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International Residual Mechanism  
for Criminal Tribunals

Case No.: MICT-23-129-Misc.1

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**THE PRESIDENT OF THE MECHANISM**

**Before: Judge Graciela Gatti Santana**

**Registrar: Mr. Abubacarr M. Tambaou**

**Date: 21 May 2026**

**IN THE MATTER OF VOJISLAV ŠEŠELJ, MILJAN DAMJANOVIĆ,  
MIROLJUB IGNJATOVIĆ, LJILJANA MIHAJLOVIĆ, AND  
OGNJEN MIHAJLOVIĆ**

**PUBLIC**

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**TENTH MONITORING REPORT**

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**Monitor**

Ms. Dagmara Albrecht

## I. INTRODUCTION

1. On 22 April 2025, the Registrar of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals (“Mechanism”) appointed me as monitor<sup>1</sup> to observe and report on the progress of contempt proceedings against Mr. Vojislav Šešelj, Mr. Miljan Damjanović, Mr. Miroljub Ignjatović, Ms. Ljiljana Mihajlović, and Mr. Ognjen Mihajlović (“Accused”), referred to the Republic of Serbia (“Serbia”) by a Single Judge pursuant to Articles 1(4), 6(2), and 6(4) of the Statute of the Mechanism and Rule 14 of the Mechanism’s Rules of Procedure and Evidence.<sup>2</sup>
2. This Tenth Monitoring Report, which I respectfully submit to the President through the Registrar in accordance with the applicable Terms of Reference,<sup>3</sup> covers the period from 19 March to 21 May 2026.

## II. PROCEDURAL HISTORY

3. The First Monitoring Report outlined the relevant procedural history of this case, from the indictment of the Accused through the referral of the case to Serbia, up until 20 November 2024.<sup>4</sup>
4. Subsequent Monitoring Reports discussed monitoring activities undertaken between 20 November 2024 and 16 January 2026.<sup>5</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of Vojislav Šešelj, Miljan Damjanović, Miroljub Ignjatović, Ljiljana Mihajlović, and Ognjen Mihajlović*, Case No. MICT-23-129-I, Order Appointing a Monitor, public, 22 April 2025 (“Appointment Order”).

<sup>2</sup> *Prosecutor v. Vojislav Šešelj, Miljan Damjanović, Miroljub Ignjatović, Ljiljana Mihajlović, and Ognjen Mihajlović*, Case No. MICT-23-129-I (“*Šešelj et al.*”), Decision on Referral of the Case to the Republic of Serbia, public, 29 February 2024.

<sup>3</sup> The Terms of Reference were agreed upon by an exchange of memoranda between the Registrar and the President, concluded on 4 October 2024, and further amended on 15 January 2025, providing for a bi-monthly reporting regime until the start of proceedings, unless an important development warrants an earlier report.

<sup>4</sup> *In the Matter of Vojislav Šešelj, Miljan Damjanović, Miroljub Ignjatović, Ljiljana Mihajlović, and Ognjen Mihajlović*, Case No. MICT-23-129-Misc.1, First Monitoring Report, confidential, dated 20 November 2024, public redacted version filed on 4 March 2025 (“First Monitoring Report”).

<sup>5</sup> *In the Matter of Vojislav Šešelj, Miljan Damjanović, Miroljub Ignjatović, Ljiljana Mihajlović, and Ognjen Mihajlović*, Case No. MICT-23-129-Misc.1, Second Monitoring Report, confidential, dated 20 December 2024, public redacted version filed on 4 March 2025, covered the period of 20 November through 20 December 2024; Third Monitoring Report, confidential, dated 20 February 2025, public redacted version filed on 12 March 2025, covered the period of 20 December 2024 through 20 February 2025; Fourth Monitoring Report, public, dated 16 May 2025, filed on 21 May 2025, covered the period from 22 April to 16 May 2025; Fifth Monitoring Report, confidential, dated 14 July 2025, public redacted version filed on 16 July 2025, covered the period from 17 May to 14 July 2025; Sixth Monitoring Report, confidential, dated 16 September 2025, public redacted version filed on 17 September 2025, covered the period from 15 July to 16 September 2025; Seventh Monitoring Report, confidential, dated 20 November 2025, public redacted version filed on 27 November 2025, covered the period from 17 September to 20 November 2025 (“Seventh Monitoring Report”); Eighth Monitoring Report, public, dated 16 January 2026, filed on 20 January 2026.

5. The Ninth Monitoring Report covered the period from 17 January to 18 March 2026.<sup>6</sup>

### III. REPORT

6. During the previous reporting period, I sent numerous e-mail inquiries to the Ministry of Justice of Serbia (“Ministry of Justice”). I requested information regarding the status of the pending preliminary matter in the *Šešelj et al.* case, which the Assistant Minister, Sector for International Cooperation and Strategic Planning, at the Ministry of Justice had undertaken to provide to me after our meeting in November 2025.<sup>7</sup> To date, I have not received any response to these e-mails.
7. On 29 April 2026, I wrote again to the Ministry of Justice, emphasizing that I had not received any information from the Ministry of Justice since November 2025, and that none of my e-mail inquiries had been answered.
8. Also on 29 April 2026, I emailed the Public Prosecutor’s Office for War Crimes (“Prosecutor’s Office of Serbia”), seeking confirmation as to whether the *Šešelj et al.* case was still pending a preliminary opinion from the Ministry of Justice. I also requested information as to whether the Prosecutor’s Office of Serbia currently intends to take further action in relation to the referred case.
9. On 18 May 2026, I followed up on my requests for information. I also informed the Ministry of Justice and the Prosecutor’s Office of Serbia of my intention to conduct a monitoring mission to Serbia and requested a meeting with their representatives to discuss the status of the referred case.

### IV. CONCLUSION

10. According to the available information, the *Šešelj et al.* case is still pending the preliminary opinion of the Ministry of Justice.

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<sup>6</sup> *In the Matter of Vojislav Šešelj, Miljan Damjanović, Miroljub Ignjatović, Ljiljana Mihajlović, and Ognjen Mihajlović*, Case No. MICT-23-129-Misc.1, Ninth Monitoring Report, public, dated 18 March 2026, filed on 23 March 2026 (“Ninth Monitoring Report”).

<sup>7</sup> See Ninth Monitoring Report, paras. 7-8; Seventh Monitoring Report, para. 18.

11. Subject to the availability of the main Serbian interlocutors in the referred case, I intend to conduct a monitoring mission to Belgrade before submitting the next monitoring report.
12. I remain available to provide any additional information.

Respectfully submitted,



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Monitor

Done this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 2026,  
At The Hague,  
The Netherlands.



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