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# ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 526

### PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS

# I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS

# POPOVIĆ et al. Case

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

# **Continuation of the Defence case (Vinko Pandurević)**

From 16 until 20 February 2009, the following witness testified:

• Vinko Pandurević (one of the accused)

#### **GOTOVINA** et al. Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Orie (Presiding), Ķinis and Gwaunza

### **Continuation of the Prosecution case**

On 16 February 2009, the following witness testified (continuation from 4 February 2009):

• Eric Baccard (forensic pathologist)

On 16 and 17 February 2009, the following witness testified (continuation from 13 February 2009):

• **Žarko Puhovski** (former member/President of the Croatian Helsinki Committee for Human Rights)

From 18 until 20 February 2009, the following witness testified:

• Marko Rajčić (Chief of Artillery of the Croatian Army during the relevant period)

#### PRLIC et al. Case

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

### Continuation of the Defence case (Bruno Stojić)

From 16 until 19 February 2009, the following witness testified:

• Veso Vegar ("Herceg-Bosna" official during the relevant period)

# PERIŠIĆ Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Moloto (Presiding), David and Picard

# **Continuation of the Prosecution case**

On 16 February 2009, the following witness testified (closed session):

• Witness MP-418

From 17 until 19 February 2009, the following witness testified:

• Witness MP-014

#### **ĐORĐEVIĆ Case**

Trial Chamber II – Judges Parker (Presiding), Flügge and Baird

### **Continuation of the Prosecution case**

On 16 and 17 February 2009, the following witness testified:

• **Lufti Ramadani** (testifying about the events in Mala Kruša, municipality of Orahovac/Rahovec, Kosovo, during the relevant period)

On 18 and 20 February 2009, the following witness testified:

• Nike Peraj (Yugoslav Army officer in Kosovo during the relevant period)

# KARADŽIĆ Case

Judge Bonomy

On 20 February 2009, the parties met before Judge Bonomy for a Status Conference, with the accused present.

# II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS

# STANIŠIĆ&ŽUPLJANIN Case

Specially Appointed Chamber – Judges Kwon (Presiding), Bonomy and Parker

# DECISION ON STOJAN ŽUPLJANIN'S MOTION FOR CERTIFICATION

On 13 February 2009, the Chamber denied, Judge Kwon dissenting, a motion by Stojan Župljanin for certification for interlocutory appeal of the decision denying a request for joinder of his case with the case against Radovan Karadžić.

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# KARADŽIĆ Case

Trial Chamber III – Judges Bonomy (Presiding), Flügge and Picard

# DECISION ON PROSECUTION MOTION TO AMEND THE FIRST AMENDED INDICTMENT

On 16 February 2009, Trial Chamber III granted in part the Prosecution's motion to amend the indictment against Radovan Karadžić and ordered the Prosecution to file a second amended indictment by 18 February 2009 – See Press Release number 1304, dated 16 February 2009.

# Florence HARTMANN Case ("Contempt")

Judge Robinson – President of the ICTY

## DECISION ON MOTION FOR DISQUALIFICATION

On 18 February 2009, Judge Robinson appointed a panel of three judges to decide on the merits of the Defence motion for disqualification of two members of the Trial Chamber and of senior legal officer in charge of the case. The Panel shall be composed as follows: Judge Kwon, Judge Bonomy and Judge Flügge.

# COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 23 FEBRUARY – 27 FEBRUARY 2009\*

#### **MONDAY 23 FEBRUARY**

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial

14:15 – 19:00, **Gotovina et al.**, Trial

Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, Perišić, Trial

Courtroom III09:00 – 13:45, Popović et al, Trial

14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al**, Trial

#### **TUESDAY 24 FEBRUARY**

Courtroom I 08:30 – 13:15, **Šešelj**, Trial

14:15 – 19:00, **Gotovina et al.**, Trial

Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, Perišić, Trial

Courtroom III09:00 – 13:45, Popović et al, Trial

14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al**, Trial

#### **WEDNESDAY 25 FEBRUARY**

Courtroom I 08:30 – 13:15, **Šešelj**, Trial

14:15 – 19:00, **Đorđević**, Trial

Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Perišić, Trial

14:15 - 19:10, Lukić& Lukić, Trial

Courtroom III09:00 – 13:45, Popović et al.,, Trial

14:15 – 19:00, **Prlić et al.**, Trial

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#### **THURSDAY 26 FEBRUARY**

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, Gotovina et al., Trial

14:15 – 19:00, Milutinović et al., Judgement

Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial

14:15 – 19:00, **Perišić**, Trial

Courtroom III09:00 – 13:45, Popović et al, Trial

#### **FRIDAY 27 FEBRUARY**

Courtroom I 09:00 – 13:45, Gotovina et al., Trial

14:15 – 15:30, **Tolimir**, Status Conference

Courtroom II 09:00 – 13:45, **Đorđević**, Trial

14:15 – 19:10, **Lukić& Lukić**, Trial

Courtroom III09:00 – 13:45, Popović et al, Trial

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## LATEST PRESS RELEASES

Date	Number	Title	E	F	B/C/S
16/02/2009	1304	TRIAL CHAMBER GRANTS IN PART PROSECUTION'S MOTION TO AMEND THE INDICTMENT AGAINST KARADŽIC <a href="http://www.icty.org/sid/10055">http://www.icty.org/sid/10055</a>	E		B/C/S
20/02/2009	1305	PAVLE STRUGAR GRANTED EARLY RELEASE http://www.icty.org/sid/10059	Е	F	B/C/S

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