



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-95-5/18-PT

Date: 1 May 2009

Original: English

IN THE TRIAL CHAMBER

Before: Judge Iain Bonomy, Pre-Trial Judge

Acting Registrar: Mr. John Hocking

Decision of: 1 May 2009

PROSECUTOR

v.

RADOVAN KARADŽIĆ

PUBLIC

**DECISION ON PROSECUTION'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF WORD LIMIT TO
RESPOND TO KARADŽIĆ'S MOTION FOR ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL
IN COMPLETED CASES**

Office of the Prosecutor:

Mr. Alan Tieger
Ms. Hildegard Uertz-Retzlaff

The Accused:

Mr. Radovan Karadžić

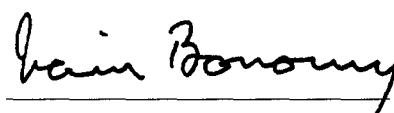
I, **Iain Bonomy**, Judge of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the former Yugoslavia since 1991 (“Tribunal”) am seised of the “Prosecution’s Motion for Extension of Word Limit to Respond to Karadžić’s Motion for Access to Confidential Material in Completed Cases”, filed on 1 May 2009 (“Motion”) and hereby render a decision thereon.

1. In the Motion, the Prosecution requests leave to exceed the word limit in its response to the “Motion for Access to Confidential Materials in Completed Cases”, filed by the Accused on 16 April 2009 (“Motion for Access”). The Prosecution seeks an enlargement of the word limit in an “equal measure” to that given to the Accused in respect of the Motion for Access. The extension given to the Accused there was 4,000 extra words.¹

2. In light of the fact that the response to the Accused’s Motion is due immediately, I consider it to be in the interests of justice to grant the Motion without hearing from the Accused.

3. Accordingly, pursuant to Rules 54 and 65 *ter* (B), I hereby **GRANT** the Prosecution leave to exceed the word limit in its response to the Motion for Access by 4,000 words.

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



Judge Iain Bonomy
Pre-Trial Judge

Dated this first day of May 2009
At The Hague
The Netherlands

[Seal of the Tribunal]

¹ Motion, para. 3; *see also* Decision on Accused’s Motion to Exceed Word Limit: Access to Confidential Material in Completed Cases, 15 April 2009.