## UNITED **NATIONS**



International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of

Former Yugoslavia since 1991

Date:

IT-95-5/18-I

Case No.

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English

## THE CONFIRMING JUDGE

Before:

Judge Alphons Orie

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

8 November 2002

**PROSECUTOR** 

v.

RATKO MLADIĆ

## WARRANT OF ARREST ORDER FOR SURRENDER

To the authorities of Republika Srpska

Case No.: IT-95-5/18-I

I, Alphons Orie, Judge 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");

**PURSUANT TO** United Nations Security Council Resolution 827 of 25 May 1993, Articles 19(2) and 29 of the Statute of the International Tribunal and Rules 54 to 61 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the International Tribunal ("Rules");

**BEING SEISED** of an application by the Office of the Prosecutor ("the Prosecutor") on 11 October 2002 requesting an order and warrant for the accused **Ratko MLADIĆ**;

**NOTING** the amended indictment submitted by the Prosecutor on 11 October 2002 against **Ratko MLADIĆ** and confirmed by me on 8 November 2002, a copy of which is annexed to this warrant of arrest;

## HEREBY.

DIRECT and AUTORISE the authorities of Republika Srpska to search, arrest and surrender to the International Tribunal Ratko MLADIĆ born on 12 March 1942 in the municipality of Kalinovik within the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina and former Commander of the Main Staff of the Bosnian Serb Army ("VRS" and alleged to have committed in the territory of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina between 12 May 1992 and 22 December 1996 the following crimes: Genocide and Complicity in Genocide, punishable under Articles 4, 7(1) and 7(3) of the Statute, Crimes Against Humanity, punishable under Articles 5, 7(1) and 7(3) of the Statute of the Tribunal; and Violations of the Laws or Customs of War, punishable under Articles 3, 7(1) and 7(3) of the Statute of the Tribunal;

**DIRECT** the authorities of Republika Srpska to advise the said **Ratko MLADIĆ** at the time of his arrest, and in a language which he understands, of his rights as set forth in Article 21 of the Statute and, *mutatis mutandis*, in Rules 42 and 43 of the Rules, which are annexed hereto, and of his right to remain silent, and to caution him that any statement he makes shall be recorded and may be used against him in evidence. The indictment and review of the indictment and all other documents annexed to the present warrant of arrest must also be brought to the attention of the accused;

**REQUEST** that upon the arrest of **Ratko MLADIĆ**, the authorities of Republika Srpska promptly notify the Registrar of the International Tribunal so that he may be transferred to the International Tribunal pursuant to Rule 57 of the Rules; and

**REQUEST** that the authorities of Republika Srpska report to the Registrar of the International Tribunal if they are unable to execute this warrant of arrest and to indicate the reasons for such non-execution.

**ORDER** that there be no public disclosure of the confirmation materials until further order.

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

Judge Alphons Orie

Dated this eighth day of November 2002

At The Hague, The Netherlands