

In: KSC-BC-2023-10

Specialist Prosecutor v. Sabit Januzi, Ismet Bahtijari and

Haxhi Shala

**Before: Pre-Trial Judge** 

Judge Nicolas Guillou

Dr Fidelma Donlon **Registrar:** 

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## Notification of agreed facts and points of law

with confidential Annexes 1 and 2

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- 1. Pursuant to the Decision,<sup>1</sup> and to Rule 95(3) of the Rules,<sup>2</sup> the Specialist Prosecutor's Office ('SPO') hereby notifies the Pre-Trial Judge of the outcome of its *inter partes* discussions with the Defence for Sabit Januzi, Haxhi Shala and Ismet Bahtijari (collectively, the 'Defence') on points of agreement on matters of law and fact.
- 2. On 5 February 2024, the SPO provided the Defence with a proposal containing 92 proposed facts.
- 3. On 13 May 2024, the SPO provided the Defence with a proposal containing 17 proposed points of law.
- 4. On 14 May 2024, the Januzi Defence indicated that they were not willing to agree to matters of law and fact at this stage.
- 5. On 15 May 2024, the Shala Defence and Bahtijari Defence indicated their agreement to certain facts specified in Annex 1 to this notification.
- 6. On 15 May 2024, the Bahtijari Defence indicated their agreement to the proposed points of law provided by the SPO subject to issues and/or defences that may arise. Those proposed points of law are specified in Annex 2 to this notification.
- 7. On 17 May 2024, the Januzi Defence proposed one point of law.
- 8. A draft of this filing was provided to each of the Defence teams for their advance review.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Decision Setting out the Calendar for the Remaining Procedural Steps of the Pre-Trial Phase, KSC-BC-2023-10/F00233, 27 March 2024 ('Decision'), para.30(h).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rules of Procedure and Evidence Before the Kosovo Specialist Chambers, KSC-BD-03/Rev3/2020, 2 June 2020 ('Rules').