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International Tribunal for the

Prosecution of Persons

Responsible for Serious Violations of

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Committed in the Territory of the

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Case No.

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Original:

English

THE PRESIDENT OF THE TRIBUNAL

Before:

Judge Fausto Pocar, President

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

14 December 2007

PROSECUTOR

v.

MILAN MILUTINOVIĆ NIKOLA ŠAINOVIĆ DRAGOLJUB OJDANIĆ NEBOJŠA PAVKOVIĆ VLADIMIR LAZAREVIĆ SRETEN LUKIĆ

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ORDER

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I, FAUSTO POCAR, President 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 "Pavković Appeal Pursuant to Rule 116 *bis* against the Decision on Pavković Motion for Temporary Provisional Release, dated 12 December 2007" ("Appeal") filed on 13 December 2007;

CONSIDERING Article 14 of the Tribunal's Statute as well as Rule 19(A), Rule 28(C), (D), (E), and (F), and Rule 65(D) of the Tribunal's Rules of Procedure and Evidence;

CONSIDERING that the Appeal was delivered to the Appeals Chamber only today, 14 December 2007;

CONSIDERING therefore that no bench of the Appeals Chamber can be constituted to consider the Appeal before the beginning of the Tribunal's recess;

CONSIDERING that the Appeal requests that Nebojša Pavković be provisionally released on "compassionate grounds" during the Tribunal's recess;

REQUESTS the Registry to transmit the Appeal to the Duty Judge, in order for him to consider whether the matter falls under his prerogatives.

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

Done this 14th day of December 2007, At The Hague, The Netherlands.

Judge Fausto Pocar President

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