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United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor

Case No. BO-34-99-SC

**THE GENERAL PROSECUTOR OF THE
UNITED NATIONS TRANSITIONAL
ADMINISTRATION FOR EAST TIMOR**

AGAINST

FRANCISCO PEDRO, ALIAS “GEGER”

I. INDICTMENT

The General Prosecutor of the United Nations Transitional Administration for East Timor, pursuant to his authority under UNTAET Regulations 1999/1, 2000/11, 2000/15, 2000/16 and 2000/30 charges:

FRANCISCO PEDRO, ALIAS “GEGER”

with

MURDER

AND

ATTEMPTED MURDER

as set forth in this indictment and requests the Serious Crimes Panel of the District Court of Dili to assume jurisdiction in this matter expeditiously and to extend his detention pending trial.

II. NAME AND PARTICULARS OF THE ACCUSED

Name : Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”,
Date of Birth : 15 December 1969
Place of Birth : Desa Kota Village, Balibo, Bobonaro
Nationality : East Timorese

Location : Presently detained at Gleno CDC

III. STATEMENT OF THE FACTS

1. In September 1999, the accused **Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”**, was a member of the Firmi militia.
2. On or about 10 September 1999, Jose Lelo Maria, Abreu de Araujo, alias Mau Taek, and up to five other members of the Firmi militia abducted Carlito Mau Loe, Jorge Mau Leo and Elias Pires from their homes in the village of Leo Lima, Balibo sub-district, Bobonaro.
3. Julio Pedro and other unidentified individuals detained Carlito Mau Loe, Jorge Mau Leo and Elias Pires for one night in a house in Balibo owned by Joao Oliviera, alias “Ano”.
4. Unidentified individuals moved Carlito Mau Loe, Jorge Mau Leo and Elias Pires and detained them for four nights in a house in Balibo owned by Markos Leo Soro.
5. On or about 15 September 1999 between 18:30 and 21:00 members of the Firmi militia, including **Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”**, Joaoquin Perreira Maya and Jose Lelo Maria, put Carlito Mau Loe, Jorge Mau Leo and Elias Pires into a blue taxi. The vehicle and between one and three motorcycles carrying Abreu Tae, alias Mau Taek, and other individuals, drove to Batugade, where it stopped at the militia checkpoint on the main road and was joined by another vehicle containing members of another militia from Batugade. Also at the Batugade checkpoint, unidentified persons blindfolded Carlito Mau Loe, Jorge Mau Leo and Elias Pires.
6. The convoy proceeded to Maubesi and onwards to Atambua. It turned off the road into a clearing. There, Jorge Mau Leo was removed from the taxi. **Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”**, and others present stabbed him repeatedly until he was dead.
7. Carlito Mau Loe was pulled from the taxi but escaped into the bushes surrounding the clearing.
8. Elias Pires was removed from the taxi and **Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”**, and others present stabbed him repeatedly until he was dead.

Pursuant to the above the Prosecutor

IV. CHARGES:

COUNT 1: MURDER

On or about the 15 September 1999 in the District of Bobonaro, sub-district Balibo, the defendant **Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”**, did, with deliberate intent and premeditation, commit, aid, abet or otherwise assist in the murder of Jorge Mau Leo, in violation of

Section 8 of UNTAET Regulation 2000/15 and Section 340 of the Indonesian Penal Code, and is thereby responsible for MURDER.

COUNT 2: MURDER

On or about the 15 September 1999 in the District of Bobonaro, sub-district Balibo, the defendant Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”, did, with deliberate intent and premeditation, commit, aid, abet or otherwise assist in the murder of Elias Pires, in violation of Section 8 of UNTAET Regulation 2000/15 and Section 340 of the Indonesian Penal Code, and is thereby responsible for MURDER.

COUNT 3: ATTEMPTED MURDER

On or about the 15 September 1999 in the District of Bobonaro, sub-district Balibo, the defendant Francisco Pedro, alias “Geger”, did, with deliberate intent and premeditation, attempt to murder Carlito Mau Loe, in violation of Section 8 of UNTAET Regulation 2000/15 and Section 340 of the Indonesian Penal Code, and is thereby responsible, pursuant to Section 14 (f) of UNTAET Regulation 2000/15 and Section 53 of the Indonesian Penal Code, for ATTEMPTED MURDER.

V. The list of witnesses and evidence that supports this Indictment is contained in Annex, A which forms an integral part of this Indictment.

Dili, 22 June, 2001

Brenda Sue Thornton
Public Prosecutor