



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-03-67-PT  
Date: 27 February 2007  
Original: ENGLISH

**IN TRIAL CHAMBER III**

**Before:** Judge Patrick Robinson, Presiding  
**Registrar:** Mr. Hans Holthuis  
**Order:** 27 February 2007

**PROSECUTOR**

v.

**VOJISLAV ŠEŠELJ**

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**ORDER ENTRUSTING FUNCTIONS TO PRE-TRIAL JUDGE**

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**Office of the Prosecutor:**

Ms. Hildegard Uertz-Retzlaff  
Mr. Daniel Saxon  
Mr. Ulrich Müssemer

**The Accused:**

Mr. Vojislav Šešelj

**I, Judge Patrick Robinson**, Presiding Judge of Trial Chamber III 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 “Order Reassigning a Case to a Trial Chamber,” filed on 20 February 2007, whereby the President assigned the case of *Prosecutor v. Vojislav Šešelj* to Trial Chamber III,

**NOTING** the “Order Designating a Pre-trial Judge,” filed 22 February 2007, whereby I designated Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti as the pre-trial Judge in this case,

**CONSIDERING** Rule 65 *ter* (A), which provides in relevant part, as follows:

(B) The pre-trial Judge shall, under the authority and supervision of the Trial Chamber seized of the case, coordinate communication between the parties during the pre-trial phase. The pre-trial Judge shall ensure that the proceedings are not unduly delayed and shall take any measure necessary to prepare the case for a fair and expeditious trial.

(C) The pre-trial Judge shall be entrusted with all of the pre-trial functions set forth in Rule 66, Rule 67, Rule 73 *bis* and Rule 73 *ter*, and with all or part of the functions set forth in Rule 73.

**CONSIDERING** that, pursuant to Rule 65 *ter* (C), it is appropriate and necessary to entrust a Judge of the Trial Chamber with certain pre-trial functions in order to (1) ensure that the proceedings are not unduly delayed and (2) take any measure necessary to prepare the case for a fair and expeditious trial,

**CONSIDERING** the composition of Trial Chamber III of the Tribunal as set out in “Composition of Appeals Chamber and Trial Chambers,” Document IT/245, issued 12 May 2006,

**PURSUANT** to Rule 65 *ter* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Tribunal,

**HEREBY ENTRUST** Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti as the pre-trial Judge in this case with all of the pre-trial functions set forth in Rules 66, 67, 73, 73 *bis*, and 73 *ter*.

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



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Judge Patrick Robinson  
Presiding

Dated this twenty-seventh day of February 2007  
At The Hague  
The Netherlands

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