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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: 22 October 2007

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

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

#### **PUBLIC**

### ORDER TO ADMIT EVIDENCE REGARDING WITNESS BD

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#### **Counsel for the Accused:**

Mr Michael Karnavas and Ms Suzana Tomanović for Jadranko Prlić

Ms Senka Nožica and Mr Karim A.A. Khan for Bruno Stojić

Mr Božidar Kovačić and Ms Nika Pinter for Slobodan Praljak

Ms Vesna Alaburić and Mr Nicholas Stewart for Milivoi 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") has requested the

admission of 17 documents<sup>1</sup> while Counsel for the Accused Prlić ("Prlić Defence"), Counsel

for the Accused Stojić ("Stojić Defence"), and Counsel for the Accused Praljak ("Praljak

Defence") have requested the admission of 17,21,3 and 114 documents, respectively, related

to the testimony of Witness BD ("Proposed Exhibits"), who appeared on 3, 4 and 5 July 2007,

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 ("Decision of 13 July 2006"),

**CONSIDERING** that the Chamber admits into evidence the documents indicated "Admitted"

in the Annex attached to this decision since they were put to Witness BD and bear sufficient

indicia of relevance, probative value and reliability,

CONSIDERING that the Chamber does not admit into evidence the Proposed Exhibits

indicated "Not Admitted" in the Annex attached to this decision since they do not satisfy the

requirements of the Decision of 13 July 2006,

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS,

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

GRANTS the requests of the Prosecution and Stojić Defence,

PARTIALLY GRANTS the requests of the Prlić Defence and Praliak Defence.

ADMITS into evidence the documents indicated "Admitted" in the Annex attached to this

decision. AND

<sup>1</sup> IC 00625.

<sup>2</sup> IC 00626

3 IC 00627

4 IC 00628

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**DISMISSES** unanimously Exhibit 1D 01642 presented by the Prlić Defence and Exhibits 3D 00892, 3D 00955, 3D 01051, 3D 01053, and IC 00624 presented by the Praljak Defence, **AND** 

**DISMISSES** by a majority Exhibits 1D 01336 and 1D 01526 presented by the Prlić Defence and Exhibit 3D 00921 presented by the Praljak Defence.

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

/signed/

Jean-Claude Antonetti Presiding Judge

Done this twenty-second day of October 2007 At The Hague The Netherlands

[Seal of the Tribunal]

## **Annex**

| Exhibit Number       | Party Proposing Admission of the Exhibit | Admitted/Not Admitted/Marked for Identification (MFI)   |
|----------------------|--|---|
| P 02421              | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 03420              | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 03530              | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 03900              | Prosecution and Prlić Defence            | Admitted  |
| P 05331              | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 06925 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09897 (under seal) | Prosecution and Praljak                  | Admitted  |
| ()                   | Defence                                  |   |
| P 09898 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09899 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09900 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09901 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09902 (under seal) | Prosecution and Praljak Defence          | Admitted  |
| P 09903 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09904 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09905 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09906 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| P 09907 (under seal) | Prosecution                              | Admitted  |
| 1D 01336             | Prlić Defence                            | Not admitted by a majority(reason:  |
|                      |  | witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document).                                     |
| 1D 01356             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01426             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01522             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01526             | Prlić Defence                            | Not admitted by a majority (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document). |
| 1D 01566             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01567             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01568             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01569             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01591             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01639             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01640             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01641             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |
| 1D 01642             | Prlić Defence                            | Not admitted (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document).               |
| 1D 01643             | Prlić Defence                            | Admitted  |

| 1D01644                                       | Prlić Defence   | Admitted  |
|---|-----------------|---|
| 2D 00501                                      | Stojić Defence  | Admitted  |
| 3D 00723                                      | Praljak Defence | Admitted  |
| 3D 00892                                      | Praljak Defence | Not admitted (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document).               |
| 3D 00921: page 3D25-0306                      | Praljak Defence | Not admitted by a majority (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document). |
| 3D 00955:<br>pages 3D25-0595 to 3D25-<br>0598 | Praljak Defence | Not admitted (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document).               |
| 3D 01024:<br>pages 3D25-1294 to<br>3D251299   | Praljak Defence | Admitted  |
| 3D 01051                                      | Praljak Defence | Not admitted (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document).               |
| 3D 01053                                      | Praljak Defence | Not admitted (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document).               |
| 3D 01056                                      | Praljak Defence | Admitted  |
| IC 00624                                      | Praljak Defence | Not admitted (reason: witness unable to provide the Chamber with information about the authenticity, relevance and probative value of this document).               |