

PROSECUTOR
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DETENTION

HIGHER COURT IN BELGRADE War Crimes Department

BELGRADE

On the basis of Article 43.2 (5), Article 331.1, Articles 332 and 333.1 of the CPC, as well as Articles 3 and 4, and paragraph 1 of the Law on the Organization and Competence of State Authorities in War Crime Proceedings, I am hereby raising an

INDICTMENT

Against the following:

AA, called..... from..... DOB..... in....., father's name..... mother's name..... maiden name....., address....., street no....., PI no....., occupation..... education..... school in Djakovica, with no immovable property.....

EXPLICATION:

- during the internal (non-international) armed conflict which took place on the territory of the autonomous province of Kosovo and Metohija starting from February 1998 to the end of 1999 between the armed and police forces of the FRY, on the one hand, and an organized armed group of Kosovo Albanians, the so-called Kosovo Liberation Army - KLA, on the other, the

above had violated the rules of international law from Article 3.1 (1) under (a) the IV Geneva Convention Relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War of 12 August 1949 and the rules from Article 4.1 and 4.2 item a) of the Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 and Relating to the Protection of Victims of Non-International Armed Conflicts (Protocol II), in such a way that on an unspecified day in the second half of June 1999, as a member of the so-called KLA, together with several NN members of the so-called KLA, all armed with bombs, rifles and pistols and in uniforms, he had, from the house of the now deceased BB, which is located in the area of Dakovica, in the settlement...., Street forcibly taken civilian VV to his house in...., where he treated him inhumanely, physically abusing and injuring him by hitting him with a baseball bat, throwing a bottle at him and hitting him above the left ear with a filled bottle while he was sitting on a chair with his hands tied during which AA and other NN members of the so-called KLA hit him with gunstocks, their hands and feet, as a result of which the victim underwent injuries and lost consciousness on several occasions. Afterwards, the injured party was transported to the village of Babaloć, municipality of Đakovica, to the headquarters of the so-called KLA, where other NN members of the so-called KLA continued abusing the injured party by questioning him about the circumstances of the burial place of members of the so-called KLA and their relatives who died during the war in Kosovo and Metohija, as well as whether he had participated on the Serbian side, only to be released the next day by order of the NN commander of the so-called KLA headquarters in Babaloć.

- whereby, as a co-perpetrator, he has committed the criminal act of war crime against the civilian population from Article 142.1, and in connection with Article 22 of the CC of the FRY.

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