

TRIBUNAL DE JUSTICIA DE LAS COMUNIDADES EUROPEAS
SOUDNÍ DVŮR EVROPSKÝCH SPOLEČENSTVÍ
DE EUROPÆISKE FÆLLESSKABERS DOMSTOL
GERICHTSHOF DER EUROPÄISCHEN GEMEINSCHAFTEN
EUROOPA ÜHENDUSTE KOHUS
ΔΙΚΑΣΤΗΡΙΟ ΤΩΝ ΕΥΡΩΠΑΪΚΩΝ ΚΟΙΝΟΤΗΤΩΝ
COURT OF JUSTICE OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES
COUR DE JUSTICE DES COMMUNAUTÉS EUROPÉENNES
CÚIRT BHREITHIÚNAIS NA gCÓMHPHOBAL EORPACH
CORTE DI GIUSTIZIA DELLE COMUNITÀ EUROPEE
EIROPAS KOPIENU TIESA



EUROPOS BENDRIJŲ TEISINGUMO TEISMAS
EURÓPAI KÖZÖSSÉGEK BÍRÓSÁGA
IL-QORTI TAL-ĠUSTIZZJA TAL-KOMUNITAJIET EWROPEJ
HOF VAN JUSTITIE VAN DE EUROPESE GEMEENSCHAPPEN
TRYBUNAŁ SPRAWIEDLIWOŚCI WSPÓLNOT EUROPEJSKICH
TRIBUNAL DE JUSTIÇA DAS COMUNIDADES EUROPEIAS
SÚDNY DVOR EURÓPSKÝCH SPOLOČENSTEV
SODIŠČE EVROPSKIH SKUPNOSTI
EUROOPAN YHTEISÖJEN TUOMIOISTUIN
EUROPEISKA GEMENSKAPERNAS DOMSTOL

Press and Information Division

PRESS RELEASE N° 53/04

7 July 2004

NEW JUDGE AT THE COURT OF FIRST INSTANCE OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

Formal sitting of 7 July 2004

The Conference of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States adopted, on 23 June 2004, a decision appointing Verica TRSTENJAK the Judge of Slovene nationality of the Court of First Instance for the period from 1 July 2004 to 31 August 2007.

A formal sitting was held today, 7 July 2004, at 12.30, at which Mrs TRSTENJAK took her oath before the Court of Justice of the European Communities.

Curriculum vitae of Mrs Verica TRSTENJAK

Born 1962; Doctor of Laws of the University of Ljubljana (1995); professor (since 1996) of theory of law and State (jurisprudence) and of private law; researcher; postgraduate study at the Universities of Zurich and Vienna (Institute of Comparative Law), the Max Planck Institute for private international law in Hamburg, the Free University of Amsterdam; visiting professor at the Universities of Vienna and Freiburg (Germany) and at the Bucerius School of Law in Hamburg; head of the legal service (1994-1996) and Secretary of State in the Ministry of Science and Technology (1996-2000); Secretary-General of the Government (2000); Member of the Study Group on a European Civil Code since 2003; Prize of the Association of Slovene Lawyers 'Lawyer of the Year 2003'; Judge at the Court of First Instance since 7 July 2004.

Unofficial document for media use which is not binding on the Court of Justice.

Languages available: All

For additional information please contact Christopher Fretwell

Tel: (00352) 4303 3355 Fax: (00352) 4303 2731

Pictures of the formal sitting are available from EBS "Europe by Satellite" the TV service of the European Commission, DG Press and Communication, L – 2920 Luxembourg,

Tel: (00352) 4301 35177 Fax: (00352) 4301 35249,

or B – 1049 Brussels, Tel: (0032) 2 29 64106 Fax: (0032) 2 29 65956