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REQUEST FOR THE INCLUSION OF ADDITIONAL ITEMS IN THE AGENDA  
OF THE FORTY-SEVENTH SESSION

FINANCING OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE PROSECUTION OF  
PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR SERIOUS VIOLATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL  
HUMANITARIAN LAW COMMITTED IN THE TERRITORY OF THE FORMER  
YUGOSLAVIA SINCE 1991

ELECTION OF JUDGES OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL FOR  
THE PROSECUTION OF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR SERIOUS  
VIOLATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW COMMITTED  
IN THE TERRITORY OF THE FORMER YUGOSLAVIA SINCE 1991

Note by the Secretary-General

1. Following the adoption of Security Council resolution 827 (1993) of 25 May 1993 on the establishment of an International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991, the Secretary-General has the honour to request, pursuant to rule 15 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the inclusion in the agenda of the forty-seventh session of two additional items, entitled "Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991" and "Election of judges of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991", which are of an important and urgent character.

2. Owing to the nature of the first item, the Secretary-General requests that it be allocated to the Fifth Committee. The Secretary-General requests that the second item be considered directly in plenary meeting.

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