



KOSOVO SPECIALIST CHAMBERS
DHOMAT E SPECIALIZUARA TË KOSOVËS
SPECIJALIZOVANA VEÇA KOSOVA

In: KSC-BC-2023-11
Before: Pre-Trial Judge
Judge Nicolas Guillou
Registrar: Dr Fidelma Donlon
Date: 01 December 2023
Language: English
Classification: Strictly Confidential and *Ex Parte*

ORDER

Setting a Target Date for a Decision Pursuant to Article 39(2)

Specialist Prosecutor

Kimberly P. West

THE PRE-TRIAL JUDGE,¹ pursuant to Article 39(2) of Law No. 05/L-053 on Specialist Chambers and Specialist Prosecutor's Office ("Law"), and Rule 85(5) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence Before the Kosovo Specialist Chambers ("Rules"), hereby issues the following order.

I. PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND AND APPLICABLE LAW

1. On 20 November 2023, the Specialist Prosecutor's Office ("SPO") submitted for confirmation a strictly confidential and *ex parte* indictment against Haxhi Shala ("Indictment"), together with evidentiary material supporting the material facts alleged in the Indictment, as well as an outline linking each item of evidentiary material to each allegation.²

2. Rule 85(5) of the Rules provides that the Pre-Trial Judge shall set a target date for his decision pursuant to Article 39(2) of the Law which, subject to the specificities of the case, shall be no later than six (6) months from the filing of the indictment and all supporting material.

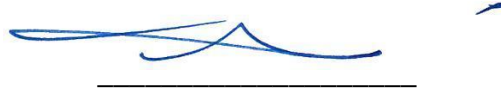
II. DISPOSITION

3. The Pre-Trial Judge hereby:

DETERMINES that a decision pursuant to Article 39(2) of the Law will be issued on **Monday, 4 December 2023**.

¹ KSC-BC-2023-11, F00001, President, *Decision Assigning a Pre-Trial Judge*, 20 November 2023, confidential.

² KSC-BC-2023-11, F00002, Specialist Prosecutor, *Submission of Indictment for Confirmation and Related Requests*, 20 November 2023, strictly confidential and *ex parte*, with Annexes 1-3, strictly confidential and *ex parte*.



Judge Nicolas Guillou

Pre-Trial Judge

Dated this Friday, 1 December 2023

At The Hague, the Netherlands.