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INCIDENTS INVOLVING
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EXTERNAL SOURCES

FRGF

04/28/95

ZAIRE

REUTERS REPORTED, ON 28 APR 95, A UN SPOKESMAN IN NAIROBI STATED A SQUAD OF HUTU HARDLINERS FROM THE FRGF CROSSED INTO RWANDA FROM THE GOMA AREA ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT (26 APR 95) AND CLASHED WITH GOVERNMENT TROOPS. THE INFILTRATORS ARE THEN CLAIMED TO HAVE RETREATED BACK ACROSS THE BORDER AND LOBBED THREE MORTAR ROUNDS INTO KIBUMBA CAMP (IN ZAIRE), APPARENTLY TO CREATE CONFUSION. THE ROUNDS LANDED IN OR NEAR A ZAIREAN BASE AND TWO ZAIREAN SOLDIERS WERE LIGHTLY WOUNDED.

FRGF

05/11/95

ZAIRE

THE SRSG REPORTED AT FORCE COMMANDER'S PRAYERS, ON 11 MAY 95, HE HAD SPOKEN TO GEN DOUGLAS (COMD UNHCR/ZAIRE SECURITY FORCE ZAIRE). THE GENERAL HAD EXPLAINED THE GOVERNOR AND MILITARY COMMANDER OF GOMA HAD CALLED A MEETING IN GOMA. THE TWO OFFICIALS STATED THERE HAD BEEN INCURSIONS, FROM RWANDESE REFUGEE CAMPS IN ZAIRE, INTO RWANDA. THEY FURTHER STATED THESE INCURSIONS MUST STOP, AND THAT ALL MILITARY (FRGF) CAMPS IN ZAIRE WOULD BE CLOSED. THE SRSG DID NOT KNOW WHAT HAD MOTIVATED THIS ANNOUNCEMENT, BUT SUGGESTED IT MAY HAVE BEEN PRESSURE EXERTED ON ZAIRE FROM THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY. HE WAS UNCERTAIN AS TO EXACTLY WHAT CAMP CLOSURE ENTAILED (IE NO UNIFORMS TO BE WORN ? ETC).

SECTOR 3A

ARMED ATTACK

04/07/95

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CYABASANA 5550

MILOBS SECTOR 3 REPORTED, ON 7 APRIL 95, A MALI COY PLATOON WAS REQUESTED TO ASSIST THE RPA TO SEARCH FOR THE PERPETRATORS OF AN ATTACK AGAINST AN RPA OUTPOST AT THE BRIDGE AT GR 5550. THE ATTACK ALLEGEDLY OCCURRED LAST NIGHT. RPA SUFFERED ONE WOUNDED AND ONE SOLDIER CAPTURED. A PREVIOUSLY RELIABLE INFORMANT ADVISED MALICOY HE HAS INFORMATION HUTU INTELLECTUALS AND INFLUENTIAL CITIZENS ARE BEING ARRESTED AND TAKEN TO RILIMA (GR 2561), PREFECTURE OF BUGASERA, WHERE THEY WERE EXECUTED. HE ALSO CLAIMED THAT OTHER HUTU PRISONERS ARE SUBSTITUTED FOR THOSE WHO ARE TO BE EXECUTED TO FOOL INTERNATIONAL OBSERVERS.

RPA

04/11/95

3A

BIRAMBO

345694

MALAWI COY REPORTED, ON 10 APR 95, THAT A MAN AGED IN HIS TWENTIES WAS KILLED BY THE RPA AT THE

BIRAMBO ROAD JUNCTION (GR 345 694) WHILE TRAVELLING FROM RUBENGERA (GR 3473) TO HIS HOME AT GASAYO (GR 3667). AFTER IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AND THE PURPOSE OF HIS JOURNEY, THE VICTIM WAS APPREHENDED AND BEATEN BY TWO RPA SOLDIERS, ONE OF WHOM LATER SHOT HIM IN THE BACK. THE LOCATION OF THE VICTIM'S REMAINS IS UNKNOWN. THE LOCALS AROUND THE AREA ARE NOT WILLING TO SAY ANYTHING ABOUT THE INCIDENT AND ARE NOT ALLOWED TO COMMUNICATE WITH UNAMIR PERSONNEL. THE FATHER OF THE VICTIM FEARED THAT HIS SON WAS KILLED DUE TO THE PERSONAL HATRED OF THE RPA SOLDIERS. THE RPA LO SAID THAT THE SENIOR OFFICERS HE CONTACTED TO VERIFY THE ISSUE SAID THAT THE DECEASED WAS AN INFILTRATOR FROM ZAIRE WHO CAME TO CAUSE CONFUSION IN THE COMMUNES.

UNKNOWN	03/13/95	3A	KIBAYI	8498
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MALAWI COY REPORTS, ON 13 MAR 95, THAT AT KIBAYI GR 8498, LAST WEEK THREE PEOPLE WERE MACHETED BY THIEVES, BELIEVED TO BE FROM BURUNDI.

OPINION	03/25/95	3A	KIBUYE	2772
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UNAMIR POLITICAL REPORTED, ON 25 MAR 95, THAT A MEETING WAS HELD ON FRIDAY (24 MAR 95) IN KIBUYE (GR 2772) UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF PREFECT ASSIEL KABERA TO DISCUSS THE SECURITY SITUATION IN THE AREA. THE PARTICIPANTS INDICATED THAT THERE WERE CONTINUING INCURSIONS BY ARMED GUNMEN FROM ZAIRE, WHO WERE OFFERED ACCOMODATION BY THE LOCAL POPULATION. THE PREFECT ALSO EXPRESSED HIS DISSATISFACTION OVER PEOPLE FLEEING THEIR HOMES AND SEEKING REFUGE IN THE LOCAL UNAMIR CAMP, ALLEGING THEY FEAR THE RPA.

UNKNOWN	03/28/95	3A	KIBUYE	2772
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MALAWI COY REPORTED, ON 28 MAR 95, THE RPA WERE FIRING AT 272200 AND 280130. THE FIRING WAS REPORTED TO BE AN ATTEMPT TO SCARE AWAY CATTLE THIEVES WHO HAD COME ACROSS THE LAKE.

UNKNOWN	04/13/95	3A	MARA	2068
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SECTOR 3 HQ REPORTED, ON 13 APR 95, THAT BANDITS HAD STOLEN CATTLE YESTERDAY IN THE MARA SECTOR (GR 2068) OF GISHYITA COMMUNE. THEY ARE BELIEVED TO BE FROM IJWE ISLAND AND ARE SAID TO HAVE TAKEN THEIR FAMILIES BACK WITH THEM.

ARMED ATTACK 04/12/95

3A

MWENDO

5558

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 12 APR 95, THAT MILOBS INVESTIGATED A DOUBLE HOMICIDE THAT WAS REPORTED TO HAVE OCCURRED IN MWENDO (GR 4558) ON 30 MAR 95. THE BOURGEMESTRE INFORMED THE PTL THAT HIS OWN INVESTIGATIONS REVEALED THAT THOUGH THE ATTACKERS HAD BEEN IN UNIFORM, THEY WERE PROBABLY REFUGEES FROM ONE OF THE CAMPS. MILOBS STRONGLY SUSPECT RPA INVOLVEMENT IN THE INCIDENT.

RPA

03/31/95

3A

NYABINAGA

1351

MILOB SECTOR 3A REPORTED, ON 31 MAR 95, THAT TWO SUSPECTED MILITIAMEN WERE SHOT DEAD BY AN RPA PTL AT NYABINAGA (GR 1351) AT 2200HRS ON 28 MAR 95.

FRGF

04/13/95

3A

RWABISINDU

1759

SECTOR 3 HQ REPORTED, ON 13 APR 95, THAT A MILOB TEAM INVESTIGATED ALLEGED LANDINGS OVER THE LAST FIVE DAYS AT RWABISINDU (GR 1759), KILIMBI (GR 1049) AND MYABINAGA (GR 1351). AN RPA SGT STATED TO THE TEAM THAT THERE HAVE BEEN 4 RPA KILLED AND 15 WOUNDED BY INTRUDERS DURING THE LAST MONTH. HE ALSO CLAIMED THAT GROUPS ARE NOW COMING ASHORE WITH MORTARS AND MG. MILOBS NOTE THAT THERE APPEAR TO BE TWO TYPES OF INCURSION, THOSE IN RWAMATAMU COMMUNE (GR 1557) ARE AGGRESSIVE, WHILE THOSE IN GISHYITA (GR 2162) AND GITESI (GR 2871) COMMUNES AVOID CONTACT IN FAVOUR OF FOOD.

SECTOR 4A

UNKNOWN

03/08/95

4A

ANATEKO

5008

AT 072300B FIVE BANDITS ATTACKED MR SGEHOTI VIYANI AGED 57 AT HIS HOME AND GOT AWAY WITH TWENTY FIVE BLANKETS AND 107,000 RWANDESE FRANCS. THE MAN SUFFERED GRENADE FRAGMENT WOUNDS.

RPA

04/13/95

4A

BISEREGANYA

384335

ZAMBATT REPORTED, ON 13 APR 95, THAT A MAN WAS ARRESTED BY TWO RPA SOLDIERS AT BISEREGANYA (GR 384335) AT APPROX 122100 APR 95. THE MAN, MR NKUSI DOMINIQUE, WAS ALLEGED TO BE AN FRGF MEMBER. THE MAN WAS SHOT DEAD BY THE RPA WHEN HE ALLEGEDLY ATTEMPTED TO GRAB A WEAPON FROM ONE OF THE SOLDIERS. THE RPA COMD IN THE AREA HAS CONFIRMED THE INCIDENT, BUT CLAIMS THE DEAD MAN HAD REFUSED TO JOIN THE RPA. THE BODY HAS SINCE BEEN BURIED.

UNKNOWN 03/07/95 4A MUGANZA 4305

MILOBS 4A REPORTED, ON 7 MAR 95, AN INCIDENT OF ARMED ROBBERY BY AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF BANDITS AGAINST TWO SHOP OWNERS AT MUGANZA (GR 436055) ON 5 MAR 95. ONE SHOP OWNER AND HIS WIFE WERE INJURED.

UNKNOWN 05/02/95 4A NSHILI 3996

ZAMBATT REPORTED, ON 2 MAY 95, THAT ON THE NIGHT OF 1 MAY 95 IN THE MASUNZU SECTOR OF NSHILI COMMUNE (GR 3996), BANDITS ATTACKED FIVE PERS, KILLING ONE AND WOUNDING FOUR.

ARMED ATTACK 03/08/95 4A NYAKAVUMU 5015

A MR DUWE DAGOBERT WAS ATTACKED AT HIS HOUSE IN NYAKAVUMU BY A GROUP OF APPROX FIFTEEN MEN. AT LEAST THREE MEN WERE CARRYING AK47 TYPE WEAPONS. THEY GOT AWAY WITH CLOTHES, PAIR OF SHOES, 2 X WRIST WATCHES, 1 X CAMERA, 1 X VIDEO CASSETTE DECK. MR DUWE SUFFERED MATCHET WOUNDS ON BOTH WRISTS. BANDITRY IS BELIEVED TO BE THE MOTIVE .

RPA 03/06/95 4A NYAMIGINA 4523

MILOB 4A REPORTS, ON 6 MAR 95, THAT AT 051800 MAR 95 THERE WAS A SHOOT OUT BETWEEN THE RPA AND CIVILIANS. AS A RESULT ONE CIVILIAN WAS KILLED AND ONE INJURED, THE INJURED MR KAVUGIYARME, WAS ARRESTED.NFD.

UNKNOWN 03/23/95 4A RWAMIKO 4813

ZAMBATT REPORTED, ON 23 MAR 95, THAT AT 2100 HRS ON 22 MAR 95, A LOCAL OF RWAMIKO COMMUNE (GR 4813) WAS SHOT BY UNK ASSAILANTS WHO TOOK HIS PROPERTY. THE LOCAL LATER DIED AT KIBEHO MSF CLINIC.

SECTOR 4B

ARMED ATTACK 03/05/95 ~~3A~~ 4B BUTARE 7111

ON THE NIGHT OF 4 MAR 95, AT APPROX 2100 HRS, A CAR CARRYING THE PREFECT OF BUTARE, A DRIVER, A UNIFORMED BODY GUARD AND ONE OTHER PASSENGER WAS WAVED TO HALT APPROX 5 KM NORTH OF BUTARE ON THE MAIN ROAD TO GITARAMA. THE PREFECT REPORTEDLY LOWERED HIS WINDOW TO ENQUIRE INTO THE REASON FOR THE STOP AND WAS SHOT THROUGH THE HEAD IMMEDIATELY AT CLOSE RANGE. ACCORDING TO THE SOLE SURVIVOR, APPROXIMATELY FOUR OTHER GUNS OPENED UP AT VERY CLOSE RANGE FROM THE WEST SIDE OF THE ROAD (RIGHT

HAND SIDE OF THE VEHICLE) AND KILLED THE DRIVER AND OTHER PASSENGER. THE GUARD SITTING IN THE BACK LEFT HAND SEAT WAS UNTOUCHED IN THE INITIAL VOLLEY. HE MANAGED TO GET OUT OF THE BACK DOOR BEFORE TURNING TO RUN TO THE EAST SIDE OF THE ROAD. THE ATTACKERS FIRED AS HE RAN, HITTING HIM IN THE SHOULDER AND LOWER LEG. HE LATER REPORTED THAT HIS ASSAILANTS WERE DRESSED IN SHORT PANTS LONG COATS AND HOODS. SHORTLY AFTER THE SOLDIER WENT DOWN A BROWN AND ROOT VEHICLE, DRIVEN BY A MR BEAVER, CAME UPON THE SCENE, SAW THE VEHICLE AND THE BULLET HOLES, AND IMMEDIATELY WENT TO TAC HQ TO REPORT.

COMMENT: THERE APPEAR TWO POSSIBLE SCENARIOS TO THIS INCIDENT:

SCENARIO 1: THE AMBUSH WAS CONDUCTED BY HARDLINERS WITHIN THE RPA TO BLAME IT ON THE FORMER MILITIA. THIS WOULD PROVIDE THE RPA WITH AN IDEAL OPPORTUNITY FOR THE TIGHTENING OF SECURITY, INCLUDING THE FORCED CLOSURE OF THE IDP CAMPS WHICH THE GIVT HAS LONG HELD TO BE THE SOURCE OF ALL SUCH ATTACKS.

SCENARIO 2: TYHE AMBUSH WAS CONDUCTED BY THE FRGF. HOWEVER, THE MAJORITY POPULATION IN THE AREA OF THE AMBUSH IS ALREADY DISAFFECTED BY FEAR AND THUS THERE WOULD BE LITTLE TO GAIN FOR THE FRGF OR MILITIA ELEMENTS FROM AN ATTACK SUCH AS THIS AT THIS TIME. MOREOVER, IF THE CAMPS ARE CLOSED AS A RESULT OF THE ATTACK, THE FRGF STANDS TO LOSE A VALUABLE BASE OF OPERATIONS INSIDE RWANDA.

OPINION 03/07/95

3A 4B

BUTARE

8482

THERE WERE REPORTED TO BE SEVERAL RUMOURS CIRCULATING AMONG THE LOCALS ABOUT WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEATH OF THE PREFECT OF BUTARE. SOME LOCALS WERE OF THE OPINION THAT THE ASSASSINATION WAS ORCHESTRATED BY THE RPA, WHILE OTHERS THOUGHT THAT THE FRGF/MILITIA WERE RESPONSIBLE. SOME OF THE LATER GROUP WERE OF THE VIEW THAT THE ASSASSINATION MARKED THE BEGINNING OF ANOTHER WAR.

OPINION 03/08/95

3A 4B

BUTARE

7111

THE RPA AND GENDARMERIE HAVE INTENSIFIED MOTORCYCLE AND VEH PATROLS IN THE AREA. THERE WERE REPORTS OF RUMOURS AMONG THE LOCAL POPULACE THAT THERE WAS GOING TO BE ANOTHER WAR IN THE COUNTRY.

UNKNOWN 03/05/95 4B RWAMATAMU 1557

MILOBS CARRIED OUT INVESTIGATIONS OF THE MURDER INCIDENT IN THE RWAMATAMU COMMUNE. LITTLE PROGRESS WAS MADE AS THE LOCALS AND RPA TROOPS DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE MURDERS. SOME OF THE LOCALS INFORMED THE PATROL OF THE ARREST OF 4 PERSONS FOR ACTS OF BANDITRY ON 02 FEB 95.

SECTOR 4C

UNKNOWN 04/13/95 4C BIRAMBO 0748

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 13 APR 95, THAT ON 8 APR 95 AT BIRAMBO SECTOR (GR 0748), A LARGE GROUP OF UNK BANDITS CAME TO THE AREA AND ROBBED 11 HOMES OF ALL PROPERTY. ONE WOMAN WHO RESISTED WAS MACHETED TO DEATH BY THE GROUP.

RPA 04/13/95 4C BIRAWA (ZAIRE)

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 13 APR 95, THAT MORE INFORMATION HAS BECOME AVAILABLE ON THE ATTACK AT BIRAWA CAMP (POSS GR 764 395) IN ZAIRE. SOURCES INDICATE THAT THERE WERE TWO ATTACKS, FIRST AT THE ISLE OF IBNDJE, THEN AT BIRAWA, BOTH COMMITTED BY THE SAME PERS. THERE WERE THREE WOOD-LIKE BOATS AND ALLEGEDLY ONE ZODIAC, PRESUMABLY WITH MOTOR. FIVE WERE KILLED IN THE FIRST ATTACK, AND THERE ARE REPORTS OF 30 KILLED AND 55 INJURED AT BIRAWA, WHICH INCLUDES 2-3 ZAIREANS. ATTACKERS FIRED AUTOMATIC WPNS AND THREW GRENADES IN AN APPARENTLY RANDOM MANNER. MILOBS COMMENT IS THAT CASUALTIES AT BIRAWA SEEM HIGH, CONSIDERING THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY KILLED. THERE IS ALSO A RUMOUR OF A SIMILAR ATTACK AT A CAMP AT HONGO ON THE NIGHT OF 13 APR.

ARMED ATTACK 03/02/95 4C BUGARAMA 9002

CIVPOL OBS TEAM VISITED THE BURGOMEISTER OF BUGARAMA COMMUNE GR 4329, WHO INFORMED THEM THAT 5 BANDITS IN MILITARY UNIFORM ATTACKED A LOCAL AND HIS WIFE AT 271200 FEB 95. THE MAN WAS SHOT IN THE STOMACH AND HIS WIFE SEVERELY BEATEN. THE MAN IS IN THE CYANGUGU HOSP.

ARMED ATTACK 03/06/95 4C BUGARAMA 4329

CIVPOL HQ REPORTS, ON 06 MAR 95, THAT 5 BANDITS IN MILITARY DRESS ATTACKED 2 LOCAL PEOPLE ON 27 FEB 95 AT BUGARAMA GR 4329. THEY WERE BOTH BEATEN AND ONE ADMITTED TO CYANGUGU HOSPITAL.

RPA

04/18/95

4C

BUGARAMA

4329

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 18 APRIL 95, MILOBS ALONG WITH HR INVESTIGATED THE BUGARAMA INCIDENT REPORTED ON 14 APR 95. THE GENDARMERIE, RPA, BOURGMESTRE AND ONE OF THE INTERAHAMWE ARRESTED WERE INTERVIEWED. DETAILS ARE THAT THE GENDARMERIE WAS INFORMED AT APPROX 1000HRS OF SOME SUSPICIOUS PERSONS IN A HOUSE. RPA AND GENDARMERIE WENT TO THE HOUSE AND ORDERED THE OCCUPANTS TO COME OUT. ACCORDING TO THE CAPTURED INTERAHAMWE, THEY STARTED FIRING FROM INSIDE THE HOUSE KILLING ONE GENDARME AND INJURING ANOTHER. RPA/GENDARMES ALSO RETURNED FIRE KILLING 3 OF THE INFILTRATORS AND INJURING 2 OTHERS. FOUR OF THEM ESCAPED TO THE NEARBY FOREST. THERE WERE IN ALL 9 PERSONS IN THE HOUSE; 4 X RWANDESE, 3 X ZAIREANS AND 2 X BURUNDESE. RPA RETRIEVED 2 X AUTOMATIC RIFLES, AMMO, 6 X GRENADES, 1 X MACHETTE AND SOME UNIFORMS FROM THE HOUSE.

OPINION

03/15/95

4C

CHARAKURA

9005

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 15 MAR 95, FAMILIES IN CHARAKURA (GR 9005) APPEAR TO BE VISITED APPROX EVERY TWO WEEKS BY BANDITS/MILITIA. IT SEEMS ONLY WOMEN AND CHILDREN LIVE IN THE AREA, AND THE MEN LIVE IN BURUNDI. RPA/GENDARME ARE AWARE BUT SEEM UNABLE TO CUT OFF THE PENETRATION INTO THE AREA.

OPINION

03/01/95

4C

CYANGUGU

7824

MILOB 4C REPORTED, ON 28 FEB 95, IT IS RUMOURED THAT ONE FRGF CAMP IN ZAIRE IS NOW TRAINING AT A HIGHER LEVEL THAN BEFORE. ALSO, 6 APR 95 IS THE NEW REVISED DATE OF POSSIBLE RETURN OF THE RGF TO RWANDA.

ARMED ATTACK 03/01/95

4C

CYANGUGU

7824

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 28 FEB 95, THAT THE SITUATION IN 4C REMAINS CALM BUT UNSTABLE. THERE HAVE BEEN ACTS OF BANDITRY, MURDER AND A MARKED INCREASE IN ARRESTS IN THE AREA. THIS ACTIVITY HAS INCLUDED A BOOBY TRAP EXPLOSION IN THE MARKET, FIREFIGHTS BETWEEN ETHIOBATT AND FRGF, ARRESTS OF FRGF AND THE ARREST OF SEVERAL OFFICIALS/INTELLECTUALS IN THE COMMUNITY. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THE RPA, NOT THE GENDARME, CONDUCTED THE ARRESTS.

THERE HAS BEEN A STEADY INCREASE IN INCIDENTS THAT COULD BE ASSOCIATED WITH INSURGENCY, AND OFFENCES INVOLVING FIREARMS AND GRENADES.

THE SECTEURS ALONG THE RUZIZI RIVER, LAKE KIVU AND PARTICULARLY THE AREA KNOWN AS NYAMASHEKE REMAIN THE MOST ACTIVE IN TERMS OF CRIMINAL ACTIVITY. FRGF ARE CONFIRMED TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SOME INCIDENTS, RPA SUSPECTED FOR OTHERS, AS ARE BANDITS. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT INCIDENTS SUSPECTED OF BEING RPA USUALLY IMPLY MEMBERS OF THE RPA MAY BE SUSPECTED OF CONDUCTING A CRIME OF THEIR OWN ACCORD, NOT NECESSARILY AN ORDER.

RPA 03/29/95 4C CYANGUGU 7824

CIVPOL REPORTED ON, 29 MAR 95. THERE WAS AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE ON 26 MAR 95 BETWEEN RPA AND ZAIREAN SOLDIERS WHO HAVE BEEN KEEPING VIGIL NEAR THE REFUGEE CAMP AT PANZI. TWO RPA SOLDIERS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED DURING THE INCIDENT. CAUSE UNKNOWN.

ARMED ATTACK 04/04/95 4C CYANGUGU 7824

MILOBS GROUP HQ REPORTED, ON 4 APRIL 95, MILOBS SECTOR 4C LEARNT FROM ETHIOBATT THAT THE FRGF HAD THREATENED TO MINE THE MAIN ACCESS ROAD FROM BURARAMA TO CYANGUGU AND THE ONE GOING THROUGH THE FOREST. REFERENCE THE MINE INCIDENTS AT MIBILIZI (GR8216) REPORTED RECENTLY, AN ANTI-PERSONNEL MINE HAS BEEN DISCOVERED AND IDENTIFIED AS AN ITALIAN TYPE TS-50.

UNNKOWN 04/04/95 4C CYANGUGU 783254

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 4 APRIL 95, AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE BETWEEN RPA AND BANDITS AT 032200 APR 95. NO CASUALTIES HAVE BEEN REPORTED. ALSO, RPA ESTABLISHED SNAP ROAD BLOCKS ON THE ROAD LEADING TO ONE OF THEIR FACILITIES AT GR 783254. THIS ROAD ALSO LEADS TO THE BAKERY AND THIS MORNING MILOB PATROLS WERE DENIED PASSAGE THROUGH THE ROAD BLOCK TO BUY BREAD.

ARMED ATTACK 04/25/95 4C CYANGUGU 7824

MILOB SECTOR 4C, ON 25 APR 95, REPORTED THAT IN BUGARAMA SUB SECTOR GR 9022 FIVE BANDITS DRESSED IN MILITARY UNIFORM WITH WEAPONS ROBBED A LOCAL IN GITAMBI GR 8714 ON 24 APR AT APPROX 2100HRS. THEY DEPARTED WITH AN UNSPECIFIED AMOUNT OF MONEY AND PROPERTY.

BETWEEN 2200 HRS ON 24 APR AND 0100HRS ON 25 APR A GROUP OF APPROX 20 BANDITS DRESSED IN MILITARY

ATTIRE CAME TO NYAKABINGO GR 0242 AND ROBBED SIX HOMES. THE GOODS INCLUDED COFFEE, BEANS, GOATS AND NINE COWS. THE BANDITS HEADED FOR GASAYO GR 9941 WHERE BOATS WERE WAITING FOR THEM. A SMALL PTL OF RPA AMBUSHED THE REAR ELMS OF THE BANDIT GROUP KILLING ONE BANDIT. THREE COWS WERE RECOVERED BY THE RPA. THE REMAINDER OF THE PROPERTY WAS LOADED ON THE WAITING BOATS AND TAKEN ACROSS TO ZAIRE. ON 24 APR AT 2300 HRS ON ISHARA PENINSULA GR 0044 A GROUP OF BANDITS ROBBED A HOME OF TWO COWS AND SOME HOUSEHOLD GOODS. THE GROUP IS ALLEGED TO HAVE COME FROM IJWI ISLAND

UNKNOWN 03/06/95 4C CYATO

MILOBS 4C REPORTED, ON 06 MAR 95, THAT A GROUP OF UNARMED BANDITS ATTACKED THE HOUSE OF MR APPOLINAIRE AND ATTEMPTED TO STEAL SOME COWS. DUE TO THE INTERVENTION OF NEIGHBOURS, THEY WERE UNSUCCESSFUL. HOWEVER, MR APPOLINAIRE AND HIS WIFE WERE SEVERELY BEATEN.

UNKNOWN 03/31/95 4C CYATO 8119

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 31 MAR 95, THAT AT CYATO (GR 8119) AT ABOUT 0200 HRS ON 30 MAR 95, A MAN AND HIS WIFE WERE KILLED BY BANDITS.

UNKNOWN 04/06/95 4C CYATO 8119

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 6 APR 95, THAT A MAN AND HIS WIFE WERE MURDERED ON THE NIGHT OF 5/6 APR IN CYATO SECTOR (GR 8119).

ARMED ATTACK 03/13/95 4C CYURUKARA 9005

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTS, ON 13 MAR 95, AT CYURUKARA GR 9005 AT 120200 MAR 95 THAT SIX PERS TRIED TO ROB JOHN HATEGEKIMANA, THE ROBBERY WAS UNSUCCESSFUL, DUE TO ASSISTANCE FROM NEIGHBOURS. THE ROBBERS FLED THROWING A GRENADE.

FRGF 04/29/95 4C GAFUNZO 9444

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 29 APR 95, A BOAT WAS SIGHTED APPROACHING GAFUNZO PENINSULA (GR 9444) FROM IJW ISLAND ON 28 APR 95. AN HOUR LATER TRACER BULLETS WERE OBSERVED FROM THE BOAT. A MOTOR BOAT FROM GAFUNZO PENINSULA (BELIEVED TO BE RPA) ATTACKED THE BOAT FROM IJWE WITH REPEATED BURSTS OF AUTOMATIC FIRE. THE RPA CAPTURED THE BOAT FROM IJWE AND TOWED IT FOR A SHORT DISTANCE BEFORE IT SANK. THIS IS THE SECOND BOAT CAPTURED

ON THE LAKE SINCE THE RPA BEGAN BOAT PATROLS.

FRGF 04/29/95 4C GAFUNZO 9035

ETIOBATT REPORTED, ON 29 APR 95, THIS MORNING AT 1145 HRS UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ARMED ELEMENTS CROSSING RWANDA THROUGH GAFUNZO FROM ZAIRE BY BOAT WERE ENGAGED WITH FIRE BY RPA. FOUR INFILTRATORS WERE KILLED IN THE FIRE FIGHT. RPA CAPTURED 1 KALASHNIKOV NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED ON THE RPA SIDE.

ARMED ATTACK 03/05/95 4C GASAYO 9941

A GROUP OF BANDITS ATTACKED THE HOME OF A FORMER POLICEMAN IN GASYO AROUND THE SAME TIME AS THE AMBUSH WAS GOING ON IN KIRAMBO. THEY WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN DISTURBED BY THE FIRING IN KIRAMBO AND OPENED FIRE IN ALL DIRECTIONS. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES AS RESULT OF THE INCIDENT.

FRGF 04/01/95 4C GASHARO 9838

MILOBS GROUP HQ REPORTED ON, 31 MAR 95, AT 2330HRS, A GROUP OF BANDITS, SOME DRESSED IN COMPLETE MILITARY ATTIRE, ENGAGED A RPA PATROL AT GASHARO (GR 9838) ALONG NYAMASHEKE ROAD AND INJURED ONE RPA SOLDIER WITH A GRENADE EXPLOSION. THE SAME GROUP IS BELIEVED TO HAVE CARRIED OUT ROBBERIES.

ARMED ATTACK 03/22/95 4C GASHARU 9940

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTS, ON 22 MAR 95, AT GASHARU GR 9940, AT 0100HR 21 MAR 95, A GROUP OF UNIFORMED, ARMED BANDITS ROBBED A HOUSE OF A NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLD ITEMS AND LEFT IN THREE LARGE BOATS.

ARMED ATTACK 04/02/95 4C GISHOMA 8211

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 2 APR 95, THE VICE BURGEMIESTER (NIYAMANBIBI BIRNAR) OF GISHOMA COMMUNE (GR 8211) WAS KILLED BY AN UNKNOWN PERSON AT 2000 HOURS. MILOB REPORTED THAT THE ATTACKERS WERE ARMED AND DRESSED IN UNIFORMS.

ARMED ATTACK 03/20/95 4C ISHARA PENINSUL

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 20 MAR 95, THE RPA AT ISHARA PENINSULA, AT 200100B MAR 95, NOTICED TWO BOATS APPROACHING THE PENINSULA. THE BOATS WERE FIRED UPON BY RPA. THE FIRE WAS RETURNED BY PERS

IN THE BOAT. NO INJURIES HAVE BEEN REPORTED. IT IS BELIEVED THERE WAS AT LEAST ONE LMG IN THE BOAT.

FRGF 03/23/95 4C ISHARA 0142

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 23 MAR 95, THAT 4 INCIDENTS OF ROBBERY OCCURRED ON THE ISHARA PENINSULA (GR 0142) LAST NIGHT. AMONG THE 20 MEN THERE WERE SOME IDENTIFIED AS FRGF/GENDARME FROM THE AREA. MILOBS COMMENTED ON THE FOLLOWING:

- (1) WHISTLES AND TORCHES ARE BEING USED BY GPS FOR CO-ORD
- (2) AMBUSHES ARE BEING SET BY THE FRGF AGAINST THE RPA
- (3) INCR USE OF AN UNK TYPE OF BELT FED MED MG BY GPS
- (4) SOME GOODS ARE HELD BY LOCAL COLLABORATORS BEFORE BEING TPT TO ZAIRE AT A LATER DATE.
- (5) ATTACKS APPEAR TO COINCIDE WITH DARKER PHASES OF THE MOON, TAKING ADVANTAGE OF LACK OF NIGHT OBS DEVICES.
- (6) PL SIZED ACTIVITIES ARE TAKING PLACE, BUT MILOBS ASSESSMENT IS THAT THESE HAVE NO IDENTIFIABLE MIL AIM

ARMED ATTACK 03/27/95 4C ISHARA ISLAND

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 27 MAR 95, THAT AT AROUND 0100 HRS, RPA TROOPS ON ISHARA ISLAND EXCHANGED FIRE WITH TWO BOATS ON THE LAKE. THE BOATS WITHDREW, NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED.

ARMED ATTACK 04/01/95 4C ISHARA PENISUL

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 31 MAR 95, RPA LAST NIGHT ENGAGED THREE BOATS AT ISHARA PENINSULA AT 2400HRS. THE OCCUPANTS RETURNED FIRE AND RETREATED.

ARMED ATTACK 04/05/95 4C ISHARA PEN 0142

MILOBS REPORTED, ON 5 APR 95, THE RPA OPENED FIRE ON SMALLBOATS AT 040110APR 95 VIC ISHARA PENINSULA. THE SMALL BOAT CAPSIZED, ONE PERSON WAS KILLED, THE OTHER ESCAPED. THE LARGE BOAT WAS FULL OF COFFEE AND HAD ALSO CAPSIZED.

ARMED ATTACK 04/06/95 4C ISHARA 0044

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 6 APR 95, THAT MANY BOATS (ESTIMATED AT 10) WERE ENGAGED BY RPA AT ISHARA (GR 0044) CLOSE TO THE SHORE. THIS IS THE

LARGEST ATTEMPTED LANDING KNOWN AT THIS TIME.

ARMED ATTACK 04/08/95 4C ISHARA 0144

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 8 APR 95, AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE BETWEEN RPA AND BANDITS AT ISHARA (GR0144) IN THE NIGHT OF 07/08 APR 95 BETWEEN 2100 AND 2400 HRS. ONE BANDIT WAS KILLED AND A BOAT WITH 20 PADDLES CAPTURED. THE BANDITS ARE BELIEVED NOT TO HAVE RETURNED TO IJWI ISLAND AND RPA CONTINUED TODAY TO SEARCH FOR THEM IN THE FOREST.

UNKNOWN 04/09/95 4C ISHARA 9942

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 9 APR 95, UNKNOWN PERSONS ATTEMPTED TO DISEMBARK ON ISHARA PENINSULA AT 080600APR AT INLET NEAR MATABA COVE (GR 9942). AS A RESULT OF BEING FIRED UPON, ONE BOAT SUNK AND THE OTHERS RETREATED FURTHER BACK ONTO THE LAKE. AT 090100APR AND 090130APR THEY MADE TWO MORE ATTEMPTS BUT FAILED. THE SUGGESTION MADE DURING INVESTIGATION SAID THAT THE PERSONS ON BOARD WERE ARRIVING FOR BANDITRY ACTIVITY.

UNKNOWN 04/22/95 4C ISHARA PENINSULA 0044

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 22 APR 95, THAT THERE WERE TWO SHOOTING INCIDENTS ON ISHARA PENINSULA GR 0044 AT 212230 HRS AND ONE AT KAVUNE GR 9840 ON 210250 HRS. MILOBS WERE UNABLE TO INVESTIGATE DUE TO MOBILITY.

UNKNOWN 04/23/95 4C ISHARA 0044

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 23 APR 95, THERE WAS A SHOOTING INCIDENT ON ISHARA PENINSULA (GR 0044) AT 0230 HRS ON 23 APR 95. IT IS NOT KNOWN WHAT PARTIES WERE INVOLVED.

ARMED ATTACK 04/28/95 4C ISHIRA 0142

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 28 APR 95, A LOCAL REPORTED THAT SIX BOATS LANDED DURING THE NIGHT IN THE AREA OF RAMBIRA (GR 0145) AND AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE OCCURRED BETWEEN UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENTS.

UNKNOWN 04/29/95 4C ISHARA 0144

MILOBS 4C REPORTED, ON 29 APR 95, THERE WERE SPARODIC EXCHANGES OF FIRE HEARD BETWEEN 282000 AND 290200 APR 95 ON ISHARA PENINSULA (GR 0144). DURING THE SAME PERIOD, SHOTS WERE HEARD ON IJWE ISLAND AS IF FIRING RANGES WERE BEING CONDUCTED.

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 29 APR 95, YESTERDAY NIGHT AT 2200 HRS ARMED ELEMENTS FROM ZAIRE EXCHANGED FIRE WITH RPA AT ISHARA PENINSULA AND RPA CONFISCATED 1 BOAT. NO CASUALTIES REPORTED.

ARMED ATTACK 05/10/95

4C

ISHARA

0045

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 10 MAY 95, THERE WAS AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE BETWEEN THE RPA AND ARMED ELEMENTS FROM ZAIRE AT 100200B MAY 95 IN THE VIC OF THE ISHARA PENINSULAR GR 0045. THE INCIDENT IS BELIEVED TO BE AN ACT OF BANDITRY.

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 10 MAY 95, ON ISHARA PENINSULA (GR 0143), LOCALS REPORTED MANY ARMED BANDITS, DRESSED IN MILITARY UNIFORM, ACCOMPANIED BY CIVILIANS ARMED WITH SPEARS AND MACHETES. THEY ROBBED SEVERAL HOUSES AND HARASSED THE LOCALS. LATER THEY KILLED THE WIFE OF THE BURGOMEISTER OF KAGANO (GR 9941).

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 11 MAY 95, FURTHER INFORMATION HAS EMERGED ABOUT BANDITS THAT KILLED THE WIFE OF THE BOURGEMEISTER OF KAGANO (GR 9941) ON THE NIGHT OF 10 MAY 95. ACCORDING TO RPA COMD, BANDITS LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON RPA POSITIONS USING A MEDIUM MACHINE GUN AND GRENADES. IT WAS NOT CLEAR IF THE GRENADES WERE LAUNCHED FROM RIFLES OR THROWN. ONE BANDIT WAS KILLED, BUT NO CAS WERE REPORTED ON THE RPA SIDE. THE DEAD BANDIT WAS IDENTIFIED AS A BOY BORN ON THE ISHARA PENINSULA AND LATER RECRUITED BY RWANDAN GOVERNMENT FORCES.

FRGF

03/20/95

4C

KABIGUZI

9146

SECTOR 4C ETHIOBATT ON 20 MAR 95 REPORTED THAT, THIS MORNING AT GR 9146 RPA EXCHANGED FIRE WITH 10 RGF SOLDIERS. AS RESULT OF THIS FIGHTING 4 RGF SOLDIERS WERE KILLED AND ONE INJURED AND CAPTURED BY RPA. THIS RGF SOLDIERS CAME FROM ZAIRE.

ARMED ATTACK 03/15/95

4C

KAGINKONGORO

8315

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 15 MAR 95, PEOPLE IN THE KAGINKONGORO AREA (GR 8315) HAVE COMPLAINED ABOUT PERSISTANT BANDITRY ATTACKS. THE LAST KNOWN ATTACK WAS ON 11 MAR, WHERE THEY USED GRENADES AND RIFLES. LOCALS BELIEVE THE BANDITS COME FROM ZAIRE.

ARMED ATTACK 03/30/95

4C

KAMEMBE

7826

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, AT 310155B MAR 95, A HAND GRENADE WAS THROWN AND SHOTS WERE FIRED, AT

310100B MAR 95, AGAINST AN ETHIOBATT POSITION AT KAMEMBE (GR 7826). THE ETHIOBATT POSITION WAS OFFERING PROTECTION TO AN ICRC WAREHOUSE. NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED. ETHIOBATT TROOPS SEARCHED THE AREA AND FOUND AN F1 GRENADE.

UNKNOWN 03/27/95 4C KAVHUNE 9740

MILOBS 4C REPORTED, ON 27 MAR 95, AT 270100 TEN ARMED BANDITS RAIDED THE HOUSE OF A LOCAL IN THE AREA OF KAVHUNE (GR 9740), AND STOLE ALL HIS PROPERTY. THEY THREATENED TO RETURN FOR HIS LIVESTOCK ON AN UNSPECIFIED DATE.

FRGF 03/19/95 4C KAZIBO 935405

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 22 MAR 95, THEY HAD RECEIVED A REPORT OF AN INCIDENT OF BANDITRY, ON 19/20 MAR, IN WHICH 3 ARMED MEN, DRESSED IN FRGF UNIFORMS, LANDED IN A ROWING BOAT EAST OF KAZIBO (GR 935405). THE BANDITS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE COME FROM IJWE ISLAND. RPA TROOPS SPOTTED THE BANDITS AND OPENED, FIRE KILLING ONE AND CAPTURING ANOTHER. THE THIRD ESCAPED.

ARMED ATTACK 04/27/95 4C KININI 9535

MILOB SECTOR 5 REPORTED, ON 27 APR 95, THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED UNSTABLE BUT CALM DISPISTE ACTS OF BANDITRY. ON 25 APR, A GROUP OF BANDITS LANDED IN KININI GR 9535 BY BOAT AND ROBBED SEVEN HOUSES OF FOOD ITEMS. THEY MADE A SIMILIAR ATTEMPT THE FOLLOWING NIGHT BUT WERE INTERCEPTED BY AN RPA PATROL WHO ENGAGED THEM WITH SMALLARMS AND GRENADES. TWO OF THE BANDITS WERE CAPTURED BY LOCALS THE FOLLOWING MORNING AND TURNED OVER TO THE RPA. BOTH ARE DETAINED IN KIRAMBO PRISON GR 0444 AND ONE HAS A STOMACH WOUND.

OPINION 03/30/95 4C KIRAMBO 039443

MILOBS 4C REPORTED, ON 30 MAR 95, RUMOURS, PARTICULARLY IN GATARE (GR 129454) AND KIRAMBO (GR 039443) AREAS, HAVE BEEN NARROWED DOWN TO TWO BASIC CONCEPTS: THE FIRST IS THAT IN THE SECOND WEEK OF APRIL, MANY ELEMENTS OF RGF AND INTERAHAMWE WILL MAKE CONCERTED ATTEMPTS TO LAUNCH ATTACKS INTO THE CYANGUGU PREFECTURE AND OTHER PARTS OF RWANDA; THE SECOND IS THAT RPA INTEND TO KILL MANY PRISONERS (AND PERHAPS BLAME IT ON VARIOUS FACTORS) AS A FORM OF REVENGE.

ARMED ATTACK 05/10/95

4C

KIRAMBO

0444

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 10 MAY 95, IN KIRAMBO COMMUNE (GR 0444) FOUR ACTS OF BANDITRY WERE REPORTED, INVOLVING ARMED BANDITS. BANDIT ACTIVITIES WERE NOTICED TO BE INCREASING, PARTICULARLY IN THE MOONLESS PERIOD OF THE MONTH.

UNKNOWN

03/24/95

4C

KIRANGA

8008

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 24 MAR 95, THAT BANDITS, SUSPECTED TO BE FRGF TROOPS, ATTACKED A HOUSE IN KIRANGA (GR 8008) AROUND 2230 HRS ON 23 MAR 95 AND STOLE SOME CATTLE. NEIGHBOURS RALLIED TOGETHER AND RETRIEVED THE STOLEN CATTLE. NO CAS WERE REPORTED.

UNKNOWN

05/03/95

4C

KIRANGA

8008

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 3 MAY 95, THERE WAS AN INCIDENT OF BANDITRY IN KIRANGA (GR 8008) ON 2 MAY 95 IN WHICH 6 UNATTENDED COWS WERE STOLEN (CULPRITS SUSPECTED TO BE FRGF FROM ZAIRE).

ARMED ATTACK 04/16/95

4C

KIVUNE

9840

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 16 APR 95, THAT AT 2200 HRS ON 15 APR 95 A SKIRMISH BETWEEN RPA AND BANDITS WITH SMALL ARMS TOOK PLACE IN THE KIVUNE AREA (GR 9840), ON THE SHORES OF LAKE KIVU. ONE GROUP OF BANDITS ESCAPED BY BOAT TO IJWI ISLAND. 1 GROUP OF BANDITS PASSED MILOB LOC IN DIR OF NYAMASHEKE. IT IS ASSUMED THAT BANDITS ARE STILL HIDING IN THE NYAMASHEKE AREA.

UNKNOWN

05/11/95

4C

MPUMBU

9634

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 11 MAY 95, THE ROBBERY AND MURDER OF THREE LOCALS TOOK PLACE IN MPUMBU (GR 9634) ON THE NIGHT OF 9 MAY 95 IN THE NYAMASHEKE SUB-SECTOR.

ARMED ATTACK 03/26/95

4C

MUBUMBA

3439

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 26 MAR 95, THAT THE SITUATION IN THE AREA REMAINED CONSIDERABLY TENSE. IN THE MUBUMBA (3439) AROUND 2330HRS ON 25 MAR 95. RPA TROOPS EXCHANGED HEAVY SMALL ARMS FIRE WITH BANDITS FOR ABOUT 20 MINS. IN ANOTHER INCIDENT AT CYARUKURA (9005) ON THE NIGHT 25/26 MAR 95, BANDITS STOLE MONEY AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS, KILLED ONE PERSON AND WOUNDED ANOTHER.

ARMED ATTACK 03/06/95

4C

MUHERE

7914

MILOBS 4C REPORTED, ON 06 MAR 95, THAT BETWEEN 03-06 MAR 95 A GROUP OF BANDITS ATTACKED A SHOP OWNED BY BERNARD MWEREKANDE AT MUHERE GR 7914. DURING THE ATTACK, THEOGENE KAYIRANGA WAS KILLED AND THE SHOP LOOTED.

ARMED ATTACK 03/23/95

4C

MUKINJA

0042

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 23 MAR 95, THAT A PATROL RESPONDED TO SHOOTING VIC MUKINJA GR 0042 AND WAS INFORMED BY THE RPA THAT BANDITS IN 2 BOATS HAD TRIED TO ENTER RWANDA. SHOTS HAD BEEN EXCHANGED BETWEEN THE RPA AND THE BANDITS. THE RPA CONFISCATED 1 BOAT AND TWO CIVILIANS WERE INJURED IN THE FIREFIGHT.

ARMED ATTACK 03/03/95

4C

MURWA PENINSULA 9741

MILOB REPORTS AT ABOUT 2000 HRS 2 MAR 95, A GROUP OF 8 BANDITS ARMED WITH AUTO WEAPONS AND WEARING UNIFORMS LANDED AT MURWA PENINSULA GR 9741 IN LARGE BOATS. THE GROUP ATTACKED TWO LOCALS TAKING; ONE SEWING MACHINE, TWO RADIOS, TWO MATRESSES, SOME CLOTHING, 67700 RF, TWO GOATS, TWO BAGS OF BEANS, AND 15 SHEETS OF METAL ROOFING. THEY BEAT, TIED THE MEN UP AND TOLD THEM TO TELL OTHERS, THEY WILL BE BACK.

ARMED ATTACK 03/16/95

4C

MUSHAKA

8209

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 16 MAR 95, THAT A YOUNG TUTSI BOY WAS FOUND HACKED TO DEATH BY A MACHETE IN MUSHAKA (GR 8207). THE LOCALS SAID THAT HIS KILLERS WERE MILITARY BUT WERE UNABLE TO CONFIRM WHETHER THEY WERE RPA OR RGF.

ARMED ATTACK 04/16/95

4C

NYABISHUNGU

9112

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 16 APR 95, MILOB SECTOR 4C WERE INFORMED ON 14 APR 95 AT ABOUT 1100-1230 HRS, 8 BANDITS ATTACKED 2 RPA SOLDIERS IN THE NYABISHUNGU AREA (GR 910 120), ONE RPA SOLDIER WAS KILLED AND ONE WAS INJURED. THE SAME DAY BETWEEN 1300 AND 1500 HRS APPROX 20 RPA SOLDIERS CAME TO THE AREA TAKING 17 LOCAL MALE CIVILIANS FROM THE ROAD TO THE BANKS OF THE RUBYIRO RIVER (AT GR 9112) AND SHOT THEM ALL. ONLY ONE PERSON SURVIVED. A MILOBS TEAM WENT TO THE SPOT WHERE THE KILLINGS TOOK PLACE, APPROX 2 KM EAST OF NYABISHUNGO VILLAGE, AND FOUND 16 RECENTLY DEAD BODIES. SOME AK-47 AMMUNITION WAS SEEN AT THE LOCATION. RETURNING FROM THE SITE, THEY MET 5 RPA SOLDIERS

WITH 1 OFFR (CAPT) AND THE BURGOMESTRE OF BUGARAMA COMMUNE PROCEEDING IN THE DIRECTION OF THE KILLING GROUND.

ON THE AFTERNOON OF 15 APR 95, A LOCAL MAN CAME TO A MILOB LOCATION AND INFORMED THEM THAT THE RPA HAD PUT 5 MEN INTO PRISON, AMONG THEM WERE THE LOCALS THAT HAD ORIGINALLY INFORMED MILOBS OF THE INCIDENT ON 14 AND 15 APR.

FRGF 04/16/95 4C NYAKABUYE 9016

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 16 APR 95, THAT ON 13 APR 95, THE RPA EXCHANGED FIRE WITH RGF IN THE NYAKABUYE AREA (GR 9016). 1 RPA SOLDIER WAS REPORTED WOUNDED, AND THREE RGF KILLED.

UNKNOWN 04/02/95 4C NYAKARENZO 7919

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 2 APR 95, 7 PEOPLE, ARMED WITH ONE RIFLE, FIRED ONE SHOT AND BEAT WITH STICKS THE ADMINISTRATOR OF AMORA SECTOR, NEAR NYAKARENZO (GR 7919).

ARMED ATTACK 03/06/95 4C NYAMAGANA 7717

MILOBS 4C REPORTED, ON 06 MAR 95, THAT A GROUP OF ARMED BANDITS ATTACKED THE HOUSE OF MARCEL BIZIMANA ON 05 MAR 95 AND STOLE 3 COWS. ETHIOBATT INTERVENED AND RECOVERED THE STOCK.

ARMED ATTACK 03/05/95 4C NYAMASHEKE 9841

SEVERAL ACTS OF BADITRY WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN CARRIED OUT IN THE SECTOR. ON 4 MAR, RPA WAS REPORTED TO HAVE AMBUSHED A BOAT CONTAINING 4 BANDITS. 3 OF THEM WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED BY A GRENADE LOBBED INTO THE BOAT. THE BANDITS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN CARRYING LETTERS ADVISING ALL HUTUS TO MOVE TO ZAIRE WHERE THEY WOULD BE PROTECTED.

ARMED ATTACK 03/17/95 4C NYAMASHEKE 9841

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 17 MAR 95, THAT A GROUP OF ARMED BANDITS IN MILITARY UNIFORM ROBBED THREE HOUSES IN THE NYAMASHEKE AREA (GR 9841) AFTER CROSSING FROM IJWE ISLAND BY BOAT. THE BOAT WAS SPOTTED AND FIRED ON BY THE RPA ON ITS RETURN JOURNEY. LOCALS IDENTIFIED 5 OF THE BANDITS AS MBRS OF THE FRGF/FORMER GENDARME, ONE OF WHICH WAS THE SON OF ONE OF THE PERSONS WHOSE HOUSE WAS ROBBED.

ARMED ATTACK 03/20/95

4C

NYAMASHEKE

9841

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 20 MAR 95, THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINS UNCHANGED WITH A SPATE OF ROBBERIES TAKING PLACE IN THE SECTOR. THERE HAVE BEEN FOUR ARMED ROBBERIES IN THE AREA IN THE LAST 24 HRS. THE MODUS OPERANDI WAS SIMILAR TO THE PREVIOUS INCIDENTS IN WHICH ARMED BANDITS CAME IN UNIFORM USING BOATS AT NIGHT. GENERALLY HOUSEHOLD GOODS ARE STOLEN ALONG WITH LIVESTOCK. FIRING IS RESORTED TO ONLY WHEN ESSENTIAL. IT IS NOW FIRMLY BELIEVED THAT THESE ROBBERIES ARE BEING CARRIED OUT BY RANKS OF THE FRGF.

ARMED ATTACK 03/25/95

4C

NYAMASHEKE

9841

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 25 MAR 95, THAT BANDITS SUSPECTED OF BEING FRGF TROOPS, WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CARRIED OUT 3 ROBBERIES IN THE NYAMASHEKE AREA (GR 9841) ON THE NIGHT 24/25 MAR 95. THEY STOLE MONEY, HOUSEHOLD ITEMS AND FOODSTUFFS FROM ONE HOUSEHOLD. ONE LOCAL WAS KILLED WITH AN AXE IN THE ATTACK.

OPINION

03/29/95

4C

NYAMASHEKE

9841

CIVPOL SECTOR 4C REPORTS, ON 29 MAR 95, THAT IN NYAMASHEKE GR 9841, ACTS OF BANDITARY ARE INCREASING WITH THE GROUPS OF BANDITS BEING AS LARGE AS 30 PERSONNEL.

ARMED ATTACK 04/23/95

4C

NYAMASHEKE

9841

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 23 APR 95, AT ABOUT 0230 HRS 23 APR 95 10 BANDITS CONDUCTED AN ATTACK AT NYAMASHEKE (GR 9841). FOUR OF THE BANDITS WERE ARMED. THEY CONDUCTED THE ATTACK USING A GRENADE AND SMALL ARMS FIRE.

OPINION

04/27/95

4C

NYAMASHEKE

9841

MILOB SECTOR 4C, ON 27 APR 95, REPORTED THAT BANDITS ARE MOUNTING MORE ATTACKS ON THE LOCAL POPULATION AND SEEM TO BE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE MOONLESS NIGHTS.

ARMED ATTACK 05/01/95

4C

NYAMASHEKE

9841

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 01 MAY 95, THAT AT NYAMASHEKE GR 9841, BETWEEN 302200 APR AND 010100 MAY, A BOAT BELIEVED TO BE FROM IJWI ISLAND, FIRED SPORADICLY AT THE COASTLINE. THE FIRE WAS RANDOM AND THE RPA BELIEVE IT WAS PROBING THEIR DEPLOYMENT IN THE COMMUNE.

ARMED ATTACK 05/10/95 4C NYAMASHEKE 9841

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 10 MAY 95, THAT AT NYAMASHEKE (GR 9841) AT 0600 HRS, A BOAT WAS SPOTTED LEAVING FOR IJWI ISLAND. THE BOAT BELONGING TO BANDITS WHO HAD ALLEGEDLY COMMITTED ARMED ROBBERIES ON TWO STORES IN THE NGOMA AREA (GR 9733)

ARMED ATTACK 04/26/95 4C NYAMSHEKE 9841

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 26 APR 95, THAT ON 24 APR 95, AN UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENT ATTACKED A HOME IN NYAMASHEKE GR 9841. THE ATTACKERS USED 4 GRENADES AND SMALL ARMS. A 17 YEAR OLD GIRL WAS INJURED IN THE ATTACK.

ARMED ATTACK 03/31/95 4C NYENJI 7907

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 31 MAR 95, THAT AT NYENJI (GR 7907) AT 0100 HRS ON 30 MAR 95, A FORMER COUNSELLOR WAS SHOT BY BANDITS AND MONEY WAS STOLEN FROM HIM.

ARMED ATTACK 04/17/95 4C NYKANUYE 1789

MILOBS SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 17 APRIL 95, THERE WAS A SKIRMISH REPORTED THE NIGHT BEFORE AT NYKANUYE AREA. (GR 1789).

ARMED ATTACK 03/22/95 4C RANGIRO 0434

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTS, ON 22 MAR 95, THAT IN RANGIRO GR 0434 AT 2100 HRS 21 MAR 95, A GROUP OF ARMED BANDITS IN A VEH, STOLE AN ENGINE AND A WATER PUMP. THE BANDITS FIRED SHOTS IN THE AIR AND FLED. THEN AT 2300 HRS, AT MPABE GR 0436, A GROUP OF 16 BANDITS, ARMED WITH AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND IN UNIFORMS, SHOT AND KILLED MR BIGIRIMANA AND WOUNDED MR NZIKOWANYANGA. THE BANDITS STOLE A NUMBER OF GOODS, MILOBS WERE INFORMED THAT THE GROUP IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MOST OF THE ACTIVITY NEAR THE FOREST.

ARMED ATTACK 03/17/95 4C RUHOKO 8304

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 17 MAR 95, THAT A FAMILY OF SEVEN WAS KILLED IN THE RUHOKO AREA (GR 8304) AT APPROX 0100 HRS 13 MAR 95. KILLED WERE A MR NKIKABAHIZI, HIS WIFE MUKARUTABANA AND THEIR 5 CHILDREN. THE ADULTS WERE KILLED BY BULLETS AND THE CHILDREN BY BAYONET. THE TWO POSSIBILITIES BEHIND THE ATTACK ARE REVENGE BY THE RPA FOR COMMUNICATING TO THE FGRF VIA THE DECEASED MANS

BROTHER, OR REVENGE BY THE FRGF/MILITIA FOR BEING FRIENDLY WITH THE LOCAL RPA.

ARMED ATTACK 03/31/95 4C RUKUNGULI 8414

MILOB SECTOR 4C REPORTED, ON 31 MAR 95, AT ABOUT 1200 HRS ON 30 MAR 95, ARMED BANDITS ATTACKED 2 MEN AT RUKUNGULI (GR 8414) AND STOLE THEIR HOUSEHOLD PROPERTY.

RPA 03/27/95 4C RUSIZI 7624

MILOB GP HQ REPORTED, ON 27 MAR 95, THAT RPA TROOPS NEAR RUSIZI GR 7624 WERE REPORTED TO HAVE EXCHANGED FIRE WITH ZAIREAN TROOPS BETWEEN 1000-1300 HRS ON 26 MAR 95. IT IS REPORTED THAT, TWO RPA SOLDIERS WERE KILLED IN THE INCIDENT AND THERE WAS AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF ZAIREAN CASUALTIES. THE ZAIREAN SOLDIERS ARE BASED NEAR THE PANZI REFUGEE CAMP, MILOBS ARE UNSURE WHETHER THE EXCHANGE OF FIRE WAS INSTIGATED BY THE FRGF ELEMENTS IN THE CAMP AND ARE INVESTIGATING.

RPA 05/03/95 4C SECTOR 4C

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 3 MAY 95, THE SITUATION WHERE THE 20 BANDITS LED BY BRIG KABERA AND OPERATING IN ISHARA AND KANOGO MAY HAVE BEEN KILLED DURING A SHOOTOUT WITH RPA ON 29 APR 95. INFORMATION IS STILL BEING GATHERED ON UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT FOLLOWING A SERIES OF UNSUCCESSFUL BANDIT OPERATIONS, A SHOOTOUT OCCURRED BETWEEN SOME GROUPS OF BANDITS ON IJWI ISLAND. THIS IS PROBABLY WHAT WAS REPORTED AS RANGE FIRING PRACTICE ON 30 APR 95.

ARMED ATTACK 03/11/95 4C SHANGI 8934

ETHIOBATT REPORTED, ON 11 MAR 95, THERE WAS AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE BETWEEN RPA AND BANDITS AT SHANGI GR8934. THE BANDITS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE COME FROM ZAIRE THIS MORNING. THE BANDITS MANAGED TO ESCAPE WITH 2 GOATS AND 10,000 RF WHICH THEY HAD LOOTED FROM THE LOCALS.

RPA 03/03/95 4C SHARA 9111

ETHIOBATT REPORTS A NHURANGA ALBERT WAS KILLED BY THE RPA AT SHARA GR 9111, THE RPA STATED THE MAN WAS KILLED FOR HE TRYING TO CROSS THE ZAIRE BORDER ILLEGALLY. HOWEVER THE LOCALS STATED HE WAS MEETING WITH THE MILITIA.

SECTOR 5

UNKNOWN 03/04/95 5 BUSHENGO 2016

MILOBS SECTOR 5 REPORTED, 0 4 MAR 95, A GANG OF ABOUT 10 BANDITS CONDUCTED AN ATTACK AT BUSHENG (GR 2016). ARMED WITH MACHETES THE BANDITDS RAIDED THE VILLAGE, AND STOLE CATTLE AND OTHER VALUABLES. 4 LOCALS WERE KILLED AND 1 INJURED.

ARMED ATTACK 04/04/95 5 GISENYI 1712

CIVPOL REPORTED, ON 4 APRIL 95, 7 ARMED MEN SUSPECTED TO BE INTERAHAMWE ATTACKED THE RESIDENCE OF A LOCAL AT GISENYI, KILLING HIS WIFE AND INJURING HIS SON. TWO SUSPECTS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE INCIDENT.

ARMED ATTACK 05/03/95 5 GISENYI

CIVPOL REPORTED, ON 3 MAY 95, 7 ARMED UNIFORMED MEN ATTACKED THE MSF - B HEALTH CENTRE IN RUREMBO WITHIN KARAGO COMMUNE ON 28 APR 95, AT ABOUT 2000HRS. AN UNSPECIFIEDE AMOUNT OF MONEY AND PERSONNEL EFFECTS WERE STOLEN. INVESTIGATIONS IN PROGRESS.

FRFG 04/27/95 5 KABATWA 3327

TUNBATT REPORTED, ON 27 APR 95, THE RPA COMD CLAIMS A GROUP OF FRGF INFILTRATED FROM ZAIRE AT 262300 APR IN THE VICINTY OF KABATWA GR 3327. THEY WERE ENGAGED BY THE RPA AND ONE FRGF WAS KILLED. THE REMAINDER ESCAPED TO ZAIRE.

UNKNOWN 03/18/95 5 KANAMA 2712

TUNBATT REPORTED, ON 18 MAR 95, 5 PERSONS BELONGING TO THE SAME FAMILY WERE ASSASSINATED WITH MACHETTES AT KANAMA GS 2712, ON 17 MAR 95. THE MURDERERS ARE UNKN.

A CIVPOL TEAM REPORTED ON 19 MAR 95 THAT A FAMILY OF 5 IN KANAMA HAD BEEN ATTACKED. AT ABOUT 2000HRS 4 LOCALS HAD BEEN FOUND DEAD WITH MULTIPLE MATCHET WOUNDS TO THE HEAD. THE WHEREABOUTS OF THE FIFTH PERSON AGED 5 IS UNKNOWN. ASSAILANTS NOT KNOWN. INVESTIGATIONS IN PROGRESS.

UNKNOWN 03/29/95 5 KANAMA 2812

TUNBATT REPORTS, ON 29 MAR 95, THAT A LOCAL, ASMEN RUGARAMA REPORTED THE KILLING OF THREE LOCALS ON 28 MAR 95, BY UNKNOWN PERSONS. HUMAN RIGHT WAS

INFORMED.

OPINION 05/02/95 5 MUTOVU 2829

MILOB SECTOR 5 REPORTED, ON 2 MAY 95, THAT THE BORDER IN THE GENERAL AREA OF MUTOVU (GR 2829) AND RWERERE (GR 2722) IS ACTIVE DUE TO FREQUENT SMALL SCALE PROBING ATTACKS AND INFILTRATION ATTEMPTS FROM THE ZAIREAN SIDE. RPA IS CARRYING OUT HEAVY PATROLLING IN THE GENERAL AREA ALONG THE BORDER. THE RPA AT MUTOVU CONFIRMED THE ORIGINAL REPORT TO MILOBS.

UNKNOWN

THERE WAS AN INFILTRATION ATTEMPT ON THE NIGHT OF 1 MAY 95 IN THE MUTOVU AREA. THE ATTEMPT WAS BEATEN BACK AFTER A BRIEF FIREFIGHT. THE BOURGEMESTRE OF RWERERE COMMUNE REPORTED THAT THERE WERE FREQUENT CASES OF BANDITRY BY UNIFORMED PERSONS. THESE PERS ARE BELIEVED TO BE COMING FROM THE INTERIOR AREAS OF RUBAVU COMMUNE (GR 2313). IT IS LIKELY THAT THESE ACTS ARE COMMITTED BY INFILTRATORS WHO HAVE COME ACROSS FROM ZAIRE IN SMALL GROUPS AND HAVE MINGLED WITH THE LOCAL POPULATION. THEY ARE NOW CARRYING OUT ROBBERIES IN A REGULAR MANNER.

UNKNOWN 03/02/95 5 MUTURA 2332

MILOB SECTOR 5 REPORTS, THE INVESTIGATION INTO THE KILLING OF 9 CIVILIANS REVEALED THAT, SOME THE KILLING WERE PART OF A LOCAL TERROR CAMPAIGN BY THE INTERHAMWE IN THE BORDER AREA AND THE KILLING OF MR GERALD GATABAZI AND HIS DAUGHTERS WAS BECAUSE HE DID NOT COOPERATE WITH THE INTERHAMWE DURING THE GENOCIDE.

FRGF 03/28/95 5 MUTURA 3223

MILOB SECTOR 5 REPORTS, ON 28 MAR 95, THE RPA AMBUSHED A GROUP WHICH WAS TRYING TO EXFILTRATE NEAR THE SECTOR OF KABATWA IN THE MUTURA COMMUNE (GR 3223) ON THE NIGHT OF 26/27 MAR 95. IN THE FIREFIGHT WHICH ENSUED ONE RPA SOLDIER WAS INJURED AND WAS EVACUATED TO KIGALI WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF TUNBATT. CASUALITIES AMONG THE EXFILTRATORS IS UNKNOWN.

FRGF 04/16/95 5 MUTURA 3223

TUNBATT REPORTED, ON 16 APR 95, THAT AT 16 0200 APR, IN THE MUTURA AREA (GR 3223), AN INTERAHAMWE MEMBER THREW A HAND GRENADE AT A GROUP OF RPA

SOLDIERS. AS A RESULT, ONE RPA SOLDIER DIED AND TWO OTHERS WERE SERIOUSLY INJURED. THE ATTACKER WAS SHOT DEAD BY THE RPA.

ARMED ATTACK 04/26/95 5 MUTURA 3223

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 26 APR 95, THAT THE ASSISTANT BOURGOMESTRE OF MUTURA GR 3223 WAS KILLED ON 23 APR 95. THE DECEASED WAS A HUTU RECENTLY RETURNED TO THE AREA AND WAS KILLED BY A GROUP OF UNIDENTIFIED PERSONS WHO BROKE INTO HIS HOUSE. RPA ARRIVED AT THE HOUSE 10 MINUTES AFTER THE ATTACK AND RENDERED FIRST AID. MILOBS ASSESS INTERAHAMWE INVOLVEMENT.

ARMED ATTACK 04/28/95 5 MUTURA 3223

CIVPOL GISENYI REPORTED, ON 28 APR 95, AT APPROX 252300 APR 95 9 MEN, 3 OF WHICH WERE ARMED AND WEARING MILITARY UNIFORM, FORCED THEIR WAY INTO A HOUSE IN MUTURA COMMUNE. THE HOUSE OWNER WAS SHOT AND SERIOUSLY WOUNDED. A NUMBER OF PERSONAL ITEMS AND CASH WAS STOLEN.

UNKNOWN 03/29/95 5 NATIONAL PARK 4639

TUNBATT REPORTS, ON 29 MAR 95, THAT BANDITS INFILTRATED THROUGH THE NATIONAL PARK GR 4639 AND STOLE 40 COWS.

ARMED ATTACK 03/23/95 5 NYAMARANGO 3117

TUNBATT REPORTED, ON 23 MAR 95, THAT A LOCAL FROM NYAMARANGO COMMUNE (GR 3117) WAS BROUGHT TO TUNBATT HQ LOC WITH MACHETE AND GUNSHOT WOUNDS TO HIS HEAD. HE WAS TRANSPORTED TO GISENYI HOSPITAL AFTER TREATMENT. THE ASSAILANTS ARE UNK. IT WAS REPORTED THAT 7 OTHERS HAD BEEN INJURED.

FRGF 03/07/95 5 RUBAVU 2213

MILOBS SECTOR 5 REPORTED, ON 7 MAR 95, AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE MURDER OF 4 PERSONS IN RUBAVU COMMUNE HAD BEEN CONDUCTED. THE TEAM INTERVIEWED ONE PERSON WHO HAD BEEN KIDNAPPED BY THE KILLERS. HE CONFIRMED THE ATTACKERS HAD COME FROM ZAIRE.

FRGF 03/26/95 5 RUBAVU 2113

CIVPOL GISENYI REPORTED, ON 26 MAR 95, THAT A CRIME WAVE HAD TAKEN PLACE ON THE NIGHT 24 TO 25 MAR 95. THREE PERSONS WERE KILLED IN THE RUBAVU

COMMUNE. THE KILLING WAS PERPETUATED BY A GROUP OF 10 - 15 MEN, WHO ACCORDING TO THE EYEWITNESSES, HAVE COME FROM ACROSS THE BORDER AS SOME OF THEM WERE RECOGNISED BY THE LOCALS. ONE OF THE VICTIMS HAD RECEIVED DEATH THREATS FROM THE INTERHAMWE FROM ACROSS THE BORDER. THE VICTIMS WERE SHOT BY SUBMACHINE GUN FIRE.

CIVPOL REPORTED, ON 30 MAR 95, A VISIT TO THE BURGERMIESTER OF RUBAVU COMMUNE (GR 215136) WAS CONDUCTED. HE DISCLOSED THE SECURITY SITUATION IN THE COMMUNE IS TENSE DUE TO THE RECENT KILLINGS OF THREE LOCALS BY UNKNOWN PERSONS SUSPECTED TO BE INTERAHAMWE FROM ZAIRE. THE BURGERMIESTER ALSO REVEALED THAT FEAR AND INSECURITY IN THE COMMUNE IS LARGELY DUE TO NON-PRESENCE OF RPA IN THE COMMUNE.

ARMED ATTACK 05/02/95 5 RUREMBO 5217

MILOB SECTOR 5 REPORTED, ON 2 MAY 95, THAT A JOINT CIVPOL/GENDARMERIE INVESTIGATION WAS CARRIED OUT INTO THE DETAILS OF A ROBBERY COMMITTED AT THE MSF CLINIC AT RUREMBO (GR 5217) ON THE NIGHT OF 29 APR 95, BY A GROUP OF PERS IN UNIFORM.

FRGF 04/04/95 5 RUTAGARA 1818

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 4 APR 95, AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE BETWEEN RPA AND TWO GROUPS OF INFILTRATORS IN THE NIGHT OF 03/04 APR 95 IN THE AREA OF RUTAGARA (GR 1818). THE EXCHANGE LASTED 10 - 15 MINUTES AND ABOUT 80 ROUNDS WERE FIRED. THERE HAS NOT BEEN CASUALTIES REPORTED FROM EITHER SIDE. THIS MORNING, A ZAIREAN OFFICER APPROACHED THE RPA AND ENQUIRED ABOUT THE FIRING. HE SAID THE FIRING DID NOT INVOLVE ZAIREAN SOLDIERS. HE PROMISED TO CARRY OUT PATROLS ON THE ZAIREAN SIDE TO PREVENT ANY SUCH INCIDENTS IN THE FUTURE.

RPA 03/03/95 5 RWERERE 2722

MILOB REPORTS THEIR PATROL VISITED RWERERE GR 2722 AND MUTURA GR 3223 COMMUNES TO INVESTIGATE THE KILLING OF TWO LOCALS, THE PATROL REPORTED THAT THE TWO MEN WERE KILLED BY THE RPA. THE MEN WERE PART OF AN ARMED GROUP THAT WERE TRYING TO ESCAPE TO ZAIRE.

FRGF 03/20/95 5 RWERERE 2722

CIVPOL COMMISSIONER ON 20 MAR 95 REPORTED, ON 11 MAR 95, INTERAHAMWE ATTACKED AND KILLED THE WIFE OF A COMMUNE POLICE OFFICER WHILST THE HUSBAND WAS ON

NIGHT DUTY AT THE COMMUNE HQ. IN THE SAME REPORT HE INDICATED ANOTHER INCIDENT INVOLVING AN ATTACK BY INTERAHAMWE IN MURAMA GR 6749 (SECTOR 3) COMMUNE ON 3 MAR 95 WHICH RESULTED IN THE DEATH OF FOUR LOCALS AND THREE OTHERS WOUNDED. INVESTIGATION IN PROGRESS.

ARMED ATTACK 03/25/95

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SECTOR 5

TUNBATT REPORTED, ON 25 MAR 95, THAT 3 PERSONS WERE REPORTEDLY KILLED BY THE FRGF LAST NIGHT AT NYUNDO (GR 2411), USING GUNS AND GRENADES. AS A RESULT OF THIS ACTION, 60 PERSONS HAVE SOUGHT PROTECTION AT THE TUNBATT COY POSITION AT NYUNDO.

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SECTOR 5

MILOBS SECTOR 5 REPORTED, ON 29 APR 95, A MILOB PATROL WAS CONDUCTED ALONG THE BORDER BELT FROM RWERERE (GR 2722) TO MUTOVU (GR 2929). THE AIM OF THE PATROL WAS TO VERIFY A REPORT FROM GOMA TO THE EFFECT THAT MORTARS HAD BEEN LAUNCHED INTO THE KIMUMBA CAMP FROM THE RWANDESE SIDE OF THE BORDER. THE PATROL ALSO REPORTED THAT UNIFORMED SOLDIERS (PROBABLY FRGF) RESORT TO ENGAGING THE RPA IN THIS AREA ALMOST ON A ROUTINE BASIS. THE RPA HAS INCREASED PATROLLING IN THE AREA.

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SECTOR 5

MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 29 APR 95, IN SECTOR 5 THERE WAS A REPORT OF INFILTRATION THROUGH RWERERE BORDER POST ON 26 APR 95. THIS RESULTED INTO A FIRE FIGHT, WHERE ONE INFILTRATOR WAS KILLED AND AN UNKNOWN NUMBER WERE INJURED. WHILE WITHDRAWING THE INFILTRATORS REPORTEDLY THREW GRENADES INTO THE TENTS OF THE LEOPARD BATTALION (ZAIREAN FORCE EMPLOYED BY UNHRC) IN THE VICINITY OF KIBUMA CAMP.

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MILOBS GP HQ REPORTED, ON 3 MAY 95, SECTOR 5 MILOBS REPORTED FREQUENT FIREFIGHTS AND ARRESTS OF ARMED PERSONS IN THE GENERAL AREA BOUNDED BY EASTINGS 40 - 71 AND NORTHINGS 27 - 41. THE AREA INCLUDES THE VOLCANO NATIONAL PARK AND STRETCHES UP TO KIDAHU (GR 7247). RPA SUSPECTS A BUILD UP OF FRGF TPS FROM THE ZAIREAN SIDE OF THE BORDER. MILOBS RECOMMEND THAT ALL AERIAL RECCEE OF THE AREA SHOULD BE SUSPENDED OR CLEARED WITH RPA HIGH COMMAND IN KIGALI AND ON THE GROUND.