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DISTRICT COURT IN BELGRADE-War Crimes Department -

BELGRADE

In court case K.V. no. 6/2005, the court decision brought on 10 April 2007 became final regarding the accused **AA**, **AB** and **AG**, while the decision was withdrawn in regards to the accused **AV**, and a main hearing scheduled for the mentioned accused.

Considering that the text of the our indictment KTRZ no. 3/05 dated 7 October 2005 was amended by our act under the same number dated 9 October 2006, contained a unique description against the said persons for all of them, and that now only one of these persons is being charged, we specify the indictment in relation to the accused **AV**, so that the wording of the amended indictment reads:

BACKGROUND FACTS AND GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

On an unspecified day in July 1995, during the civil war in the then Republic of B-H, between members of the Serb, Croat and Muslim armed forces, at a place called "..." near "...", AV, as a member of the paramilitary formation "..." formed by the Oil Industry Company of the Republika of Srpska Krajina for the purpose of warehousing oil wells in the village "..." and its surroundings, operating militarily as part of the Army of the Republic of Srpska Krajina, has violated the rules of international law, namely:

- Article 3 (1.1.A) of the Geneva Convention IV relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War dated 12 August 1949, ratified by the

National Assembly of the FPRY (FPRY Official Gazette no. 24/50) and contrary to Article 4 (2A) and Article 13 of the of the Additional Protocol II to this Convention.

- For aiding and abetting members of his unit **AA**, **AB**, **AD**, against whom the criminal proceedings ended with a final decision by the War Crimes Chamber of the District Court in Belgrade in the year, **AK**, against whom the criminal proceedings were held separately, and **AL**, who was convicted in connection with the same event by a final verdict of the Zagreb County Court - Republic of Croatia, and other unknown members of the same unit for taking the lives of six captured Muslims, as follows:

AM, AN, ANJ, AO, AP and AR,

By acting on the orders of AA, the commander of the said unit, to shoot prisoners near the combat position at the place where the fighting had taken place before, and in such a way to present that they had died in those actions with an automatic rifle in hand, together with AB, AK and AL, who also had automatic rifles in their hands, participating in the transport of prisoners by truck driven by AD from "..." to a place near the settlement with burned cottages. They then, after disembarking prisoners who were ordered to lie on the ground, together with the said members of the unit still holding automatic rifles in their hands held back the captives from escaping, and then with the same accomplices, and with AD and two unknown members of the unit, also holding automatic rifles in their hands, conducted the captured persons from that place to the burned weekend cottage of ALJ, thus creating together with other accomplices, for all the time from departure from "..." until the arrival in front of the burned cottage despair in the prisoners and lack of will to try to escape. Finally, the accused stood with an automatic rifle in his hand while AB, AD, AK, AL and unknown members of the unit shot 4 prisoners in the back, and after the remaining two prisoners carried the bodies of those shot to the house and shot them as they lay face down on the ground inside the burned cottage in the back and head, after which the those killed by unidentified persons, were covered with gasoline and burned,

- by which the accused has committed the criminal offense of the war crime against the civilian population by aiding and abetting under Article 142 (1), in connection with Article 24 of the CC of FRY.

WAR CRIMES PROSECUTOR Vladimir Vukčević