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International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of The Former Yugoslavia since 1991 Case No. IT-98-30-PT

Date: 4 February 2000

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IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER

Before: Judge Almiro Simões Rodrigues, Presiding Judge Fouad Riad Judge Patricia Wald

Registrar: Mr. Jean-Jacques Heintz, Deputy Registrar

Decision of: 4 February 2000

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

MIROSLAV KVOČKA MILOJICA KOS MLAĐO RADIĆ ZORAN ŽIGIĆ

SCHEDULING ORDER

The Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr. Grant Niemann Mr. Michael Keegan Mr. Kapila Waidyaratne **Defence** Counsel:

Mr. Krstan Simić for Miroslav Kvočka Mr. Žarko Nikolić for Milojica Kos Mr. Toma Fila for Mlađo Radić Mr. Simo Tošić for Zoran Žigić

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TRIAL CHAMBER I (hereinafter the "Trial Chamber") of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 (hereinafter "the Tribunal"),

PURSUANT to Rules 65bis, 65ter, 71, 73, 73bis, 75, 84bis and 94 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence (hereinafter "the Rules"),

NOTING the Order of the Vice-President transferring a case from Trial Chamber III to Trial Chamber I dated 3 February 2000,

CONSIDERING that during the last status conference on 21 January 2000 presided over by Judge May, the parties pleaded on various Motions; that it was agreed to hold the next status conference on 15 February 2000;

CONSIDERING that a conference on the issue of testimony, in particular by way of deposition, was organised by a presiding officer on 21 January 2000; that the parties were requested to provide a list of the witnesses mentioning the methods for taking depositions; that the starting date for taking of testimony by deposition was set for 28 February 2000 in The Hague;

CONSIDERING that the Trial Chamber intends to commence the trial on 28 February 2000 and that it is appropriate to finalise the preparation of the pre-trial phase in the shortest possible time;

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS,

ORDERS that a status conference be held on Tuesday 15 February 2000 at 10:00 hours which may continue throughout the day and whose agenda will include the following matters:

- 1) the Prosecution Motion to visit some of the sites mentioned in the indictment;
- 2) the Motions of the parties for taking depositions;
- 3) the Defence Motion requesting that witnesses be granted protective measures;
- 4) the Defence Motion requesting the disclosure of a video-cassette of the statements of a co-accused and photographs used during his interview;
- 5) the Defence Motion for provisional release;
- 6) the Defence Motion to take depositions from the accused at the commencement of the trial;
- 7) the Defence Motion for judicial notice;
- 8) other Motions;
- 9) setting a date for the commencement of the trial;

ORDERS the parties to file an updated version of the pre-trial brief, the agreements between the parties, the statement of the disputed points in fact and law, the list of prosecution witnesses and the list of exhibits which the Prosecutor intends to submit under Article 65*ter* before 15 February 2000;

SERVES NOTICE of the holding of other status conferences, if needed, on the following dates:

- 1) Friday 18 February 2000 at 10:00 hours
- 2) Tuesday 22 February 2000 at 10:00 hours
- 3) Thursday 24 February 2000 at 10:00 hours

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

Done this fourth day of February 2000 At The Hague The Netherlands.

(signed)

Judge Almiro Rodrigues President of Trial Chamber I

[Seal of the Tribunal]

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