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# UNITED NATIONS

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-04-84-PT

Date:

17 January 2007

Original:

**English** 

## THE PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL

Before:

Judge Kevin Parker, Acting President

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

17 January 2007

**PROSECUTOR** 

v.

Ramush HARADINAJ Idriz BALAJ Lahi BRAHIMAJ

#### ORDER ASSIGNING AD LITEM JUDGES FOR PRE-TRIAL WORK

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I, KEVIN PARKER, Vice-President 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 "Order Reassigning a Case to a Trial Chamber" of 15 January 2007, which assigned this case to Trial Chamber I;

**NOTING** the letter of the Secretary-General of 25 November 2005, in which Judge Frank Höpfel is appointed to serve in the International Tribunal as an *ad litem* Judge for the trial of *Prosecutor v. Martić*, Case No. IT-95-11-T, effective 29 November 2005;

**NOTING** the letter of the Secretary-General of 11 July 2006, in which Judge Ole Bjørn Støle is appointed to serve in the International Tribunal as a reserve *ad litem* Judge for the trial of *Prosecutor v. Popović et al.*, Case No. IT-05-88-T, effective 11 July 2006;

**NOTING** Security Council resolution 1481 (2003), which authorizes *ad litem* Judges to adjudicate in pre-trial proceedings in cases other than those they have been appointed to try;

**NOTING** that Rule 19 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the International Tribunal ("Rules") authorizes the President of the International Tribunal to coordinate the work of the Chambers;

**NOTING** that President Fausto Pocar is temporarily absent from the International Tribunal on Tribunal business and that pursuant to Rule 21 of the Rules, the Vice-President shall exercise the functions of the President in the case of the latter's absence or inability to act;

**CONSIDERING** the trial management and case distribution needs of the International Tribunal;

**HEREBY ASSIGN,** with immediate effect, Judge Frank Höpfel and Judge Ole Bjørn Støle to *Prosecutor v. Ramush Haradinaj et al.*, Case No. IT-04-84-PT, for the purposes of pre-trial work in this case.

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

Done this 17th day of January 2007, in The Hague, The Netherlands.

Judge Kevin Parker Acting President

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