



19 March 2004

## ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 306

### PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS:

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#### I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS:

##### **HADŽIHASANOVIĆ and KUBURA Case (“Central Bosnia”)**

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*Trial Chamber II - Judges Antonetti (Presiding), Rasoazanany and Swart*

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

From 15 until 19 March 2004, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Protected Witness ZK
- Protected Witness ZL (via video-link)
- Witness Jozo Marković (via video-link)
- Witness Ivo Vuleta (via video-link)
- Witness Ivo Kolenda
- Witness Tomislav Mikulić
- Witness Mirko Ivkić
- Witness Ivan Bohutinski
- Protected Witness ZM

##### **Vladimir KOVAČEVIĆ Case (“Dubrovnik”)**

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*Trial Chamber I - Judges Orić (Presiding), El Mahdi and Martín Canivell*

On 15 March 2004, the parties appeared before the Trial Chamber for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence. Matters concerning the ill-health of the Accused were discussed.

##### **Miodrag JOKIĆ Case (“Dubrovnik”)**

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*Trial Chamber I - Judges Orić (Presiding), El Mahdi and Martín Canivell*

#### **SENTENCING JUDGEMENT**

On 18 March 2004, the parties appeared before the Trial Chamber for the pronouncement of the Sentencing Judgement in the Miodrag Jokić case. Miodrag Jokić pleaded guilty to all six counts of violations of the laws or customs of war in the Second Amended Indictment on 27 August 2003 (see *Press Release* No. 776). The Trial Chamber sentenced Miodrag Jokić to seven years' imprisonment (see *Press Release* No. 832). The Office of the Prosecutor had recommended that the Trial Chamber impose a sentence of 10 years, while the Defence had recommended a sentence of less than two years' imprisonment.

##### **STANKOVIĆ Case (“Foča”)**

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*Pre-Trial Judge El Mahdi*

On 19 March 2004, the parties appeared 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:

### **HADŽIHASANOVIC and KUBURA Case (“Central Bosnia”)**

*Duty Judge Kwon*

#### **DECISION PURSUANT TO RULE 65 GRANTING AMIR KUBURA AUTHORIZATION TO ATTEND HIS MOTHER’S FUNERAL**

On 12 March 2004, the Duty Judge granted Amir Kubura a provisional release from 13 until 15 March 2004 in order to attend the funeral of his mother.

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

*Judge Meron – the President of the Tribunal*

#### **SCHEDULING ORDER**

On 18 March 2004, the President of the Tribunal issued a Scheduling Order, pursuant to Rule 15 *bis* (C) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, ordering that a hearing be convened on 25 March 2004 at 10 a.m. to ascertain whether the Accused gives his consent to a continuation of the proceedings with a substitute Judge.

### **BRĐANIN Case (“Krajina”)**

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

#### **CONCERNING ALLEGATIONS AGAINST MILKA MAGLOV DECISION ON MOTION FOR ACQUITTAL PURSUANT TO RULE 98 *BIS***

On 19 March 2004, the Trial Chamber granted the confidential Rule 98 *bis* Motion in part with respect to Count 3 of the allegations regarding the disclosure of the whereabouts of the Witness to a member of the public in violation of an order of a Chamber. The Trial Chamber declared that with regards to this specific part of the Charge, there was no case to answer on the part of the Respondent.

## **COURTROOM SCHEDULE: \*22 MARCH to 26 MARCH 2004**

### **MONDAY 22 MARCH**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Strugar**, Trial  
Courtroom II 14:15 - 19:00, **Hadžihasanović and Kubura**, Trial

### **TUESDAY 23 MARCH**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Strugar**, Trial  
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Hadžihasanović and Kubura**, Trial  
15:00 - 16:00, **Orić**, Status Conference  
Courtroom III 09:00 - 12:30, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing  
14:00 - 19:00, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing

### **WEDNESDAY 24 MARCH**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Strugar**, Trial  
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Hadžihasanović and Kubura**, Trial  
Courtroom III 09:00 - 12:30, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing  
14:00 - 19:00, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing

### **THURSDAY 25 MARCH**

Courtroom I 10:00 - 11:30, **Milošević**, Hearing before the President  
14:15 - 19:00, **Strugar**, Trial  
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Hadžihasanović and Kubura**, Trial  
Courtroom III 09:00 - 12:30, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing  
14:00 - 19:00, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing

### **FRIDAY 26 MARCH**

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Strugar**, Trial  
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Hadžihasanović and Kubura**, Trial  
Courtroom III 09:00 - 12:30, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing  
14:00 - 19:00, **Kvočka, Prcać, Radić and Žigić**, Appeals Hearing

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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 11 MARCH 2004

DATE	NUMBER	TITLE	E	F	B/C/S
18/03/2004	832	JUDGEMENT IN THE CASE THE PROSECUTOR V. MIODRAG JOKIĆ, MIODRAG JOKIĆ SENTENCED TO 7 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT	E	F	B/C/S

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