



International Tribunal for the
Prosecution of Persons
Responsible for Serious Violations of
International Humanitarian Law
Committed in the Territory of
Former Yugoslavia since 1991

Case No. IT-94-1-T
Date: 16 October 1996
Original: ENGLISH AND
FRENCH

IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER

Before: Judge Gabrielle Kirk McDonald, Presiding
Judge Ninian Stephen
Judge Lal C. Vohrah

Registrar: Mrs. Dorothee de Sampayo Garrido-Nijgh

Decision of: 16 October 1996

PROSECUTOR

v.

DUŠKO TADIĆ a/k/a "DULE"

**DECISION ON THE DEFENCE MOTION
REQUESTING VIDEO-LINK FOR DEFENCE WITNESSES**

The Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr. Grant Niemann
Ms. Brenda Hollis

Mr. Alan Tieger
Mr. Michael Keegan

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Mr. Alphons Orié

Mr. Steven Kay
Ms. Sylvia de Bertodano

THE TRIAL CHAMBER,

CONSIDERING the oral motion ("Motion") raised by the Defence during the hearing on 16 October 1996, requesting permission for two defence witnesses to give evidence by video-link, and the affidavit filed in support thereof,

NOTING its previous Decisions on the Defence Motions to Protect Defence Witnesses issued on 25 June, 16 August and 20 September 1996,

NOTING that the request set forth in the current Motion has been addressed in those Decisions, in which the Trial Chamber has explained at length its reasons,

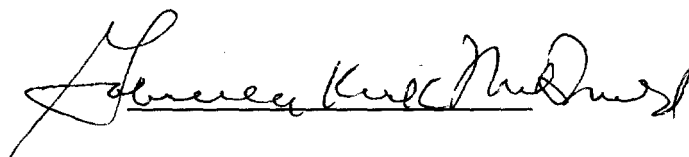
HAVING HEARD the parties on 16 October 1996 as to the basis for such request, but

KEEPING the Motion in respect of Slavko Budimir under advisement,

PURSUANT TO RULE 54

HEREBY GRANTS the Motion in respect of Dragoljub Savić and ORDERS that Dragoljub Savić may give testimony through video-link subject to the conditions set out in paragraph 22 of the Decision of the Trial Chamber on the Defence Motions to Summon and Protect Defence Witnesses and on the Giving of Evidence by Video-Link of 25 June 1996.

Done in English and French, the English text being authoritative.



Gabrielle Kirk McDonald
Presiding Judge

Dated this sixteenth day of October 1996
At The Hague
The Netherlands

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