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

Case No.

IT-03-73-I

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## BEFORE A JUDGE OF A TRIAL CHAMBER

Before:

Judge Kevin Parker

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

**Decision:** 

Case No.: IT-03-73-I

**24 February 2004** 

**PROSECUTOR** 

v.

IVAN ČERMAK

**MLADEN MARKAČ** 

EX PARTE-UNDER SEAL

WARRANT OF ARREST ORDER FOR SURRENDER

To: The authorities of any Member State of the United Nations

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I, Kevin Parker, 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");

HAVING BEEN DESIGNATED as the reviewing Judge by the President of the International

Tribunal pursuant to Rule 28 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("Rules") on 23 January

2004;

BEING SEISED of a "Motion for Issuance of an Indictment under Seal of Confidentiality and for

Orders for Surrender and the Transmission of Arrest Warrants and Orders of Surrender" filed ex

parte and confidentially on 19 December 2003 and of an Amendment to the above motion dated 17

February 2004 and filed on 19 February 2004;

NOTING the Indictment against IVAN ČERMAK and MLADEN MARKAČ submitted by the

Office of the Prosecutor ("Prosecutor") and confirmed by me on 24 February 2004;

PURSUANT to United Nations Security Council Resolution 827 of 25 May 1993, Articles 19(2)

and 29 of the Statute of the International Tribunal ("Statute"), and Rules 54, 55 to 59bis of the

Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("Rules");

HEREBY DIRECT the authorities of any Member State of the United Nations to search for, arrest,

and surrender to the International Tribunal:

MLADEN MARKAČ born on 8 May 1955 in Đurđevac, in the Municipality of Đurđevac

in the Republic of Croatia, a retired Colonel General of the Croatian army, retired

Major/Colonel, Commander and Assistant Minister of the Interior of the Republic of

Croatia;

Alleged to have committed crimes against humanity punishable under Article 5 and

violations of the laws or customs of war punishable under Article 3 of the Statute, in the

territory of the Republic of Croatia, between 4 August 1995 and 15 November 1995;

And to advise the said MLADEN MARKAČ at the time of his arrest in a language that he

understands of his rights set forth in Article 21 of the Statute, and, mutatis mutandis, in Rules 42

and 43 of the Rules which are annexed hereto, of his right to remain silent, and to caution him that

any statement he makes shall be recorded and may be used in evidence. The Indictment and the

Decision on Review of the Indictment and all other documents annexed to the present arrest

warrant must also be brought to the attention of the accused and a copy of said Indictment, in a

language he understands, must be handed to him;

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REQUEST that the authorities of any Member State of the United Nations, upon the arrest of

MLADEN MARKAČ, promptly notify the Registrar of the International Tribunal, for the purposes

of his transfer to the seat of the International Tribunal pursuant to Rule 57 of the Rules;

REQUEST that the authorities of any Member State of the United Nations report forthwith to the

Registrar of the International Tribunal if they are unable to execute the present warrant of arrest,

indicating the reasons for their inability pursuant to Rule 59(A) of the Rules.

With the exception of the persons or entities designated by the authorities of the Member State of

the United Nations to which this Warrant is transmitted, there shall be no public disclosure of this

Warrant of Arrest and the accompanying materials until further ordered;

HEREBY AUTHORISE the Prosecutor to deliver this Warrant of Arrest to the authorities of any

Member State of the United Nations in whose territory or under whose jurisdiction MLADEN

MARKAČ is believed by the Prosecutor to be likely to be found.

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

Kevin Parker, Judge of the International Tribunal

Dated this twenty-fourth day of February 2004 At The Hague, The Netherlands

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