

MOSLEM COLUMN WITNESSES CHECKLIST

Name of witness: HALILOVIC OSMAN

EDS location of witness statement: 00818527

To whom given: ICTY, August 14-16, 1995

Army or civilian: Soldier.

Date of leaving Srebrenica zone: Some time after July 11, 1995

Date of arrival and where: July 14, 1995 captured

Points on route where witness reports combat activity or hostile contact with Serbian forces: [1] Jaglic area; [2] woods near Siljkovic village

Type of munitions witness reports having been exposed to or seen others in column being exposed to: artillery shells,

Number of Moslem casualties and where they were noticed as a result of exposure to military attack or other kind of legitimate combat activity observed by witness: [1] In Jaglic area, "I heard that there were many dead and wounded as a result of the shelling, but did not see them personally;" [2] at Siljkovic, heard that there were 30 dead, and 42 wounded; [3] personally observed 30 to 40 corpses; [4] observed at least 20 who had committed suicide

Additional remarks of interest:

Decision was made to move along in column formation because of suspicion that the woods were mined

About one-third of the column were armed with guns

Observed that the wounded at Siljkovic appeared to have been hit in the head and legs by shell fragments

Reports that after capture on July 14, 1995, he and other POWs were driven through Zvornik and were subjected to stoning by Serbian women and children [important to show the level and breadth of popular resentment against Srebrenica Moslems]