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To : John Hocking, Registrar ICTY
From : Michael J. Eekhof, Reporting Medical Officer

DD : 30 November 2009

Concerning: Health Condition of Mr. Stanisic Jovica, DOB 30 July 1950

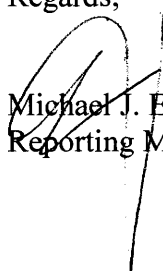
Dear Sir,

Further to the Chamber's request, dated 24 April 2009, for a weekly medical report on the diagnosed health problems of Mr. Jovica Stanisic and further to my earlier reports, I would like to provide you with this additional report.

1. This last week Mr. Stanisic's general physical condition remained basically unchanged.
2. Mr. Stanisic's mood has clearly improved this last week, he is more active. During consultations he was intellectually active, his affect fluctuated adequately, his attention span was normal, and his orientation was good; no evident disturbances in memory or perception and judgement were apparent.
3. Mr. Stanisic does state that his preoccupation with personal problems prevents him concentrating fully on, and preparing his defence; it is my opinion that there are no medical or psychiatric reasons preventing him participating in the proceedings.
4. These last weeks Mr. Stanisic has demonstrated being able to participate fully during consultations lasting up to 45 minutes, it is my conclusion that participating in the proceedings lasting up to 45 minutes should present no problems.
5. As it has again been established that Mr. Stanisic's activities vary from day to day, in the past week periods of activity sitting for up to 3 hours has been proven possible.
6. Mr. Stanisic states being able to participate physically in the proceedings in the VTC room provided. On the basis of observations, it is my opinion that being transported to the court should pose no problems if toilet facilities and a bed are readily available. In both options, I estimate that he is able to sit and to participate in the proceedings for periods of at least 45 minutes, it is my estimate that Mr. Stanisic could resume participating in the proceedings after a 30 minute break; however, this remains unclear without assessment.

I will of course provide you with additional reports as requested and keep you informed of developments as they occur.

Regards,


Michael J. Eekhof,
Reporting Medical Officer