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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-05-87-T

Date:

13 May 2008

Original:

English

### **IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER**

Before:

Judge Iain Bonomy, Presiding

Judge Ali Nawaz Chowhan Judge Tsvetana Kamenova

Judge Janet Nosworthy, Reserve Judge

Registrar:

Mr. Hans Holthuis

Order of:

13 May 2008

**PROSECUTOR** 

v.

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

#### **PUBLIC REDACTED VERSION**

#### ORDER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SERBIA

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Government of the Republic of Serbia

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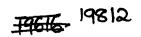
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Mr. Tomislav Višnjić and Mr. Norman Sepenuk for Mr. Dragoljub Ojdanić

Mr. John Ackerman and Mr. Aleksandar Aleksić for Mr. Nebojša Pavković

Mr. Mihajlo Bakrač and Mr. Đuro Čepić for Mr. Vladimir Lazarević

Mr. Branko Lukić and Mr. Dragan Ivetić for Mr. Sreten Lukić



THIS TRIAL 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"),

**NOTING** the confidential "Summons Pursuant to Rules 54 and 98," issued by the Trial Chamber on 13 May 2008 ("Summons"), ordering **Mr. Aleksandar Dimitrijević** to appear and testify before the Tribunal in the above-captioned matter,

NOTING Rules 54 and 98 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Tribunal, which provide as follows:

#### Rule 54 General Rule

At the request of either party or *proprio motu*, a Judge or a Trial Chamber may issue such orders, summonses, subpoenas, warrants and transfer orders as may be necessary for the purposes of an investigation or for the preparation or conduct of the trial.

## Rule 98 Power of Chambers to Order Production of Additional Evidence

A Trial Chamber may order either party to produce additional evidence. It may proprio motu summon witnesses and order their attendance.

**NOTING** Article 29 of the Statute of the Tribunal, which provides as follows:

## Article 29 Cooperation and judicial assistance

- 1. States shall cooperate with the International Tribunal in the investigation and prosecution of persons accused of committing serious violations of international humanitarian law.
- 2. States shall comply without undue delay with any request for assistance or an order issued by a Trial Chamber, including, but not limited to:
- (a) the identification and location of persons;
- (b) the taking of testimony and the production of evidence;
- (c) the service of documents;
- (d) the arrest or detention of persons;
- (e) the surrender or the transfer of the accused to the International Tribunal.

CONSIDERING that it would be in the interests of justice for the Government of the Republic of Serbia to assist the Tribunal by serving the Summons and taking any other actions necessary to ensure the appearance of Mr. Aleksandar Dimitrijević before the Trial Chamber in order to give evidence in the above-captioned proceeding,

**PURSUANT TO** Rules 54 and 98 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence of the Tribunal and Article 29 of the Statute of the Tribunal.

#### **HEREBY ORDERS** the Government of the Republic of Serbia:

(1) to serve the Summons on the following individual as soon as possible:

Name: Mr. Aleksandar Dimitrijević
Address:

- (2) to, within 48 hours of service or unsuccessful attempted service of the Summons, file a confidential written report with the Tribunal providing the details of the service or unsuccessful attempted service;
- (3) to take whatever steps reasonably necessary to ensure that the individual appears at trial on the dates indicated in his Summons;
- (4) not to disclose to the public, except to the extent necessary to effectuate the Summons, (i) the name, identifying information, and whereabouts of the witness; (ii) the existence of the Summons; or (iii) the Government of the Republic of Serbia's assistance in serving the Summons and facilitating the appearance of the individual at the Tribunal until such time as the individual appears at an open session of the trial or the Trial Chamber lifts the confidentiality of this Order.

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For the purposes of this Order, the "public" means all persons, including corporations; governments and organs/departments thereof; organisations; entities; associations; groups; the Accused's family members, friends, and associates; accused and defence counsel in other proceedings before the Tribunal; and the media. However, for the purposes of this Order, the "public" does not mean Judges of the Tribunal; staff of the Registry and the Office of the Prosecutor; or the Accused and their Defence Counsel, co-counsel, and other members of the Defence teams.

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

Judge Iain Bonomy

**Presiding** 

Dated this thirteenth day of May 2008 At The Hague Netherlands

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