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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

Case No.:	IT-03-67-PT
Date:	6 November 2007
Original:	ENGLISH French

BEFORE TRIAL CHAMBER III

Before:

Judge Jean-Claude Antonetti, presiding Judge Frederik Harhoff Judge Flavia Lattanzi

Registrar:

Mr Hans Holthuis

Decision of:

6 November 2007

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

VOJISLAV ŠEŠELJ

PUBLIC DOCUMENT

SCHEDULING ORDER

The Office of the Prosecutor

Ms Christine Dahl

The Accused

Mr Vojislav Šešelj

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");

PROPRIO MOTU

NOTING the order of 20 February 2007 whereby the President of the Tribunal assigned the present case to the Chamber;¹

NOTING the order of 23 October 2007 issued by the Vice-President of the Tribunal, according to which Judges Frederik Harhoff and Flavia Lattanzi were assigned to the Chamber for the present case;²

FURTHER NOTING the order of 26 October 2007 issued by Judge Carmel Agius, acting as President of the Tribunal under Rule 22 (A) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence ("Rules"), in which it was determined that for the purposes of the present case the Chamber shall be constituted by Judges Jean-Claude Antonetti (presiding), Frederik Harhoff and Flavia Lattanzi;³

CONSIDERING that Rule 62 (A) (v) of the Rules provides that "the Trial Chamber or the Judge shall [...] in the case of a plea of not guilty, instruct the Registrar to set a date for trial",

CONSIDERING that in a scheduling order of 18 September 2007, the pre-trial Judge had set the schedule for the commencement of the trial by ordering a pre-trial conference to be held on 6 November 2007, the Prosecution to make its opening statement on 7 November 2007, the Accused to make, if he so wishes, his opening statement on 8 November 2007, and the Prosecution to begin presenting its case on 14 November 2007;⁴

¹ Order Reassigning a Case to a Trial Chamber, 20 February 2007.

² Order Assigning Ad Litem Judges to a Case Before a Trial Chamber, 23 October 2007.

³ Order Assigning Judges to a Case Before a Trial Chamber, 26 October 2007.

⁴ Scheduling Order, 18 September 2007, p. 2.

CONSIDERING that for logistical reasons, it will not be possible for the Prosecution to begin presenting its case on the scheduled date;

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS

PURSUANT TO Rule 62 (A) (v) of the Rules,

INSTRUCTS the Registrar to set the date for the commencement of the trial in the present case according to the following schedule and **ORDERS** that the presentation of the Prosecution case shall begin on Tuesday 11 December at 0900 hours in courtroom I.

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

/signed/

Jean-Claude Antonetti

Presiding Judge

Done this sixth day of November 2007

At The Hague

The Netherlands

[Seal of the Tribunal]

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