UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE FORMER YUGOSLAVIA



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PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS:

I. **OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS:**

Stanislav GALIĆ Case ("Sarajevo")

Trial Chamber I Section B – Judges Orie (Presiding). El Mahdi and Nieto-Navia

On 2 April 2002, the Trial Chamber reconvened to hear the fifteenth week of the Prosecution case. The Defence resumed the cross-examination of Prosecution witness Carl Harding, a United Nations Military Observer ("UNMO") who was in Sarajevo from July 1992 until January 1993. The crossexamination began on 25 February 2001 (see Weekly Update No. 209). The Prosecution and the Judges subsequently questioned the witness.

On 3 April, the Prosecution called witness Mesud Jusufović, a fireman from Sarajevo, who testified about the shelling of Sarajevo from 1992 until 1996. The Defence then cross-examined the witness. The Prosecution subsequently examined witness Ismet Fazlić who testified about sniping activity in Sarajevo in 1992.

On 4 April, the Prosecution resumed the examination of Ismet Fazlić. Then the Defence crossexamined the witness.

On 5 April, the Prosecution called witness Nedim Gavranović, a resident of the Dobrinja area of Sarajevo in 1993, who was injured during a shelling incident in Sarajevo in 1993.

Mladen NALETILIĆ and Vinko MARTINOVIĆ Case ("Tuta" and "Štela")

Trial Chamber I Section A – Judges Liu (Presiding), Harding Clark and Diarra

On 2 April 2002, the Trial Chamber convened for the second week of the Defence case. The Defence called witness Slobodan Praljak, a former commander of the Croatian Defence Council ("HVO") in Bosnia and Herzegovina.

On 3 April, the Defence resumed the examination of Slobodan Praljak.

On 4 April, the Prosecution cross-examined the witness.

On 5 April, the Prosecution resumed the cross-examination.

Momir NIKOLIĆ Case

Judge Schomburg

Following his apprehension by SFOR on 1 April 2002, Momir Nikolić was transferred to the United Nations Detention Unit on 2 April 2002 (see Press Release No. 664). On 3 April 2002, the Defence and the Prosecution appeared before Judge Schomburg for the initial appearance of Momir Nikolić pursuant to Rule 62 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence. The accused pleaded "not guilty" to all counts charged against him in the Indictment.

Radislav KRSTIĆ Case ("Srebrenica") Pre-Appeal Judge Hunt

On 5 April 2002, the parties appeared before the Pre-Appeal Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 bis of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence. Pre-appeal preparations were discussed.

Dragoljub KUNARAC, Radomir KOVAČ and Zoran VUKOVIĆ Case ("Foca")

Pre-Appeal Judge Shahabuddeen

On 5 April 2002, a Status Conference was held pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence. Pre-appeal preparations were discussed.

II. OVERVIEW OF COURT DOCUMENTS:

Mladen NALETILIĆ and Vinko MARTINOVIĆ Case ("Tuta" and "Štela")

Trial Chamber I Section A – Judges Liu (Presiding), Harding Clark and Diarra DECISION ON MOTION OF ACCUSED NALETILIĆ FOR A TRIAL SCHEDULE WHICH INCORPORATES REASONABLE BREAKS

On 21 March 2002, the Defence for Mladen Naletilić had filed a Motion requesting that the Chamber schedule a break in the proceedings for one week, as a minimum, after the Defence of Naletilić has concluded the first seven witnesses.

On 3 April 2002, the Trial Chamber denied the Motion, *inter alia* on the grounds that it is the right of the accused that the trial be conducted without undue delay. It further considered that the Trial Chamber will adapt the time schedule as and when necessary.

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DATE	NUMBER	TITLE	Е	F	B/C/S
02/04/2002	664	ARREST AND TRANSFER OF MOMIR NIKOLIĆ	E		B/C/S

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 8 APRIL - 12 APRIL*

MONDAY 8 APRIL

Courtroom I	09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
Courtroom I	14:15 - 19:00, Brđanin/Talić, Trial
Courtroom II	09:00 - 13:45, Galić, Trial
Courtroom III	09:00 - 13:45. Martinović/Naletilić. Trial

TUESDAY 9 APRIL

Courtroom I	09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
Courtroom I	14:15 - 19:00, Brđanin/Talić, Trial
Courtroom II	09:00 - 13:45, Galić, Trial
Courtroom III	09:00 - 13:45, Martinović/Naletilić, Trial

WEDNESDAY 10 APRIL

Courtroom I	09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
Courtroom I	14:15 - 19:00, Brđanin/Talić, Trial
Courtroom II	09:00 - 13:45, Galić, Trial
Courtroom II	14:30 - 19:00, Stakić, Pre-Trial Conference
Courtroom III	09:00 - 13:45, Martinović/Naletilić, Trial

THURSDAY 11 APRIL

Courtroom I	09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
Courtroom I	14:15 - 19:00, Brđanin/Talić, Trial
Courtroom II	09:00 - 13:45, Galić, Trial
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Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, Martinović/Naletilić, Trial

FRIDAY 12 APRIL

Courtroom I 09:00 - 12:00, Milošević, Trial

Courtroom I 12:30 - 13:15, Halilović, Status Conference

Courtroom I 14:15 - 19:00, Brđanin/Talić, Trial

Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, Martinović/Naletilić, Trial

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