

NATIONS UNIES TRIBUNAL PÉNAL INTERNATIONAL POUR L'EX-YOUGOSLAVIE

23 November 2007

ICTY WEEKLY UPDATE – 471

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

From 19 November until 22 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• *Vladimir Lazarević* (one of the accused – Corps Commander of the Yugoslav Army during the relevant period)

From 22 November until 23 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• *Krsman Jelić* (retired Yugoslav Army officer – Brigade Commander during the relevant period)

POPOVIĆ et al. Case ("Srebrenica")

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

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 19 November 2007, the following witness testified in closed session:

• Witness PW-170

From 20 November until 21 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• *Mile Janjić* (military police officer in the Bratunac Brigade of the Republika Srpska Army(VRS) during the relevant period)

On 21 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• **Dragan Jović** (driver in the VRS during the relevant period)

On 22 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• *Tomasz Blaszczyk* (investigator in the Office of the Prosecutor of the ICTY)

On 23 November 2007, the parties discussed procedural matters.

PRLIĆ et al. Case

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

Continuation of the Prosecution case

From 19 November until 21 November 2007, the following witness testified in closed session:

• Witness EA

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HARADINAJ et al. Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Orie (Presiding), Höpfel and Støle

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 20 November 2007, witness Shefqet Kabashi, who appeared via video-link, refused to testify.

DELIĆ Case

Trial Chamber I – Judges Moloto (Presiding), Harhoff and Lattanzi

Continuation of the Prosecution case

On 20 November 2007, the following witness testified in closed session:

• Witness DRW-3

From 20 November until 22 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• *Edin Šarić* (BiH Army officer – member of the Security Service of the 3rd Corps during the relevant period)

From 22 November until 23 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• **Zaim Mujezinović** (BiH Army officer – Commander of the military police battalion of the 3rd Corps during the relevant period)

On 23 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• *Muris Hadžiselimović* (Chief Prosecutor of the Zenica-Doboj Canton, Federation BiH)

BOŠKOSKI & TARČULOVSKI Case

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

Continuation of the Prosecution case

From 19 November until 21 November 2007, the following witness testified:

• *Thomas Kuehnel* (investigator in the Office of the Prosecutor of the ICTY)

Dragan JOKIĆ Case ("contempt")

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

On 19 November 2007, the parties met before Trial Chamber I for the initial appearance of Dragan Jokić. The accused pleaded not guilty to the contempt charges. The proceedings are scheduled to take place on 10 December 2007.

STANIŠIĆ & SIMATOVIĆ Case

Judge Orie

On 23 November 2007, the parties met before Judge Orie for a Status Conference pursuant to Rule 65*bis*. None of the accused was present (provisional release).

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II. OVERVIEW OF SELECTED COURT DOCUMENTS

MILUTINOVIĆ et al. Case

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

DECISION ON USE OF TIME REMAINING FOR DEFENCE PHASE OF TRIAL

On 21 November 2007, pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the Statute and Rules 54 and 73ter of the Rules, Trial Chamber III ordered that the Lazarević Defence shall have 65 hours for the presentation of its evidence whereas the Lukić Defence shall have 80 hours.

The order further stated that the trial will not sit during the following dates:

- 21 March to 31 March 2008;
- 25 April to 5 May 2008.

PRLIĆ et al. Case

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

DEUXIÈME ORDONNANCE PORTANT MODIFICATION DE CALENDRIER

On 22 November 2007, pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the Statute and Rules 54, 65ter, 73ter and 98bis of the Rules, Trial Chamber III ordered that the Prosecution case shall be completed by 24 January 2008 and Rule 98bis oral arguments shall be presented between 28 January and 6 February 2008. The pre-Defence Conference is scheduled to take place on 13 March and the Defence case shall start on 17 March 2008.

ORIĆ Case

Appeals Chamber - Judges Schomburg (Presiding), Shahabuddeen, Daqun, Vaz and Meron

ORDER SCHEDULING APPEAL HEARING

On 23 November 2007, the Appeals Chamber ordered that the appeal hearing shall be held on 1 April and 2 April 2008.

COURTROOM SCHEDULE: 26 NOVEMBER – 30 NOVEMBER 2007*

MONDAY 26 NOVEMBER

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

 14:15 – 19:00, Haradinaj et al., Trial

 Courtroom II
 14:15 – 19:00, Boškoski&Tarčulovski, Trial

 *to be confirmed

 09:00 – 13:45, Popović et al., Trial

 14:15 – 19:00, Prlić et al., Trial

TUESDAY 27 NOVEMBER

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WEDNESDAY 28 NOVEMBER

Courtroom I 08:00 - 13:45, **Prlić et al.**, Trial 14:15 – 19:00, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial Courtroom II

09:00 - 13:45, Boškoski&Tarčulovski, Trial *to be confirmed

14:15 – 19:00, **Delić**, Trial

09:00 - 13:45, **Popović et al.**, Trial Courtroom III

14:15 - 19:00, Haradinaj et al., Trial *to be confirmed

THURSDAY 29 NOVEMBER

08:00 – 13:45, **Prlić et al.**, Trial Courtroom I

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

Courtroom II 09:00 - 13:45, Boškoski&Tarčulovski, Trial *to be confirmed

14:15 – 19:00, **Delić**, Trial

Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, Haradinaj et al., Trial *to be confirmed

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

FRIDAY 30 NOVEMBER

Courtroom I 09:00 – 15:30, **Milutinović et al.**, Trial

09:00 - 13:45, Boškoski&Tarčulovski, Trial *to be confirmed Courtroom II

14:15 - 19:00, **Delić**, Trial

Courtroom III 09:00 - 13:45, **Popović et al.,**Trial

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