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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:

Case No.

11 March 2005

IT-04-84-I

Original:

English

IN TRIAL CHAMBER II

Before:

Judge Carmel Agius, Presiding

Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti

Judge Kevin Parker

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

11 March 2005

PROSECUTOR

v.

Ramush HARADINAJ Idriz BALAJ Lahi BRAHIMAJ

ORDER DESIGNATING JUDGE FOR INITIAL APPEARANCE

The Office of the Prosecutor:

Ms. Carla del Ponte

Mr. Dermot Groome

Ms. Marie Tuma

The Accused:

Ramush Haradinaj Idriz Balaj Lahi Brahimaj

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I, Carmel Agius, Presiding Judge of Trial Chamber II 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 ("Tribunal");

NOTING the Indictment in the case *The Prosecutor v. Ramush Haradinaj, Idriz Balaj and Lahi Brahimaj* confirmed by Judge Iain Bonomy on 4 March 2005;

NOTING the confidential and *ex parte* "Final Order Relating to Prosecution Motion to Vary Orders of 4 March 2005" by Judge Iain Bonomy dated 10 March 2005 lifting the confidentiality of the Indictment against Ramush Haradinaj, Idriz Balaj and Lahi Brahimaj;

NOTING that Ramush Haradinaj and Lahi Brahimaj surrendered and were transferred to the seat of the Tribunal on 9 March 2005 and that Idriz Balaj was subsequently transferred on the same day;

NOTING the Confidential Order by the Acting President of the Tribunal dated 9 March 2005 assigning the case against Ramush Haradinaj, Idirz Balaj and Lahi Brahimaj to Trial Chamber II;

CONSIDERING that it is in the interests of justice and of an expeditious trial to appoint a judge of the Trial Chamber for the purpose of the initial appearance;

PURSUANT TO Rule 62 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Tribunal;

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HEREBY DESIGNATE myself, Judge Carmel Agius, as Judge of Trial Chamber II for the initial appearance of Ramush Haradinaj, Idriz Balaj and Lahi Brahimaj.

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

Dated this eleventh day of March 2005,

At The Hague

The Netherland

Judge Carmel Agius

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Presiding

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