



20 June 2003

ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 272

PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS:

I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS:

MILOŠEVIĆ Case (“Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina”)

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

31st week of the Prosecution case.

From 15 until 19 June 2003, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Accused and one of the *Amici Curiae*:

- Expert Witness Dr. Budimir Babović
- Protected Witness B-1047
- Witness Zoran Lilić (counsel for the witness and two representatives of the government of Serbia and Montenegro participated in the hearing. The witness has yet to be questioned by an *Amicus Curiae*.)

*Judge Kwon was away on Tribunal business and the hearings continued pursuant to Rule 15 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

BRĐANIN Case (“Krajina”)

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

39th week of the Prosecution case.

From 15 until 20 June 2003, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Witness Vahid Mujkanović
- Protected Witness BT-71
- Protected Witness BT-69
- Witness Rasim Čirkić
- Protected Witness BT-97

On 19 June 2003, the Trial Chamber adjourned the proceedings for the remainder of the day due to United States domestic regulations which appeared to prohibit the American Defence Counsel from representing Radoslav Brdanin.

II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS:

ORIĆ Case

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

SCHEDULING ORDER

On 12 June 2003, the Trial Chamber scheduled a hearing on Naser Orić’s provisional release application for 1 July 2003 at 3 p.m.

MRKŠIĆ and RADIĆ Case (“Vukovar Hospital”)

Pre-Trial Judge Agius

ORDER FOR FILING OF MOTIONS AND RELATED MATTERS

On 13 June 2003, the Pre-Trial Judge decided that the Order for Filing of Motions and Related Matters issued on 2 September 2002 with respect to the Mile Mrkšić case applies *mutatis mutandis* in the proceedings against Miroslav Radić. The Order set out the terms of the filing of motions and other related matters.

DECISION ON FORM OF THE INDICTMENT

On 19 June 2003, the Trial Chamber granted the Mrkšić Defence Motion in part as set out in the Decision. The amended Indictment is to be filed no later than 12 p.m. on 21 July 2003. The Defence is to file its complaints resulting from the Indictment, if any, no later than 12 p.m. on 20 August 2003.

BLAGOJEVIĆ and JOKIĆ Case (“Srebrenica”)

Trial Chamber I Section A - Judges Liu (Presiding), Vassilenko and Argibay

DECISION ON PROSECUTION’S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE THIRD AMENDED INDICTMENT

On 17 June 2003, the Trial Chamber granted the Prosecution Motion of 26 May 2003 to amend the Amended Joinder Indictment of 27 May 2002.

SCHEDULING ORDER

On 18 June 2003, the Trial Chamber ordered that the adjournment of trial proceedings in the case continue until 7 July 2003.

MILOŠEVIĆ Case (“Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina”)

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

THIRD DECISION ON PROSECUTION MOTION FOR ORDERS PURSUANT TO RULE 54 *bis* AGAINST SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO

On 18 June 2003, the Trial Chamber rejected the Prosecution’s 13 December 2002 Application for binding orders with respect to access to government archives under the control of Serbia and Montenegro.

HADŽIHASANOVIĆ and KUBURA Case (“Central Bosnia”)

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

DECISION ON URGENT MOTION FOR *EX PARTE* ORAL HEARING ON ALLOCATION OF RESOURCES TO THE DEFENCE AND CONSEQUENCES THEREOF FOR THE RIGHTS OF THE ACCUSED TO A FAIR TRIAL

On 17 June 2003, the Trial Chamber dismissed the Defence 10 April 2003 Request for an *ex parte* Oral Hearing on Allocation of Resources to the Defence and Consequences Thereof for the Rights of the Accused to a Fair Trial.

DECISION ON MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND THE AMENDED INDICTMENT

On 18 June 2003, the Trial Chamber decided, *inter alia*, to postpone the final decision on the Prosecution 25 March 2003 Motion to amend the Amended Indictment until the Appeals Chamber has issued its Decision on the joint Interlocutory Appeal. The Request filed by the Hadžihasanović Defence for Stay of the Proceedings on 25 April 2003 was dismissed.

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: *23 JUNE - 27 JUNE 2003

MONDAY 23 JUNE

Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Brđanin**, Trial

TUESDAY 24 JUNE

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial
16:30, **Blaškić**, Status Conference
Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Brđanin**, Trial

WEDNESDAY 25 JUNE

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial
15:00, **Limaj et al.**, Status Conference
Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Brđanin**, Trial

THURSDAY 26 JUNE

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial
Courtroom II 15:00, **Dragan Nikolić**, Status Conference
Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Brđanin**, Trial

FRIDAY 27 JUNE

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, **Milošević**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Brđanin**, Trial

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<http://www.un.org/icty/bhs/week-b.htm> (na bosanskom/hrvatskom/srpskom).

PRESS RELEASES ISSUED SINCE 11 JUNE 2003

DATE	NUMBER	TITLE	E	F	B/C/S
13/06/2003	761	STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT MERON ON ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL WAR CRIMES CHAMBER IN BOSNIAN STATE COURT	E		B/C/S
17/06/2003	762	JUDGE INÉS MÓNICA WEINBERG DE ROCA SWORN IN AS AN APPEALS JUDGE FOR THE ICTY AND ICTR	E		B/C/S

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