# OHR BiH TV News Summary, 11 July 1999

- The day of memories of the tragedy of Srebrenica
- The Stability Pact Summit will take place in Sarajevono changes in the decision by the European Union
- The representatives of Serb Kosovo minority interrupted their relations with the KFOR and <u>UN</u> representatives to the province: Albanians and KFOR clashed: casualties registered on both sides
- Israeli Prime Minister Barak and Palestinian authorities leader Arafat to resume the peace process
- What contributions will Stability Pact bring to the countries in the region?
- Bosniacs in Kosovo- their position aggravating
- Why labor is afraid of privatization?
- Is co-existence in Drvar possible?

The women from Srebrenica marked another 11th July, the day of their expulsion from Srebrenica and the tragedy of Bosniac population from the city. They gathered in front of UN Mission offices to Sarajevo and organized peaceful demonstrations. They also submitted protests letters the to Hiah Representative, and the UN Secretary General, demanding that the truth about their missing sons and husbands be revealed. "We believe that the UN Security Council was the most responsible for what was done to Bosniac population in the safe haven of Srebrenica. In this way we want to demonstrate to both domestic and the international community that there must be no forgetting...and that the guilty ones must be punished", Abdulrahman Malkic, in charge of the peaceful protestations, said.

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Few days ago Reuters News Agency alleged that the Stability

Pact Summit will not take place in Sarajevo. TV BiH checked this allegation with the most competent individuals in charge of organization of the Summit. Christian Klages, German Chancellor Schroeder representative, told the BiH TV that "the summit will take place as scheduled, on July 30th in Sarajevo".

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Representatives of the Serb minority in Kosovo decided to interrupt their cooperation with both KFOR and <u>UN</u> in the province as long as the Serb minority is subject to torture and maltreatment by Albanian returnees to Kosovo. They also said they would not participate in the civil administration of the province until the Serb minority is permitted to return to their home in Kosovo. New clashes between KFOR and Kosovo Albanians were registered in the province leaving several, both KFOR troops and Albanians dead.

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Will Stability Pact bring changes into the countries of the region? Will it further bring changes in the Dayton Peace Agreement? Co-Chair of BiH Ministerial Council Haris Silajdzic told TV BiH "the Stability Pact will lead to accelerated implementation of the Peace Agreement… as well as to its further build-up". It will help Bosnia europeanize. But, Silajdzic added, "we must not legalize the results of genocide in Bosnia. Some current processes are not bringing Bosnia closer to, but are taking it further away from the Europe".

## 3:30

Spanish High Representative in BiH has paid his tribute to implementation of peace in BiH. Time will tell what were the effects of his mandate. Tomorrow at the session of the Peace Implementation Council in Brussels he will hand over his duties to his successor Austrian diplomat Wolfgang Petritsch. Zekerijah Smajic reports from Brussels for the TV BiH. "In June 1997 when he took the High Representative position from Swede Carl Bildt, Carlos Westendorp, a close friend of Javier Solana, said that the key precondition for implementation of peace in Bosnia is arrest of indicted war criminals Karadzic and Mladic... But, two years after the indicted war criminals remain at large. This is Westendorp's main failure".

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