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ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 343

PROCEDURAL DEVELOPMENTS

I. OVERVIEW OF COURT PROCEEDINGS

HADŽIHASANOVIĆ and KUBURA Case (“Central Bosnia”)

Trial Chamber II - Judges Antonetti (Presiding), Rasoazany and Swart

Tenth week of the Hadžihasanović Defence case.

From 17 until 20 January 2005, the following witnesses were examined by the Defence and subsequently cross-examined by the Prosecution:

- Witness Mirsad Ibraković
- Witness Šerif Kadrić
- Witness Mustafa Poparić
- Witness Sakib Žiko
- Witness Zaim Kablar

ORIĆ Case

Trial Chamber II – Judges Agius (Presiding), Brydenholt and Eser

Eleventh week of the Prosecution case.

From 17 until 20 January 2005, the following witnesses were examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Witness Nedelko Radić
- Witness Branimir Mitrović
- Witness Mira Stojanović

BLAGOJEVIĆ and JOKIĆ Case (“Srebrenica”)

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

On 17 January 2005, the Trial Chamber convened to deliver the Judgement in the Blagojević and Jokić case.

Vidoje Blagojević was found not guilty under Article 7(3) of the Statute but guilty pursuant to Article 7(1) of the Statute, through aiding and abetting, of complicity to commit genocide; murder as a crime against humanity and as a violation of the laws or customs of war; persecutions as a crime against humanity; inhumane acts (forcible transfer). He was not found guilty of extermination. Vidoje Blagojević was sentenced to 18 years' imprisonment.

Dragan Jokić was found guilty, under Article 7(1) of the Statute, of extermination as a crime against humanity; murder as a violation of the laws or customs of war; persecutions as a crime against humanity. He was found not guilty of murder as a crime against humanity. Dragan Jokić was sentenced to 9 years' imprisonment.

LIMAJ *et al.* Case (“Llapushnik/Lapušnik Camp”)

Trial Chamber II - Judges Parker (Presiding), Thelin and Van Den Wyngaert

Sixth week of the Prosecution case.

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From 17 until 19 January 2005, the following witness was examined by the Prosecution and subsequently cross-examined by the Defence:

- Witness Suleiman Selimi

Slobodan MILOŠEVIĆ Case (“Kosovo, Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina”)

Trial Chamber III - Judges Robinson (Presiding), Kwon and Bonomy

Continuation of the Defence case.

From 18 until 20 January 2005, the following witness was examined by the Accused and subsequently cross-examined by the Prosecution:

- Witness Ratko Marković

MILUTINOVIĆ *et al.* Case (“Kosovo”)

Pre-Trial Judge Bonomy

On 18 January 2005, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence. The next Status Conference was scheduled for 14 April 2005.

MARTIĆ Case (“RSK”)

Pre-Trial Judge Martín Canivell

On 18 January 2005, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

Savo TODOVIĆ Case

Judge Agius

On 19 January 2005, following his transfer to the Tribunal on 15 January 2005, Savo Todović appeared before Judge Agius for his initial appearance. The Accused exercised his right under Rule 62 (iii) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence not to enter a plea at this stage. A further appearance will be scheduled within 30 days.

RAJIĆ Case (“Stupni Do”)

Pre-Trial Judge Liu

On 19 January 2005, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

STANIŠIĆ and SIMATOVIĆ Case

Pre-Trial Judge Kwon

On 20 January 2005, the parties appeared before the Pre-Trial Judge for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence. Both Accused were provisionally released on 9 December 2004 and they were not required to be present.

II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS

HALILOVIĆ Case (“Grabovica-Uzdol”)

President of the Tribunal - Judge Meron

ORDER REASSIGNING A CASE TO A TRIAL CHAMBER

On 17 January 2005, the President of the Tribunal reassigned the Sefer Halilović case from Trial Chamber III to Trial Chamber I.

HALILOVIĆ Case (“Grabovica-Uzdol”)

Trial Chamber I – Judges Liu (Presiding), El Mahdi and Orić

SCHEDULING ORDER FOR A PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE

On 18 January 2005, Trial Chamber I scheduled a Pre-Trial Conference on Monday 24 January at 2:15 p.m.

Savo TODOVIĆ Case

Acting President of the Tribunal - Judge Pocar

ORDER ASSIGNING A CASE TO A TRIAL CHAMBER

On 18 January 2005, following Savo Todović’s transfer to the Tribunal on 15 January 2005, the Vice-President of the Tribunal assigned the case to Trial Chamber II.

STRUGAR Case (“Dubrovnik”)

Trial Chamber II - Judges Parker (Presiding), Thelin and Van Den Wyngaert

SCHEDULING ORDER

On 19 January 2005, the Trial Chamber ordered the pronouncement of the Judgement in the Strugar case to be held on Monday 31 January 2005, at 12 p.m.

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 24 – 28 JANUARY 2005*

MONDAY 24 JANUARY

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
14:15 - 19:00, Limaj *et al.*, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Orić, Trial
14:15 - 19:00, Hadžihasanović & Kubura, Trial
Courtroom III 14:15 - 19:00, Halilović, Pre-Trial Conference

TUESDAY 25 JANUARY

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
14:15 - 19:00, Limaj *et al.*, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Orić, Trial
14:15 - 19:00, Hadžihasanović & Kubura, Trial

WEDNESDAY 26 JANUARY

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, Milošević, Trial
14:15 - 19:00, Limaj *et al.*, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Orić, Trial
14:15 - 19:00, Hadžihasanović & Kubura, Trial

THURSDAY 27 JANUARY

Courtroom I 14:15 - 19:00, Limaj *et al.*, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Orić, Trial
14:15 - 19:00, Hadžihasanović & Kubura, Trial

FRIDAY 28 JANUARY

Courtroom I 09:00 - 13:45, Limaj *et al.*, Trial
Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Hadžihasanović & Kubura, 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).

PRESS RELEASES ISSUED SINCE 14 JANUARY 2005

DATE	NUMBER	TITLE	E	F	B/C/S
17/01/2005	928	JUDGEMENT IN THE CASE THE PROSECUTOR V. BLAGOJEVIĆ AND JOKIĆ	E		B/C/S
17/01/2005	929	INITIAL APPEARANCE OF SAVO TODOVIĆ	E		B/C/S

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