

# **OBN News Review, 3 November 2000**

## **Headlines**

- The B&H Presidency expects establishment of diplomatic relations with Yugoslavia
- The B&H Constitutional Court organised a session in Banja Luka
- An agreement on the US financing of a study for modernisation of a refinery in Bosanski Brod has been signed
- Several people died in a typhoon in the Philippines

## **Sarajevo**

The B&H Presidency expects that the B&H Council of Ministers establishes diplomatic relations with the FRY, after solving of all disputable issues. The Presidency demanded urgent implementation of the Constitutional Court's decision on constituent status of the three peoples in B&H. Presidency members still disagree on status of the Art Academy. Sanjin Beciragic produced the report.

## **Banja Luka**

The B&H Constitutional Court organised a session in Banja Luka today. The Court did not discuss on whether the High Representative is authorised to pass any laws in B&H, Tatjana Lajsic reported.

## **Banja Luka**

A US delegation met the RS Prime Minister, Milorad Dodik in Banja Luka. They signed an agreement on US financing a study for modernisation of a refinery in Bosanski Brod. They also discussed other possible development projects. Reported by Milorad Milojevic.

## **Sarajevo**

A new document – certificate/report for a shareholder has been presented in the Federal Register of securities today, as well as a list of shareholders of the respective company. Vanja Elezovic produced the report.

## **Sarajevo**

According to the PIC decision, all ZPPs should be dissolved by the end of the year 2000. ZPP employees announced a possible strike in their letter to the Federation Prime Minister, Edhem Bicakcic. Reported by Amarildo Gutic.

## **World**

7 people drowned in floods near Manila, and several died in a heavy storm.

2 Palestinians died in the latest clashes with Israeli forces.

The Yugoslav Parliament session is taking place in Belgrade. Signing of a coalition agreement, on the basis of which a new federal government would be formed was announced.

Montenegro continues preparations for referendum in this country.

Investigation on causes of the Singapore plane crash in Taiwan is underway. Gordana Frimel reported on world events.

## **Banja Luka**

A meeting on status of Serbs in Federation prisons and on human rights took place in Banja Luka. The meeting was organised by the Ministry for Human Rights of the B&H Council of Ministers. Biljana Arsic produced the report.

## **Tuzla**

Temporary occupants often destroy flats that they are evicted from. Such incidents are very frequent. The family Dedic is one of the examples – they returned to a flat, completely destroyed by temporary users. Such behaviour is treated as a criminal deed, Sanela Fazlic reported.

### **Sarajevo**

45 nurses have attended a 6-month training, financed by the Swedish Government. Four seminars were organised: in Zenica, Dubrovnik, Laktasi and Sarajevo. Nurses received certificates on completed training today. Reported by Sevko Bajic.

### **Sarajevo**

The final competition “B&H Metropolitan Top Model 2000” will take place in Sarajevo tomorrow. TV OBN will be the media sponsor of the manifestation, Meliha Hasanbegovic reported.

### **Sport**

Reports on international tennis and football were presented.