



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: 27 May 2004
Original: English

IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER

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

Registrar: Mr. Hans Holthuis

Decision of: 27 May 2004

PROSECUTOR

v.

SLOBODAN MILOŠEVIĆ

**FURTHER ORDER RESCHEDULING THE PRE-DEFENCE CONFERENCE
AND COMMENCEMENT OF THE DEFENCE CASE**

The Office of the Prosecutor

Ms. Carla Del Ponte
Mr. Geoffrey Nice
Mr. Dermot Groome
Ms. Hildegard Uertz-Retzlaff

The Accused

Mr. Slobodan Milošević

Amici Curiae

Mr. Steven Kay, QC
Prof. Timothy L.H. McCormack

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 (“the International Tribunal”),

NOTING the “Order Rescheduling the Pre-Defence Conference and the Commencement of the Defence Case”, issued by the Trial Chamber on 5 May 2004, in which the Trial Chamber rescheduled the Pre-Defence Conference to be held on Wednesday, 9 June 2004 and the Defence case to commence on Tuesday, 22 June 2004, due to the Accused’s ill health and need to allow for translation of the Rule 65 *ter* material,

NOTING the continued ill health of the Accused, and the advice of the treating cardiologist that the Accused rest for a period, after which he may resume work initially for three days per week,

CONSIDERING THEREFORE that the period of time in respect of which the Accused will not be able to work on preparation of his defence case will be prolonged,


CONSIDERING FURTHER that the Trial Chamber has not yet received the full English translation of the Rule 65 *ter* material filed by the Accused on 13 April 2004, which it must examine before the Pre-Defence Conference,

PURSUANT TO Rule 54 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the International Tribunal

HEREBY ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) The Pre-Defence Conference set for Wednesday, 9 June 2004 shall be vacated and will instead be held on Thursday, 17 June 2004, at 10am;
- (2) The Defence case shall commence on Monday, 5 July 2004, at 9am; and
- (3) The Trial Chamber will sit the following days up until the summer recess:
 - (a) Monday 5 July to Wednesday 7 July 2004;
 - (b) Tuesday 13 July to Thursday 15 July 2004;
 - (c) Monday 19 July to Wednesday 21 July 2004; and
 - (d) Tuesday 27 July to Thursday 29 July 2004.

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



Judge Robinson
Presiding

Dated this twenty-seventh day of May 2004
At The Hague
The Netherlands

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