



22 February 2008

ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 481

PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS

I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS

MILUTINOVIĆ et al. Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Bonomy (Presiding), Chowhan, Kamenova and Nosworthy (Reserve Judge)

Continuation of the Defence case

On 18 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Miloš Deretić** (communications specialist of the Serbian Ministry of Interior during the relevant period)

On 18 February and 19 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Dušan Gavranović** (Chief of Police in the city of Gnjilane/Gjilan, Kosovo, during the relevant period)

On 19 February and 20 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Živko Lekoski** (Macedonian citizen testifying about the events at the border between Serbia and Macedonia during the relevant period)

On 20 February and 21 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Nebojša Ognjenović** (Commander of the police station for the control of the state border crossing during the relevant period)

On 21 February and 22 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Dragan Milenković** (member of the Serbian special police unit/PJP during the relevant period)

On 22 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Radovan Vučurević** (member of the Serbian Ministry of Interior in charge of contacts with international organisations during the relevant period)

POPOVIĆ et al. Case (“Srebrenica”)

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

Rule 98bis submissions

On 18 February 2008, the parties completed presenting their submissions pursuant to Rule 98bis.

The Rule 98bis judgement will be rendered in due course.

Vojislav ŠEŠELJ Case

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Continuation of the Prosecution case

From 19 February until 21 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Reynaud Theunens** (military analyst in the Office of the Prosecutor of the ICTY)

BOŠKOSKI & TARČULOVSKI Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Parker (Presiding), Thelin and Van den Wyngaert

Continuation of the Defence case

On 18 February and 19 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Vesna Dorevska** (member of the Macedonian Ministry of Interior)

From 20 February until 22 February 2008, the following witness testified:

- **Slagjana Taseva** (expert witness – Professor in Criminal Law)

PRLIĆ et al. Case

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

Rule 98bis Judgement

On 20 February 2008, the Trial Chamber dismissed the motions for acquittal filed by the Defence teams of Valentin Ćorić and Berislav Pušić.

The Defence case is scheduled to commence on 5 May 2008, preceded by the Pre-Defence Conference on 21 April 2008.

MRKŠIĆ & ŠLJIVANČANIN Case

Judge Meron

On 19 February 2008, the parties met before Judge Meron for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65bis. The appellant Mrkšić was present.

ĐORĐEVIĆ Case

Judge Harhoff

On 22 February 2008, the parties met before Judge Harhoff for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65bis. The accused was present.

OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS

KABASHI Case (“Contempt”)

Trial Chamber I – Judges Orić, Höpfel and Støle

DECISION GRANTING LEAVE TO AMEND THE INDICTMENT

On 18 February 2008, pursuant to Rules 50 and 52 of the Rules, Trial Chamber I granted a motion by the Prosecution and ordered them to make an amended indictment public.

Subsequently, on the same day, the Prosecution filed the amended indictment, which therefore became the operative indictment in the case against Shefqet Kabashi.

PRLIĆ et al. Case

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

DECISION ON PROVISIONAL RELEASE

On 19 February 2008, Trial Chamber III granted the Defence motions and ordered that Jadranko Prlić, Bruno Stojić, Slobodan Praljak, Milivoj Petković and Valentin Ćorić be provisionally released from 21 April until 4 May 2008 – *See Press Release number 1216 dated 20 February 2008.*

DECISION ON PROSECUTION'S REQUEST TO STAY THE DECISIONS TO PROVISIONALLY RELEASE THE ACCUSED PRLIĆ, STOJIĆ, PRALJAK, PETKOVIĆ AND ĆORIĆ

On 22 February 2008, the Appeals Chamber (*Judges Pocar, Daqun, Vaz, Meron and Schomburg*) ordered that the decision to provisionally release the five accused be stayed until the Appeals Chamber renders its decision on the merits of the Prosecution's appeal – *See Press Release number 1218 dated 22 February 2008.*

ZELENOVIĆ Case

Appeals Chamber – Judges Pocar (Presiding), Shahabuddeen, Güney, Daqun and Meron

DECISION ON MOTION FOR PROVISIONAL RELEASE

On 21 February 2008, the Appeals Chamber dismissed a motion by Dragan Zelenović for temporary provisional release.

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 25 FEBRUARY – 29 FEBRUARY 2008*

MONDAY 25 FEBRUARY

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial
Courtroom II 14:15 – 19:00, **Boškoski&Tarčulovski**, Trial

TUESDAY 26 FEBRUARY

Courtroom I 08:30 – 13:15, **Šešelj**, Trial
14:15 – 19:00, **Delić**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Boškoski&Tarčulovski**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial

WEDNESDAY 27 FEBRUARY

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Šešelj**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Boškoski&Tarčulovski**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial

THURSDAY 28 FEBRUARY

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Šešelj**, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Boškoski&Tarčulovski**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 16:00, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial

FRIDAY 29 FEBRUARY

Courtroom I 09:30 – 13:45, **Martić**, Status Conference
Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Boškoski&Tarčulovski**, Trial
Courtroom III 09:00 – 13:45, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial

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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).

LATEST PRESS RELEASES

Date	Number	Title	E	F	B/C/S
20/02/2008	1216	FIVE ACCUSED IN PRLIĆ AND OTHERS CASE GRANTED PROVISIONAL RELEASE	E		B/C/S
21/02/2008	1217	UN SECURITY COUNCIL APPROVES AN INCREASE OF <i>AD LITEM</i> JUDGES	E		B/C/S
22/02/2008	1218	PRLIC AND OTHERS PROVISIONAL RELEASE STAYED	E		B/C/S

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