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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

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IN TRIAL CHAMBER III

Before:

Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti

Judge Árpád Prandler Judge Stefan Trechsel

Reserve Judge Antoine Kesia-Mbe Mindua

Registrar:

Mr Hans Holthuis

Order of:

26 April 2007

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

Jadranko PRLIĆ Bruno STOJIĆ Slobodan PRALJAK Milivoj PETKOVIĆ Valentin ĆORIĆ Berislav PUŠIĆ

ORDER TO ADMIT EVIDENCE REGARDING WITNESS PATRICK VAN DER WELIDEN

The Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr Kenneth Scott

Mr Daryl Mundis

Counsel for the Accused:

Mr Michael Karnavas and Ms Suzana Tomanović for Jadranko Prlić

Ms Senka Nožica and Mr Peter Murphy for Bruno Stojić

Mr Božidar Kovačić and Ms Nika Pinter for Slobodan Praljak

Ms Vesna Alaburić and Mr Nicholas Stewart for Milivoj Petković

Ms Dijana Tomašegović-Tomić and Mr Dražen Plavec for Valentin Ćorić

Mr Fahrudin Ibrišimović and Mr Roger Sahota for Berislav Pušić

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TRIAL CHAMBER III ("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 ("Tribunal"),

CONSIDERING that the Office of the Prosecutor ("Prosecution") requested the admission of

five documents¹ while Counsel for the Accused Praljak ("Praljak Defence") and Counsel for

the Accused Ćorić ("Ćorić Defence") requested the admission of fifteen² documents and one³

document, respectively, related to the testimony of Patrick van der Weijden⁴ ("Proposed

Exhibits") who appeared before the Chamber on 7 and 8 February 2007 and on 26 March

2007,

CONSIDERING that the Prosecution raised it objections against the admission of two

documents requested by the Praljak Defence ("Prosecution Objections"),⁵

CONSIDERING that the Chamber has examined each of the Proposed Exhibits on the basis

of the admissibility criteria set out in its Decision of 13 July 2006 on the Admission of

Evidence, while also taking into account the Prosecution Objections,

CONSIDERING that the Chamber decides to admit into evidence the documents indicated

"Admitted" in the Annex attached to this decision since they were put to Witness Patrick van

der Weijden and bear sufficient indicia of relevance, probative value, and reliability,

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS.

PURSUANT TO Rules 54 and 89 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence,

GRANTS the Prosecution request for admission,

PARTIALLY GRANTS the Praliak Defence request for admission,

DECIDES that the documents indicated "Admitted" in the Annex attached to this decision

should be admitted into evidence,

AND DENIES in all other respects the Praljak Defence and Coric Defence requests for

admission.

IC 00511.

² IC 00512.

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

Isigned!

Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti Presiding Judge

Done this twenty-sixth day of April 2007 At The Hague The Netherlands

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 ⁴ Transcript in French ("T(F)") pp. 13890, 16447.
⁵ IC 00513; T(F) p. 16546.