



## UNTAET

United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor

Case No. ER-43-99-SC

17/2000

**The General Prosecutor of the United Nations Transitional  
Administration for East Timor**

**against**

**CARLOS SOARES**

**I. INDICTMENT**

The General Prosecutor of the United Nations Transitional Administration for East Timor, pursuant to his authority under UNTAET Regulations 19999/1, 2000/11, 2000/15, 2000/16 and 2000/30 charges:

**Carlos Soares**

with

**Murder**

as set forth in this indictment.

**II. Name and Particulars of the Accused**

Name : Carlos Soares  
Date of Birth : 3-9-1970  
Place of Birth : Lete Fohu Village, Lete Foho Subdistrict, Ermera District  
Nationality : East Timorese  
Location : Detained since 8 May 2000, presently in Gleno Prison

### III. Statement of the Facts

1. The Accused **Carlos Soares** was a member of Darah Integrasi Militia in Lete Foho Village.
2. On an undetermined day at the beginning of the month of September 1999 members of Darah Integrasi Militia with the help of soldiers of the Armed Forces of Indonesia burnt down a large number of houses in the Auleun and Hunda Subvillages of Lete Foho Village.
3. When a large group of militiamen appeared again in Auleun Subvillage on 10 September 1999 the village chief ordered the villagers to run away and hide in the mountains.
4. Among this militia group was the Accused **Carlos Soares**. He was leader of a group of about 15 men five of them including himself armed with rifles, the other one's with machetes.
5. When patrolling along the main street the Accused **Carlos Soares** noticed an old man by the name **Luis de Deus** hiding under a tree.
6. The Accused **Carlos Soares** walked to the **Louis De Deus** and shot him with his G 3 rifle from short range through his neck.
7. This shot caused the death of **Luis de Deus**.

### IV. Pursuant to the above the Prosecutor charges:

On 10 September 1999 in the Subvillage of Auleun , Lete Fohu Village, Ermera district, the Accused **Carlos Soares** with deliberate intent and with premeditation took the life of **Louis De Deus** and thereby committed murder in violation of Section 8 of UNTAET Regulation 2000/15 and Article 340 of the Penal Code of Indonesia.


### V. List of Evidence and Victim

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

VI. Request

The Prosecutor requests that the Special Panel for Serious Crimes of the District Court of Dili takes jurisdiction of this matter and tries this case expeditiously.

Dili, 12 December, 2000



Raimund Sauter  
Public Prosecutor