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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 Former Yugoslavia since 1991

Case No.

IT-04-84-PT

Date:

24 January 2007

Original:

English

IN TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before:

Judge Alphons Orie, Presiding Judge

Judge Frank Höpfel Judge Ole Bjørn Støle

Registrar:

Mr Hans Holthuis

Decision of:

24 January 2007

PROSECUTOR

v.

RAMUSH HARADINAJ IDRIZ BALAJ LAHI BRAHIMAJ

SCHEDULING ORDER

Office of the Prosecutor

Mr David Re Mr Gramsci di Fazio Mr Gilles Dutertre Ms Katrina Gustafson

Counsel for Ramush Haradinaj

Mr Ben Emmerson, QC Mr Rodney Dixon Mr Michael O'Reilly

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Mr Gregor Guy-Smith

Counsel for Lahi Brahimaj

Mr Richard Harvey Mr Paul Troop

- 1. On 15 January 2007 the Acting President of the Tribunal assigned the present case to Trial Chamber I. The Trial Chamber recalls the "Decision on Motion to Amend the Amended Indictment", issued by Trial Chamber II on 12 January 2007, whereby the Revised Second Amended Indictment filed by the Prosecution on 10 November 2006 was accepted as the operative indictment in this case. That decision ordered a further appearance of the three Accused to re-enter their pleas in relation to Counts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 35, and 37 of the operative indictment.
- 2. The parties have informed the Trial Chamber that they are not insisting on the minimum time-limits between the filing of pre-trial briefs and the pre-trial conference as set out under Rule 65 ter (E) and (F).
- 3. Pursuant to Article 20 of the Statute of the Tribunal and Rule 54 of its Rules of Procedure and Evidence, the Chamber orders that:
 - (i) a pre-trial conference, as per Rule 73 bis, shall take place on 1 March 2007, at a time and in a courtroom to be announced;
 - (ii) during the pre-trial conference, as per Rule 50(B) of the Rules, the Accused Ramush Haradinaj, Idriz Balaj, and Lahi Brahimaj shall re-enter their pleas in relation to Counts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 35, and 37 of the Revised Second Amended Indictment;
 - (iii) the trial shall commence on 5 March 2007 at a time and in a courtroom to be announced.

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

Judge Alphons Orie Presiding Judge

Dated this 24th day of January 2007 At The Hague The Netherlands

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