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> Antonio Cassese Président

Confirmation of Verbal Instructions

I, Antonio Cassese, President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia,

CONSIDERING the publication, in the 15 April 1997 and 1 May 1997 issues of the Sarajevo magazine *Sloboda Hercegovina*, of the names of most of the Prosecution's witnesses in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Delalic et al.* (Case No. IT-96-21-T);

CONSIDERING that it follows from this publication that there is a reasonable risk of further interference with or intimidation of witnesses or otherwise disturbance of the maintenance of good order in the detention unit;

HEREBY CONFIRM that, on 23 May 1997, I verbally instructed the Registrar of the Tribunal to order the Commanding Officer of the Detention Unit to monitor the telephone calls of Mr. Zdravko Mucic, Mr. Hazim Delic and Mr. Esad Landzo.

Antonio Cassese President

Dated this 28th day of May 1997 At The Hague The Netherlands