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**Dr Jadrana Funduk  
CROATIA**

**Keywords**

Theme: Medical neutrality/dropping of charges

Profession/association: Doctor

Amnesty International has learned that in the week of 15 November 1993 Dr Jadrana Funduk received notice from the courts that charges against her had been dropped. Dr Funduk had been charged earlier in the year with "service in an enemy army". This related to a period of time she had spent working in a military hospital in Belgrade between late 1991 and early 1993 (Dr Funduk is of Croatian nationality and citizenship and was living in Zagreb prior to leaving Croatia to work in Belgrade).

There was no suggestion in the indictment brought against her that she had used or advocated violence or discriminated against anyone in her care; nor did the indictment suggest that she had held any military rank while working in the Belgrade hospital. Were she to have been convicted on the basis of these charges, therefore, Amnesty International would have considered her a prisoner of conscience.

**No further action is required. Thank you to all those who appealed on Dr Funduk's behalf.**