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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-00-41-PT

Date: 3 December 2001

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IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER

Before:

Judge Liu Daqun, Presiding

Judge Mohamed Amin El Abbassi Elmahdi Judge Alphonsus Martinus Maria Orie

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

3 December 2001

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

PAŠKO LJUBIČIĆ

ORDER DESIGNATING PRE-TRIAL JUDGE

The Office of the Prosecutor: Mr. Mark Harmon

Defence Counsel: Mr. Tomislav Jonjic

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I, LIU DAQUN, Presiding Judge of Trial Chamber I 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 ("International Tribunal");

CONSIDERING the provisions of Article 21(4)(c) of the Statute of the International Tribunal ("the

Statute"), which guarantees the accused's right "to be tried without undue delay" and Article 20(1)

of the Statute which enshrines the right to a "fair and expeditious" trial;

CONSIDERING that it is in the interests of justice and of a more expeditious and effectively

managed trial to appoint a pre-trial Judge to be responsible for pre-trial matters on behalf of the

Trial Chamber;

PURSUANT to Rule 65ter(A) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the International

Tribunal;

HEREBY DESIGNATE Judge Mohamed Amin El Abbassi Elmahdi to be the pre-trial Judge in

this case, such appointment to take effect forthwith.

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

Liu Daqun Presiding Juda

Presiding Judge

Dated this third day of December 2001

At The Hague,

The Netherlands.

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