



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-R77.5
Date: 17 August 2017
Original: English

IN TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before: Judge Alphons Orie, Presiding
Judge Bakone Justice Moloto
Judge Christoph Flügge

Registrar: Mr John Hocking

Order of: 17 August 2017

IN THE CASE AGAINST

**PETAR JOJIĆ
JOVO OSTOJIĆ
VJERICA RADETA**

PUBLIC

REVISED ORDER IN LIEU OF INDICTMENT

Amicus Curiae Prosecutor
Ms Diana Ellis, QC

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 (“Chamber” and “Tribunal”, respectively);

NOTING that on 30 October 2012, Trial Chamber II issued an order in lieu of indictment, charging, *inter alios*, Petar Jojić, Jovo Ostojić, and Vjerica Radeta (“Accused”) with contempt of the Tribunal for having threatened, intimidated, offered bribes to, or otherwise interfered with witnesses in the cases of *Prosecutor v. Vojislav Šešelj* (IT-03-67-T and IT-03-67-R77.3);¹

NOTING that on 5 December 2014, Trial Chamber II issued a revised order in lieu of indictment;²

NOTING that on 19 January 2015, Trial Chamber II, addressing the Republic of Serbia, issued warrants of arrest and orders for surrender in relation to the Accused;³

NOTING that on 7 April 2015, the President of the Tribunal assigned the instant case to the Chamber;⁴

NOTING that on 5 October 2016, the Chamber issued international warrants of arrest and orders for surrender in relation to the Accused;⁵

NOTING that on 16 March 2016, Interpol distributed Red Notices in relation to the Accused;⁶

NOTING that on 4 August 2017, the Registry submitted the official death certificate of Jovo Ostojić;⁷

CONSIDERING that in the case of the death of an accused, the proceedings against the deceased are to be terminated;

PURSUANT TO Rule 54 of the Tribunal’s Rules of Procedure and Evidence;

VACATES the Tribunal’s arrest warrants against Jovo Ostojić;

¹ Decision Issuing Order in Lieu of Indictment, 30 October 2012 (Confidential and *ex parte*).

² Further Decision on Order in Lieu of Indictment, 5 December 2014 (Confidential and *ex parte*), Annex B.

³ Warrant of Arrest and Order for Surrender of Petar Jojić, 19 January 2015 (Confidential and *ex parte*); Warrant of Arrest and Order for Surrender of Jovo Ostojić, 19 January 2015 (Confidential and *ex parte*); Warrant of Arrest and Order for Surrender of Vjerica Radeta (Confidential and *ex parte*), 19 January 2015. Public versions of these arrest warrants were subsequently issued.

⁴ Order Reassigning a Case to a Trial Chamber, 7 April 2015 (Confidential and *ex parte*).

⁵ International Arrest Warrant and Order for Surrender [re Petar Jojić], 5 October 2016 (Confidential and *ex parte*); International Arrest Warrant and Order for Surrender [re Jovo Ostojić], 5 October 2016 (Confidential and *ex parte*); International Arrest Warrant and Order for Surrender [re Vjerica Radeta], 5 October 2016 (Confidential and *ex parte*). Public versions of these international arrest warrants were subsequently issued.

⁶ Deputy Registrar’s Submission in Relation to the Order of 14 February 2017, 29 March 2017, para. 4.

⁷ Deputy Registrar’s Submission of Death Certificate, 4 August 2017 (Confidential).

TERMINATES all proceedings in this case with respect to Jovo Ostojić;

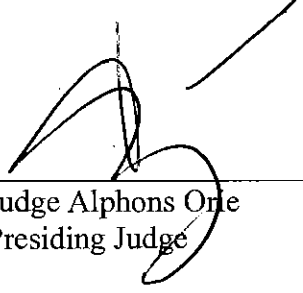
ISSUES a revised order in lieu of indictment, set out in confidential and *ex parte* Annex A;

ISSUES a revised redacted version of the operative order in lieu of indictment, set out in confidential Annex B;

ISSUES a revised public redacted version of the operative order in lieu of indictment, set out in public Annex C; and

ORDERS the Registry to provide all United Nations member states and Interpol with this order and the revised redacted version of the operative order in lieu of indictment, set out in Annex B.

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



Judge Alphons Orie
Presiding Judge

Dated this seventeenth day of August 2017
At The Hague
The Netherlands

[Seal of the Tribunal]