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**English** 

## IN TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before:

Judge Alphons Orie, Presiding

Judge Uldis Kinis

Judge Elizabeth Gwaunza

**Acting Registrar:** 

Mr John Hocking

Order of:

15 April 2009

**PROSECUTOR** 

V.

ANTE GOTOVINA IVAN ČERMAK MLADEN MARKAČ

#### **PUBLIC**

# INVITATION TO CROATIA TO FILE A SUBMISSION IN RELATION TO DEFENDANT ANTE GOTOVINA'S MOTION FOR A RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA

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## Republic of Croatia

Per: the Embassy of the Republic of Croatia to the Kingdom of the Netherlands

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Mr Goran Mikuličić Mr Tomislav Kuzmanović **TRIAL CHAMBER I** 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;

**BEING SEIZED OF** Defendant Ante Gotovina's Motion for a Restraining Order against the Republic of Croatia pursuant to Rule 54, filed on 1 April 2009, Defendant Ante Gotovina's Additional Submission in support of his Motion for Restraining Order against the Republic of Croatia, filed on 2 April 2009, and the Submission of Registry Accreditation Letter for Mr. Marin Ivanovic, filed on 3 April 2009 ("Motion");

**NOTING** that the Prosecution filed its response on 9 April 2009;<sup>1</sup>

**CONSIDERING** that the Gotovina Defence sought leave from the Chamber to leave to reply to the Prosecution Response on 14 April 2009;<sup>2</sup>

**FINDS** it appropriate to give Croatia an opportunity to make submissions on the current matter, once it has received all the relevant filings, before the Chamber decides whether to grant the Request for Leave to Reply;

**REQUESTS** the Registry, if it has not done so already, to provide Croatia with the three filings that constitute the Motion and with the Prosecution Response;

**INVITES** Croatia to make written submissions in relation to the Motion;

**REQUESTS** Croatia, in light of the urgency of the matter, to file the submissions within fourteen days of the filing of this Invitation.

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

Judge Alphons Orie Presiding Judge

Dated this fifteenth day of April 2009 At The Hague The Netherlands

[Seal of the Tribunal]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Prosecution Response to Gotovina's Motion for Restraining Order against the Republic of Croatia, 9 April 2009 ("Prosecution Response").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Defendant Ante Gotovina's Motion for Leave to Reply to Prosecution's Response to General Gotovina's Motion for Restraining Order against the Republic of Croatia, 14 April 2009 ("Request for Leave to Reply").