



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: 1 March 2005

Original: ENGLISH

## IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER

Before:

Judge Patrick Robinson, Presiding

Judge O-Gon Kwon Judge Iain Bonomy

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

1 March 2005

#### **PROSECUTOR**

v.

# SLOBODAN MILOŠEVIĆ

### ORDER RECORDING USE OF TIME USED IN THE DEFENCE CASE

### Office of the Prosecutor:

Ms. Carla Del Ponte

Mr. Geoffrey Nice

The Accused:

Mr. Slobodan Milošević

**Court Assigned Counsel** 

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Amici Curiae:

Prof. Timothy 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 ("International Tribunal"),

Proprio motu

**NOTING** that, in the "Order Re-Scheduling and Setting the Time Available to Present the Defence Case", issued on 25 February 2004, the Trial Chamber noted that "the Accused should have the same time as the Prosecution had to present his (the Accused['s]) case in chief', and set out the following calculation of time available to him:

- (1) The Prosecution spent approximately 360 hours presenting its case in chief, or approximately 90 sitting days, which will be the amount of time for the Accused to present his case in chief;
- (2) However, to that is added two-thirds of that time for cross-examination of Defence witnesses and administrative matters, which amounts to approximately 240 hours, or 60 sitting days; and
- (3) Therefore, the Accused shall have 150 sitting days in which to present his case, which shall be subject to adjustment depending on the time taken in cross-examination and administrative matters[.]

**HAVING ORDERED**, in the "Order Concerning the Time Available to Present the Defence Case", issued on 10 February 2005, that the parties were to file in writing, within seven days, any challenge they wished to make to the time recorded in that Order,

**CONSIDERING** that no written response has been received and that the seven days has expired,

**CONSIDERING** that it is desirable that the parties are regularly notified of the calculation of time utilised,

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PURSUANT to Rules 54 of the Rules

**HEREBY ORDERS** that, as at the conclusion of court on 24 January 2005, the following time has been used:

• Defence examination-in-chief and re-examination, excluding opening statement: 3465 minutes [57 hours 45 minutes, or 14.44 days];

 Prosecution in cross-examination: 2623 minutes [43 hours 43 minutes, or 10.93 days];

Administrative matters: 682 minutes [11 hours 22 minutes, or 2.84 days]; and

 That, therefore, 28.21 days of effective time has been used during the Defence case, including 57 hours and 45 minutes of the 360 hours allowed the Defence for presentation of its case-in-chief.

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

Judge Robinson Presiding

Dated this first day of March 2005 At The Hague The Netherlands

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