

instantly. His family buried him later that day in the cemetery in Dubovik.

Source: statement of N.S, HLC-17079.

Qemal (Mustafë) Gashi

(born 1959, Albanian from Pejë/Peć, shoemaker, married)

Qemal worked at the Kombinat kože i obuće (Leather and Shoe Factory) in Pejë/Peć Pejë/Peć. His son Medin was the last person to see him alive, in **late July 1998** at the local KLA headquarters located on the premises of the Primary School in **Baran**. In September 1998, Qemal's body was discovered in the *Liqeni i Radoniqit/Radonjičko jezero (Radoniq Lake)* canal. An autopsy established that Qemal had been killed by shots to the pelvis. His family recovered his mortal remains on 18 September 2006.

Sources: ICTY, IT-04-84 (R. Haradinaj et al.), transcript, 25/5/2007, HLC-34613; ICTY, IT-04-84 (R. Haradinaj et al.), transcript, 29/5/2007, HLC-34614; ICTY, IT-04-84 (R. Haradinaj et al.), judgment, 03/4/2008, [http://www.hlc-rdc.org/indEx.php?lid=sr&show=PravdaIReforma&int_cid=124&cat=Transkripti/Predmet-Haradinaj-i-drugi-\(-IT-04-84-\);](http://www.hlc-rdc.org/indEx.php?lid=sr&show=PravdaIReforma&int_cid=124&cat=Transkripti/Predmet-Haradinaj-i-drugi-(-IT-04-84-);) statement of S.H, HLC-35272; OMPE, *Remains*, HLC-15297.

Zenun (Ramadan) Gashi

(born 8/08/1957, Egyptian from Kosuriq/Kosurić, Pejë/Peć municipality, pensioner, seven children)

Zenun had worked for the Pejë/Peć Police Department until retirement. He lived in Kosuriq/Kosurić with his wife Sabrije, their three children and his mother. During the summer of 1998, KLA members time and again searched his house looking for weapons. On **1 August 1998**, at about 11:00h, four KLA members came to his house in order to bring Zenun to the KLA headquarters in **Baran** for questioning by a KLA commander. In Baran, a FARK member saw Zenun in a car with some KLA members, beaten up. Zenun's body was discovered on 11 September 1998 in the *Liqeni i Radoniqit/Radonjičko jezero (Radoniq Lake) Canal*. According to the

autopsy report, Zenun was killed by shots to the head. Serb authorities had him buried along with other unidentified persons in Piskotë/Piskot [Gjakovë/Đakovica municipality]. After returning from exile in September 1999, Zenun's family reported him missing to the ICRC. On 21 September 2005, the family was informed that Zenun's body had been positively identified. Two days later, the family collected his mortal remains and buried them in the cemetery in Vitomiricë/Vitomirica.

Sources: statement of S.G, HLC-19714; FHP, *Haški tribunal, Sudeње Slobodanu Miloševiću*, XVIII, 267; GSM DTC, *List...*, HLC-8817; ICRC, *Persons missing...*, HLC-9795; KMC AFRY, *Persons died...*, HLC-10832; Z. Stijović, *Kosmet...*, 108, 109; SV SRJ, *Junaci otadžbine*, 350; ICTY, IT-04-84 (R. Haradinaj et al.), judgment, 03/4/2008, [http://www.hlc-rdc.org/indEx.php?lid=sr&show=PravdaIReforma&int_cid=124&cat=Transkripti/Predmet-Haradinaj-i-drugi-\(-IT-04-84-\);](http://www.hlc-rdc.org/indEx.php?lid=sr&show=PravdaIReforma&int_cid=124&cat=Transkripti/Predmet-Haradinaj-i-drugi-(-IT-04-84-);) ICTY, IT-02-54 (S. Milošević), Ex.298.4 (1,2), HLC-30903.

Branislav (Slobodan) Nikolić

(born 8/04/1974, Serb from Šabac, single, member of MUP RS)

After completing secondary education and a police training course, Branislav entered the Serbian State Security Service in 1997. He became a member of the JSO. He was injured on **10 August 1998** in clashes with the KLA on the **Pejë/Peć - Istog/Istok** road. He died a day later, on 11 August 1998.

Sources: KMC AFRY, *Persons died...*, HLC-10832; SV SRJ, *Junaci otadžbine*, 48, 49; Z. Stijović, *Kosmet...*, 110; M. Sekulić, *Beograd...*, 67; *Ovo se neće ovako završiti*, Svedok, 1/11/2001, HLC-31177; URVIPB, *Na braniku...*, 77, 78.

Sanije (Binak) Balaj

(born 5/12/1963, Albanian woman from Strellc i Ulët/Donji Streoc, Dečan/Dečani municipality, clerk, single)

Sanije lived with her family in Strellc i Ulët/Donji Streoc. She worked at a travel agency in Pejë/Peć. On **12 August 1998**, Sanije left for Pejë/Peć with two cousins to buy a mobile phone. While passing through Baran/Barane, they were stopped by KLA