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ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 275

PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS:

I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS:

MILOŠEVIĆ Case (“Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina”)

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

34th week of the Prosecution case.

From 7 until 11 July 2003, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Accused and one of the *Amici Curiae*:

- Expert Witness Andras Riedlmayer
- Witness Ambassador Edhem Pašić
- Witness Zoran Lilić
- Rule 92 *bis* Witness Safet Avdić
- Rule 92 *bis* Witness Juso Taranin (not questioned by the Prosecution and the *Amici Curiae*)
- Rule 92 *bis* Protected Witness B-1120
- Rule 92 *bis* Protected Witness C-1171

BRĐANIN Case (“Krajina”)

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

42nd week of the Prosecution case.

From 7 until 11 July 2003, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Protected Witness BT-105
- Witness Ewan Brown (cross-examination will take place at a later date)

HALILOVIĆ Case (“Grabovica-Uzdol”)

Trial Chamber III – Senior Legal Officer

From 8 until 10 July 2003, the Prosecution and Defence Counsel appeared before the Senior Legal Officer of the Trial Chamber for a Deposition hearing pursuant to Rule 71 of Rules of Procedure and Evidence. The following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Witness Vehbija Karić (via video link)

BLAGOJEVIĆ and JOKIĆ Case (“Srebrenica”)

Trial Chamber I, Section A – Judges Liu (Presiding), Vassylenko and Argibay

2nd week of the Prosecution case.

From 7 until 11 July 2003, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Witness Nesib Mandžić
- Witness Pieter Boering
- Witness Paul Groenewegen

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MEJAKIĆ Case (“Omarska and Keraterm Camps”)

Judge Kwon

Following his transfer to the Tribunal on 4 July, Željko Mejkajić’s initial appearance took place on 7 July 2003. He pleaded “not guilty” to all counts of the Indictment.

STANKOVIĆ Case (“Foča”)

Pre-Trial Judge El Mahdi

On 8 July 2003, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

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

Pre-Trial Judge Mumba

On 9 July 2003, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

ŠLJIVANČANIN Case (“Vukovar Hospital”)

Judge Agius

Following his transfer to the Tribunal on 1 July and his initial appearance on 3 July (see *Weekly Update* No. 274), Veselin Šljivančanin’s new initial appearance took place on 10 July 2003. He pleaded “not guilty” to all counts of the Indictment.

II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS:

MILUTINOVIĆ *et al.* Case (“Kosovo”)

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

DECISION ON MOTION FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDS

On 8 July 2003, the Trial Chamber denied a confidential and *ex parte* Motion by the Defence of Dragoljub Ojdanić, filed on 15 April 2003, seeking an order directing the Registrar to allocate additional funds for pre-trial preparation.

MRDA Case (“Vlašić Mountain”)

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

SCHEDULING ORDER

On 8 July 2003, the Trial Chamber ordered that the Pre-Trial Conference shall be held on 28 July 2003 at 9 a.m. and that the trial shall commence on **29 July 2003** at 9 a.m. in Courtroom III.

MUCIĆ Case (“Čelebići”)

President of the Tribunal – Judge Meron

ORDER OF THE PRESIDENT IN RESPONSE TO ZDRAVKO MUCIĆ’S REQUEST FOR EARLY RELEASE

On 9 July 2003, the President of the Tribunal granted Zdravko Mucić’s request for early release which he filed on 8 April 2003. Zdravko Mucić’s release will be effective 18 July 2003 (see *Press Release* No. 768).

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: *14 JULY to 18 JULY 2003

MONDAY 14 JULY

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Brđanin, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, Blagojević *et al.*, Trial

TUESDAY 15 JULY

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial
15:00, **Halilović**, Pre-Trial Conference
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Brđanin**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Blagojević et al.**, Trial

WEDNESDAY 16 JULY

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, **Brđanin**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Blagojević et al.**, Trial

THURSDAY 17 JULY

PLENARY SESSION

FRIDAY 18 JULY

PLENARY SESSION

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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 2 JULY 2003

DATE	NUMBER	TITLE	E	F	B/C/S
04/07/2003	767	ŽELJKO MEAKIĆ TRANSFERRED TO THE ICTY DETENTION UNIT	E		
09/07/2003	768	ZDRAVKO MUCIĆ GRANTED EARLY RELEASE	E		
10/07/2003	769	HAZIM DELIĆ AND ESAD LANDŽO TRANSFERRED TO FINLAND TO SERVE THEIR PRISON SENTENCES	E		

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