused pleaded not guilty to the contempt charges against him.

II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS

GOTOVINA et al. Case

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DECISION ON MOTION FOR PROVISIONAL RELEASE OF IVAN ČERMAK

On 27 February 2009, Trial Chamber I denied a motion for provisional release of Ivan Čermak.

KARADŽIĆ Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Bonomy (Presiding), Flügel and Picard

ORDER PURSUANT TO RULES 54 AND 70

On 5 March 2009, Trial Chamber III granted a motion by the accused and ordered that the provisions of Rule 70 of the Rules of Procedures and Evidence shall apply to any information provided by the Government of the United States to the accused and his legal associates in response to their request to interview a US Government official and to be provided with certain materials concerning the alleged meetings held on 18-19 July 1996 between Richard Holbrooke, Slobodan Milošević and others.

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 9 MARCH – 13 MARCH 2009*

MONDAY 9 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Popović et al**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al**, Trial

TUESDAY 10 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial
14:15 – 19:10, **Lukić & Lukić**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Popović et al**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al**, Trial

WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
14:15 – 16:00, **Stanišić & Simatović**, Status Conference
16:30 – 17:00, **D. Milošević**, Status Conference
17:30 – 18:00, **Haradinaj et al.**, Status Conference
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial
14:15 – 19:10, **Lukić & Lukić**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Popović et al.**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al.**, Trial

THURSDAY 12 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Perišić**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Đorđević**, Trial
Courtroom II 08:30 – 13:15, **Šešelj**, Trial
14:15 – 19:10, **Lukić & Lukić**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Popović et al**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al.**, Trial

FRIDAY 13 MARCH

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Dorđević**, Trial

Courtroom II 08:50 – 13:45, **Lukić& Lukić**, Trial

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