UNITED NATIONS

International Tribunal for the

Former Yugoslavia since 1991

Prosecution of Persons

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

Case No.: IT-02-61-S

Date:

3 October 2003

Original: English

IN TRIAL CHAMBER II

Before:

Judge Wolfgang Schomburg, Presiding

Judge Florence Ndepele Mwachande Mumba

Judge Carmel Agius

Registrar:

Mr Hans Holthuis

Order of:

3 October 2003

PROSECUTOR

v.

MIROSLAV DERONJIĆ

SCHEDULING ORDER

The Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr Mark Harmon

Counsel for the Accused:

Mr Slobodan Cvijetić Mr Slobodan Zečević

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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"),

NOTING the Filing of Documents in Preparation for Status Conference, consisting of a Plea

Agreement, a Proposed Second Amended Indictment and a Factual Basis, filed by the Prosecution

on 30 September 2003 ("Submission"), pursuant to Rule 62 ter of the Rules of Procedure and

Evidence ("Rules"),

NOTING that during the Status Conference that was held on 30 September 2003, the Trial

Chamber entered a finding of guilt of the Accused Miroslav Deronjić, based merely on the

Accused's guilty plea and the agreed factual basis,

RECALLING the oral decision on the scheduling of the sentencing hearing and the submission of

the sentencing briefs by Parties, made by the Trial Chamber during the Status Conference,

NOTING that, in contrast to a full hearing, the Trial Chamber has had no access to the full picture

of the personality of the Accused, inter alia through submissions by the Parties, witness testimonies

etc., and that the Trial Chamber has to base its findings following a plea agreement merely on the

presented factual basis, and not on contemporaneous evidence granting at the same time at least

some access to the Accused's socialisation,

NOTING that Article 24 (2) of the Statute requires that "[i]n imposing the sentences, the Trial

Chambers should take into account such factors as the gravity of the offence and the individual

circumstances of the convicted person",

CONSIDERING that it is therefore necessary to receive an expert report on the Accused's

socialization, which provides inter alia details on the Accused's childhood, conditions under which

he grew up, school and work career and relations with friends and family until today,

CONSIDERING that the Accused has consented to and will co-operate with an expert in order to

have such a report prepared,

PURSUANT TO Rules 54, 90(C), 94 bis, 98 second sentence and 100 of the Rules,

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HEREBY DESIGNATES Judge Florence Mumba as the pre-sentencing Judge in these

proceedings

and

ORDERS:

1. That Parties shall file their sentencing briefs and provide statements of any witnesses they might

call in relation to the sentencing hearing as well as any other relevant information that may assist

the Trial Chamber in determining the appropriate sentence, not later than Thursday, 18 December

2003,

2. That the Registrar appoints such an expert to submit a report on the Accused's socialisation and,

3. That the expert submits the report to the Trial Chamber not later than Thursday, 18 December

2003,

4. That the sentencing hearing be held from 27 to 30 January 2004.

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

Dated this third day of October 2003

At The Hague,

The Netherlands

Wolfgang Schomburg

Presiding

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