

Joint Trial for 9 Srebrenica Suspects

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Judges at the international war crimes tribunal in The Hague have decided to hold a group trial for nine of the highest-ranking officers of the Bosnian Serb Army who are charged in the mass killing of prisoners at Srebrenica in 1995, the court announced.

It said the trial would avoid duplication, ensure consistency and lessen the hardship for witnesses. One of the nine suspects, Zdravko Tolimir, is still on the run, but the other eight are in custody. No trial date was announced.

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