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International pour
l'ex-Yugoslavie

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

CHAMBERS

JUDGE GÜNEY

Judge Mehmet GÜNEY

(Member of the Tribunal since 11 July 2001)

Turkey

Born: 3 May, 1936, Siirt, Turkey

Education:

1954 Pertevniyal Lyceum, Istanbul, Turkey

Faculty of Political Science, Ankara University, Faculty of Law, Ankara University, Diploma from the Institute of Public Administration for Turkey and the Middle East, Diploma from the European University Centre of Nancy, France, in Law and Economic Sciences

Professional Experience:

- 1959 - 1964 Administrative Assistant in the Office of the Governor of Ankara, Turkey
Since 1965 Barrister, member of the Ankara Bar Association
1964 - 1989 Ministry of Foreign Affairs where he rose through the ranks from Senior Legal Counsellor to Chief Legal Adviser in the Ministry
1984 - 1989 Judge at the European Nuclear Energy Tribunal in Paris, France
1989 - 1993 Ambassador of Turkey to Cuba
1993 - 1995 Ambassador of Turkey to Singapore
1998 - 1999 Ambassador of Turkey to Indonesia
1992 - 1997 Elected by the United Nations General Assembly as a member to the International Law Commission (ILC) for a mandate of five years
1999 - 2001 Judge at the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda

Other Professional Activities:

- Since 1993 Arbitrator on International Panel of Accredited Arbitrators for the Singapore International Arbitration Centre
Member of the ILC working group, which established the initial 'Draft Statute for an International Criminal Court'
Headed the Turkish delegation to the United Nations Diplomatic Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the establishment of the International Criminal Court

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