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Case No. IT-98-34-PT

Prosecutor v. Mladen Naletilić

DECISION

THE REGISTRAR,

CONSIDERING the Statute of the Tribunal as adopted by the Security Council under Resolution 827 (1993), and in particular Article 21 thereof;

CONSIDERING the Rules of Procedure and Evidence as adopted by the Tribunal on 11 February 1994, as subsequently amended, and in particular Rules 44 and 45 thereof;

CONSIDERING the Directive on Assignment of Defence Counsel, as subsequently amended, and in particular Articles 5, 6, 8 and 11 B);

CONSIDERING that on 9 March 2000, Mr. Mladen Naletilić (hereinafter "the accused") requested that Mr. Krešimir Krsnik, attorney at law from Zagreb, be assigned as his defence counsel;

CONSIDERING that Mr. Krsnik satisfies the Tribunal that he fulfils the pre-requisites for assignment as set forth in Article 14 of the aforementioned Directive;

CONSIDERING that the declaration of means of the accused dated 9 March 2000 has not been certified by the appropriate authority;

CONSIDERING that the right to counsel should not be affected while the Registrar is in the process of examining the information referred to in Articles 8 and 10 of the aforementioned Directive to determine whether the accused satisfies the requisite conditions for assignment of counsel;

DECIDES to assign Mr. Krsnik as counsel to the accused as of 18 April 2000 for a period of time of 30 days.



Dated this seventieth day of April 2000
At The Hague
The Netherlands