



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-02-54-T  
Date: 26 July 2002  
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**IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER**

**Before:** Judge Richard May, Presiding  
Judge Patrick Robinson  
Judge O-Gon Kwon

**Registrar:** Mr. Hans Holthuis

**Order of:** 26 July 2002

**PROSECUTOR**

v.

**SLOBODAN MILOŠEVIĆ**

**DECISION ON PROSECUTION MOTION FOR RELEASE OF MATERIAL RELATING  
TO WITNESSES PROTECTED IN THE *PROSECUTOR v STAKIĆ* PROCEEDINGS**

**The Office of the Prosecutor**

Mr. Geoffrey Nice  
Mr. Dirk Ryneveld

Ms. Hildegard Uertz-Retzlaff  
Mr. Dermot Groome

**The Accused**

Slobodan Milošević

**Amici Curiae**

Mr. Steven Kay, QC  
Mr. Branislav Tapušković  
Prof. Mischa Wladimiroff

**THIS 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 (“International Tribunal”),

**BEING SEISED** of a confidential “Prosecution Motion for Release of Material Relating to Witnesses Protected in the *Prosecutor v Stakić* Proceedings” with *ex parte* annex, filed by the Office of the Prosecutor (“Prosecution”) on 12 July 2002 (“the Motion”), requesting that statements, transcripts and related material of witnesses identified in the *ex parte* annex (“relevant material”) which the *Stakić* Trial Chamber released to this Trial Chamber be released to the Accused, the Accused’s appointed associates and the *amici curiae* in these proceedings,

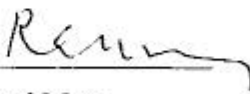
**NOTING** that the *Stakić* Trial Chamber authorised the release of the relevant material to this Trial Chamber instead of authorising the Prosecution to release the material directly,<sup>1</sup>

**CONSIDERING** that the Trial Chamber considers there to be no benefit in the Prosecution providing the relevant material to it prior to its release to the Accused, the Accused’s appointed associates and the *amici curiae*,

**PURSUANT TO RULES 75 and 54** of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the International Tribunal

**HEREBY GRANTS** the Prosecution Motion and orders it to release the relevant material directly to the Accused, the Accused’s appointed associates and the *amici curiae* forthwith.

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

  
Richard May  
Presiding

Dated this twenty-sixth day of July 2002  
At The Hague  
The Netherlands

[Seal of the Tribunal]

<sup>1</sup> *Prosecutor v. Stakić*, “Decision on Prosecution Request pursuant to Rule 75 (D) for Variation of Protective Measures”, 19 June 2002 and “Decision on Prosecution Request for Clarification of Decision of 19 June 2002”, 10 July 2002.