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UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ DATE : 31 JULY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : **DAILY SITREP COVERING 302300B TO 312300B JULY 95**

1. **SITUATION**

a. **GENERAL**. THE SITUATION REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

b. **BORDERS**.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

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(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) AND RUTETE (RWANDA/BURUNDI) - NTR

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POSTS 1 & 2 AND BORDER POSTS UVIRA IN SECT 4 (RWANDA/ZAIRE) REMAIN CLOSED TO COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC AND REFUGEES ON FOOT WITHOUT UNHCR ESCORT.

(4) GISENYI BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. TRAFFIC STILL CLOSED TO HUMANITARIAN AID TO GOMA CAMPS.

(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 3B - NO CHANGE

(6) THE RWANDA - ZAIRE BORDER AT UVIRA GR 8900 REMAINED CLOSED TO COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC EXCEPT REFUGEES ESCORTED BY UNHCR.

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2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL**.

(i) SECTOR 5C MILOB INFORMED A DEMONSTRATION TODAY AT AROUND 1000 HR's AT RUHENGERI TOWN. THESE WAS AGAINST THE PROMOTION OF B/ MASTERS OF RUHONDO AND KIGOMBE

COMMUNES TO SUB PREFECTS OF RUHENGERI AND KIBUYE PREFECTURES RESPECTIVELY. DEMONSTRATOR WAS NOT MORE THAN 20 IN NUMBERS AND THEY WERE MOSTLY GOVERNMENT SERVANT WITH SOME CIVILIANS.

(ii) MILOBS FROM SECTOR 1A REPORTED THAT, IN RESPONSE TO THEIR REQUEST TO HAVE THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NONCE APOSTOLIQUE TO VISIT THE TWO CATHOLIC PRIESTS AT THE GITARAMA PRISON, THE CONFIRMATION GIVEN BY THE MINISTRY OF JUSTICE. THE SAID VISIT WILL TAKE PLACE TOMORROW. THE DETAILS OF THE VISIT AND THE CONDITION OF THE PRISON WILL BE FORWARDED SEPARATELY.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA**.

(i) MILOBS FROM SECTOR 5B GISENYI REPORTED THAT THE RPA LIAISON OFFICER WAS REPLACED TODAY BY THE NEW LO. THE NAME OF THE REPLACEMENT SERGEANT BASHIR. HE IS A PLATOON COMMANDER WITH THE GESINYI RPA BN. THE OLD LO IS BEING POSTED AS THE BN COMMISSAR AT MUKAMIRA (SQ 4521) RPA BN.

(ii) SECTOR 1B REPORTED THAT THE RPA BN AT KAYENZI COMMUNE GR 8389 IS BEING REPLACED BY THE 11 BN. INSTEAD OF 31 BN DEPLOYED IN NYAMABUYE GR 7570, THERE IS NOW THE 11 BN, WHICH IS COMMANDED BY MAJOR KAZUNGO WILSON. THIS CHANGE TOOK PLACE ON 30 JULY 95 WITHOUT PREVIOUS INTIMATION.

(iii) MILOBS FROM SECTOR 1B FURTHER REPORTED A NEW RPA CHECKPOINT AT RUHOMGO SOUS PREFECTURE.

(2) **FRGF**. NTR.

(3) **OTHER**. NIL

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ**. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. IT HAS BEEN NOTED THAT THERE ARE SOME MILOB VEHICLES THAT HAVE REMAINED IN WORKSHOPS FOR AN INORDINATE AMOUNT OF TIME (AS EARLY AS OCT 94). THESE LONG DELAYS HAVE ADVERSELY EFFECTED THE ABILITY OF THE TEAMS TO DO THEIR NECESSARY PATROLS. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT VEHICLE SHORTAGES CREATED BECAUSE OF MAINTENANCE PROBLEMS OR FROM VEHICLES WHICH HAVE BEEN ROBBED BE REPLACED AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

c. SECTOR 5C MILOB HAS REQUESTED FORE THE REPLACEMENT OF THE COMPUTER UNDER REPAIR AT TRAFIPRO. THEY ARE RUNNING THE WORK BORROWING THE COMPUTER FROM UNHCR.

7. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING

(1) AREAS

SECTOR a - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 2A - GATUNA - RETURNEES - 13

SECTOR 2B - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 3A - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 3B - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 4 - BUGARAMA CITY - 32 PERSONS AWAITING TRANSPORTATION BY UNHCR

SECTOR 5A - CYANIKA - RETURNEES - 6

SECTOR 5B - GISENYI/GOMA - RETURNEES - 98

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ DATE : 30 JULY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : **DAILY SITREP COVERING 292300B TO 302300B JULY 95**

1. **SITUATION**

a. **GENERAL**. THE SITUATION REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

b. **BORDERS**.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) AND RUTETE (RWANDA/BURUNDI) - NTR

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(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 3B - NO CHANGE

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL**.

SECTOR 1B (GITARAMA)

(i) THE MURDER INVESTIGATION INTO THE MURDER OF THE SOUS-PREFET AND HIS HOUSEHOLD IN RUHANGO (7653) IS BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE GENDARMERIE. LIAISON BETWEEN SECTOR COMMANDER SECTOR 1B AND THE RPA BRIGADE COMMANDER, GENDARMERIE, MALI CONTINGENT COMMANDER IS CONTINUING.

(ii) DISCUSSIONS ARE ONGOING BETWEEN THE SECTOR COMMANDER AND RPA BRIGADE COMMANDER CONCERNING THE EXTREME OVERCROWDING IN THE GITARAMA PRISON. THE

BRIGADE COMMANDER EXPRESSED A WILLINGNESS TO TRANSPORT THE PRISONERS AS SOON AS HE IS TOLD WHERE HE CAN TRANSPORT THEM TO. HE AUTHORIZED THE ICRC TO TAKE VIDEO FOOTAGE SO THAT THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION COULD BE CONVEYED TO THE AUTHORITIES.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA**.

(i) SECTOR 1B (GITARAMA) - UPDATE ON SITREP DATED 24 JUL 95 CONCERNING AN ALLEGED VISIT OF A UNAMIR HELICOPTER TO KIBUYE WHERE UNAMIR PERSONNEL HAD DISEMBARKED AND ENCOURAGED THE LOCAL PEOPLE TO "COOPERATE WITH THE INTERHAMWE". THE RPA BRIGADE COMMANDER, WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THAT AREA HAS REQUESTED FEEDBACK AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

(ii) SECURITY SITUATION AT THE PETIT SEMINAIRE ONCE MALICOY IS RE-DEPLOYED WAS DISCUSSED BETWEEN THE SECTOR COMMANDER SECTOR 1A AND THE RPA BRIGADE COMMANDER IN GITARAMA. THERE IS ADVANTAGE OF HAVING RPA GUARDS AT THIS LOCATION IN THAT IT FITS CLOSELY WITH THE UNAMIR MANDATE OF HAVING RWANDA GOVERNMENT THROUGH THE RPA BRIGADE COMMANDER ENSURE THE SECURITY OF PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT.

(iii) SECTOR 4 REPORTS APPROXIMATELY 7 PATROLS OF 8 - 10 MEN EACH PATROLLING BETWEEN PINDURA (GR 1325) AND GISAKURA (GR 9829) ON NIGHT OF 29/30 JUL. THEY ALSO REPORT A LARGE PATROL, APPROXIMATELY PLATOON STRENGTH, IN THE AREA GR 0825 AND IS REGARDED AS UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

(iv) ROUTINE RPA MOBILE AND FOOT PATROLS CONTINUED THROUGHOUT THE REMAINING SECTORS BOTH BY DAY AND BY NIGHT INCLUDING THE BORDERS OF RWANDA/BURUNDI AND RWANDA/ZAIRE.

(2) **FRGF**. NTR.

(3) **OTHER**. NIL

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ**. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING

(iii) BUGARAMA SUB SECTOR - ONE PATROL TO BUGARAMA AND ZAIRE/BURUNDI BORDER AND REPORTED THE SITUATION QUIET.

h. SECTOR 5A - RUHENGERI.

NOTHING TO REPORT

i. SECTOR 5B - GISENYI.

TWO PATROLS IN AOR - SITUATION CALM.

j. SECTOR 5C - KIBUYE.

ONE MILOB TEAM ALONG WITH A RECOVERY DET FROM 95 CMSG (MCPL RINGETTE AND CPL DOVE), IN AN ASSISTANCE TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES TASK, RECOVERED AN RPA HEAVY TRUCK NEAR THE VILLAGE OF FUMBA (GR 2254). THE VEHICLE WAS RECOVERED FROM VERY DIFFICULT TERRAIN THEN OVER EXTREMELY DIFFICULT ROADS TO THE RPA WORKSHOP IN KIBUYE. THIS OPERATION TOOK OVER 10 HOURS TO EFFECT.

k. AIR OPS.

NOTHING TO REPORT

4. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.

a. SECTOR 1A REPORTS THAT GITARAMA PREFET HAS AN URGENT REQUIREMENT FOR HEAVY TRANSPORT TO DELIVER 435 TONS OF FOOD THAT IT RECENTLY RECEIVED FROM WORLD FOOD PROGRAM TO ITS 17 COMMUNES. IT IS REQUESTED THAT INDBAT PROVIDE TWO TRUCKS PER SAY TO DISTRIBUTE THIS FOOD.

b. SECTOR 2A -

RUTARE COMMUNE -ICRC CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE RUTARE HEALTH CENTER. THE FOOD SITUATION IS REPORT SUFFICIENT TO SUSTAIN THE POPULATION UNTIL NEXT SEASON.

BUYOGA COMMUNE - CARITAS AND AMREF CONTINUE TO SUPPORT 3 HEALTH CENTERS IN THE COMMUNE. THEIR MAJOR CONCERN IS LACK OF AMBULANCES.

KIBALI COMMUNE - THERE IS AN ACUTE SHORTAGE OF POTABLE WATER. MILOBS MUST TRAVEL TO KIGALI TO OBTAIN WATER.

c. SECTOR 2B REPORTS THAT UNHCR DELIVERED 20,000 LITRES OF WATER TO NYAKARAMBI TRANSIT CAMP WHICH HAS BEEN WITHOUT WATER FOR THE LAST 2 DAYS.

d. A UNHCR COMMISSION FROM BURUNDI VISITED MUYAGA COMMUNE (GR 9026) ON 28 JUL TO INVESTIGATE SECURITY IN THE

AREA BEFORE THEY MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO BRING BACK REFUGEES TO SETTLE THE AREA.

e. MILOBS COORDINATED UNHCR ASSISTANCE FOR 2 FAMILIES (40 PEOPLE) WALKING ON THE KIGALI-CYANGUGU ROAD AT PINDURA. THEY WERE PROVIDED BASIC NECESSITIES AND TRANSPORTATION IS BEING ARRANGED BY UNHCR TO TRANSPORT THEM BACK HOME.

f. CO RPA IN BYUMBA HAS REQUESTED THE BULLDOZER THAT IS IN THEIR LOCATION TO HELP CLEAR THEIR RANGE. SINCE THE MACHINE IS IN LOCATION IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE FORCE ENGINEERS ASSIST THEM.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.** REV DESMOND TUTU OF SOUTH AFRICA SPOKE AT THE AMAHORO STADIUM TODAY.

6. **LOGISTICS.**

a. SECTOR 2A (BYUMBA) HAS REQUESTED A LARGER GENERATOR AS THE ONE THAT THEY HAVE DOES NOT PROVIDE SUFFICIENT POWER TO RUN BOTH THE FAX MACHINE AND THE COMPUTER.

b. IT HAS BEEN NOTED THAT THERE ARE SOME MILOB VEHICLES THAT HAVE REMAINED IN WORKSHOPS FOR AN INORDINATE AMOUNT OF TIME (AS EARLY AS OCT 94). THESE LONG DELAYS HAVE ADVERSELY EFFECTED THE ABILITY OF THE TEAMS TO DO THEIR NECESSARY PATROLS. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT VEHICLE SHORTAGES CREATED BECAUSE OF MAINTENANCE PROBLEMS OR FROM VEHICLES WHICH HAVE BEEN ROBBED BE REPLACED AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

7. **MISCELLANEOUS.**

a. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1) **AREAS** **INFLOW** **OUTFLOW**

SECTOR 1A - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 2A - GATUNA - RETURNEES 5

SECTOR 2B - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 3A - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 3B - NIL REPORT

SECTOR 4 - BUGARAMA CITY - 32 PERSONS AWAITING TRANSPORTATION BY UNHCR

SECTOR 5A - CYANIKA - RETURNEES - 5

SECTOR 5B - GISENYI/GOMA - RETURNEES - 10

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UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ DATE : 29 JULY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 282300B TO 292300B JULY 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL. THE SITUATION REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4 WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) GISENYI BORDER POSTS WERE CLOSED TO UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 3B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

a. POLITICAL.

(1) SECTOR 3B MILOBS REPORTED THAT MINISTER OF

REHABILITATION WITH SOME MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT AND BUTARE AUTHORITIES ATTENDED A REBURIAL CEREMONY OF THE 1994 GENOCIDE VICTIMS AT RUNYINYA COMMUNE (GR 6012).
(ii) THE PRIME MINISTER, ACCOMPANIED BY THE GITARAMA PREFET AND A LARGE DELEGATION OF EIGHT VEHICLES, VISITED THE RUHANGO SOUS-PREFECTURE TODAY AT 1235 HRS TO SEE THE MURDER SCENE. THE MINISTER REQUESTED TO SPEAK TO THE MALI CONTINGENT AT THE GITARAMA PREFECTURE. THE CONTINGENT COMMANDER ON AUTHORIZATION FROM THE DCOS OPS EXPLAINED TO THE MINISTER OF INTERIOR THAT IT HAD NOT BEEN POSSIBLE FOR HIS TROOPS TO INTERVENE DURING THE MURDER BECAUSE BY THE TIME IT WAS REALIZED THAT A MURDER WAS BEING COMMITTED IT WAS TOO LATE TO PREVENT IT. THE PRESENCE OF AN RPA SOLDIER AT THE DOOR OF THE SOUS-PREFET'S HOUSE ALSO CONTRIBUTED TO THE MALIAN TROOPS DECISION TO SIMPLY MONITOR THE SITUATION.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA.**

(i) SECTOR 1A MILOBS REPORTED SEEING A CONVOY OF 4 AMPHIBIOUS ARMOURED VEHICLES, ONE ONE OF WHICH HAD A HEÀVY-CALIBRE GUN MOUNTED, MOVING FROM THE DIRECTION OF THE AIRPORT TOWARDS KIGALI TOWN. THE CONVOY WAS BEING LED BY A PICK-UP VAN DRIVEN BY A LIEUTENANT. ANOTHER VAN LOADED WITH ARMED MEN ESCORTED THE CONVOY.

(ii) SECTOR 4 MILOBS REPORTED THAT A GROUP OF 10 RPA SOLDIERS WERE FOUND IN KAMEMBE WEARING ETHIOBATT UNIFORMS. IN ADDITION ONE WAS FOUND WEARING UN BLUE BERET.

(iii) RPA BRIGADE COMD, LT COL KAYONGA SENT A LETTER EXPRESSING HIS REGRETS TO SECTOR 3B COMD

FOR NOT ATTENDING A FUNCTION HE WAS INVITED TO TONIGHT. HE ALSO REQUESTED AN AUDIENCE WITH THE SECTOR COMD TO "IRON OUT SOME ISSUES" TOMORROW AT 0900 HRS.

(2) **FRGF**. NTR.

(3) **OTHER**. SECTOR 4 MILOBS REPORTED THAT AT KAVUNE CELLULE (GR 9740), AT ABOUT 2300 HRS ON 27 JUL 95, A GROUP OF BANDITS ARMED WITH RIFLES AND MACHETES BROKE INTO THE HOUSE OF A MAN AND SHOT THE SON IN THE ARM. THE BANDITS WERE FORCED TO FLEE BY LOCALS NEARBY WHO WENT TO THEIR NEIGHBOUR'S AID. THE RPA WHO ARRIVED ON THE SCENE SHORTLY AFTER, RECOVERED A MACHETE, SOME EMPTY CARTRIDGES AND ONE LIVE CARTRIDGE USED BY A BELGIAN "CEFRONI" WEAPON.

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ**. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. **SECTOR 1A - KIGALI**.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN MUGAMBAZI, KAZENZE AND GASHORA COMMUNES. AT THE BURUNDI BORDER MILOBS LEARNT THAT 14 RWANDAN REFUGEES WOULD BE EXPELLED FROM THE KIRINDU CAMP IN BURUNDI TODAY FOR ATTEMPTING TO LEAVE THE CAMP TO TANZANIA. THE SITUATION WAS CALM IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

c. **SECTOR 1B - GITARAMA**.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR DURING THE

PERIOD WAS CALM.

(2) SECTOR COMD HELD A SEMINAR WITH MILOBS DURING THE PERIOD. DETAILS OF SEMINAR HAD BEEN DISCUSSED WITH DCMO SEPARATELY.

d. SECTOR 2A - BYUMBA.

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOB CONDUCTED PATROLS TO KIBALI COMMUNE (GR 0324), BUYOGA COMMUNE (GR 0113) AND TO GATUNA BORDER POST. AT BUYOGA COMMUNE MILOB TEAM ATTENDED THE WEDDING OF THE BOURGMESTRE AND DONATED FRW 25,000 AS PRESENT ON BEHALF OF ALL SECTOR MILOBS. THE SITUATION WAS NORMAL IN ALL AREAS.

e. SECTOR 2B - KIBUNGO.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS ASSESSED AS CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN THE AOR AND REPORTED THAT LACK OF RAIN HAD GROUND AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES TO A VIRTUAL HALT. ALL AREAS PATROLLED WERE FOUND NORMAL.

f. SECTOR 3A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS CALM.

(2) MILOB PATROLS TO THE NYAMAGABE COMMUNE (GR 5427) REPORTED INCREASE IN INCIDENTS OF BANDITRY LATELY. ON 27 JUL 95 A GROUP OF BANDITS ATTACKED THE VILLAGE OF NANONBE (GR 4827) AND LOOTED FOOD ITEMS. ANOTHER GROUP

OF BANDITS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE ROBBED THE HOUSE OF A WOMAN IN REMERA VILLAGE (GR 4927), KILLED HER SON AND MADE AWAY WITH PERSONAL EFFECTS AND OTHER VALUABLES. THE BANDITS ARE REPORTED TO BE ARMED WITH STICKS AND MACHETES.

(3) PATROL TEAM TO MUBUGA COMMUNE (GR 5202) WERE INFORMED BY THE BOURGMESTRE THAT IDPS STILL IN THE COMMUNE HAVE NOW EXPRESSED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO GO BACK TO THEIR VARIOUS COMMUNES IF TRANSPORT IS MADE AVAILABLE TO THEM. ALL AREAS PATROLLED WERE FOUND NORMAL.

g. SECTOR 3B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED IN RUNYINYA (GR 6012), MBAZI (GR 7118) AND NDORA COMMUNES. AT RUNYINYA MANY LOCALS, UNAMIR PERSONNEL, UN AGENCIES AND NGO PERSONNEL ATTENDED REBURIAL CEREMONY FOR GENOCIDE VICTIMS. THERE WAS A WEDDING CEREMONY WELL ATTENDED BY LOCALS AT NDORA. THE SITUATION IN ALL AREAS WAS REPORTED NORMAL.

h. SECTOR 4 - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN THE AOR. MILOBS ALSO CONDUCTED A RECCE ON FEASIBILITY OF DRAINAGE/IRRIGATION ON THE SWAMPY AREA SURROUNDING SHAGASHA CELL(GR 8026) AT THE REQUEST OF THE AUTHORITIES OF GISUMA COMMUNE. THE AREA WAS FOUND SUITABLE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURE WITH SOME ASSISTANCE FROM WFP. THE SITUATION WAS NORMAL IN ALL

AREAS PATROLLED.

h. SECTOR 5A - RUHENGRI.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD WAS GENERALLY CALM. MILOB TEAMS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN THE AOR AND REPORTED THE SITUATION NORMAL.

i. SECTOR 5B - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN AOR AND REPORTED THAT SIX BANDITS ENTERED A HOUSE AND ROBBED IT OF SEEDS AND FRW 2,000. THEY ALSO MOVED INTO A SECOND HOUSE AND ROBBED IT OF FRW 150,000. THE SITUATION IN ALL AREAS WAS CALM.

j. SECTOR 5C - KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOB PATROLS TO RUTSIRO COMMUNE (GR 3673) VISITED THE BWIZA IDP CAMP AND WERE INFORMED BY THE CONSEILLER THAT RPA SOLDIERS ARRESTED ONE MAN FROM THE CAMP AND SENT HIM TO GISENYI. NO REASON WAS GIVEN FOR THE ARREST.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 11 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	-	04
b.	HUMANITARIAN	-	NIL
c.	OTHERS	-	07

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.**

a. SECTOR 1A MILOBS REPORTED THAT UNHCR WILL CONVEY BETWEEN 15 AND 20 REFUGEES FROM BURUNDI TO VISIT GASHORA COMMUNE TO SEE THE CONDITIONS THERE WITH THE VIEW TO REPORTING BACK TO OTHERS ON THEIR RETURN TO THE CAMP ON THE STATE OF AFFAIRS IN THE COMMUNE. THE VISIT IS AIMED AT ENCOURAGING THE REFUGEES TO GO BACK TO RWANDA.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.** SECTOR 3B MILOBS REPORTED THAT LOCALS AT RUNYINYA WERE ENGAGED ON COMMUNAL LABOUR TO IMPROVE STATE OF ROADS IN THE AREA USING LOCAL RESOURCES.

6. **LOGISTICS.** NTR

7. **MISC.**

a. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(b) SECTOR 1A		
BURUNDI	114	NIL
(a) SECTOR 2A		
GATUNA	22	NIL
KAGITUMBA	NIL	NTR
BUZIBA	NIL	NTR
(b) SECTOR 2B		
TANZANIA	NTR	NIL
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL

(d)	<u>SECTOR 3A</u>			
	BURUNDI	NIL		NIL
(e)	<u>SECTOR 3B</u>			
	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL	
(f)	<u>SECTOR 4</u>			
	BURUNDI	NIL		NIL
	ZAIRE	15		NIL
(g)	<u>SECTOR 5A</u>			
	UGANDA	NIL		NIL
(g)	<u>SECTOR 5 B</u>			
	ZAIRE	32		NIL
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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ DATE : 28 JULY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : **DAILY SITREP COVERING 272300B TO 282300B JULY 95**

1. **SITUATION**

a. **GENERAL**. THE SITUATION REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

b. **BORDERS**.

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(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 3B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL**. NTR.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA.**

(a) IN NYAMASHEKE SUB-SECTOR OF SECTOR 4, RPA SUB-UNITS HAVE TACTICALLY DEPLOYED IN ISHARA PENINSULAR (GR 0143)

(b) IN SECTOR 1B, RPA BRIGADE COMD CONFIRMED THE KILLING OF MR KOLONI PLACIDE AND HIS FAMILY BECAUSE THEY WERE HATED BY THE LOCALS AS THEY ALLEGEDLY HE KILLED A LOT OF PEOPLE DURING THE GENOCIDE PERIOD. HE WAS RELEASED AND RESUMED HIS DUTIES AS SOUS PREFECT WHICH PERPETRATED LOCALS TO SUCH ACT REFERENCE INCIDENCE REPORT SUBMITTED SEPARATELY.

(c) RPA SOLDIERS IN MASANGO COMMUNE (GR 6254) WERE ROTATED DUE TO POOR RPA SOLDIERS' BEHAVIOR INSECTOR 1B.

(2) **FRGF.** NTR.

(3) **OTHER.** IN SECTOR 4 ON 27 JULY 1995 AROUND 2200HRS, AN UNIDENTIFIED GROUP OF ARMED MEN ROBBED A COFFEE TRADER. RPA PATROLLING FIRED WARNING SHOTS BUT THE GROUP FLED AWAY.

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ.** CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. **SECTOR 1A - KIGALI.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN BICUMBI COMMUNE AND REPORTED THE SITUATION WAS CALM IN THE AREA PATROLLED.

c. **SECTOR 1B - GITARAMA.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS ASSESSED CALM.

(2) MILOBS VISITED MASANGO COMMUNE (GR 6259) AND REPORTED TOTAL OF 1658 IDPS HAVE BEEN REGISTERED AT THE COMMUNE. AT KARAMBI HEALTH CENTER (5259) SUPPORTED BY MEMISA OF NETHERLAND, PROVIDES FREE TREATMENT TO RPA AND PRISONERS BUT CHARGING RWF 100 FOR THE LOCALS. THE AUTHORITIES REQUESTED FOR LABORATORY EQUIPMENT, BEDS, MATTRESSES, BLANKETS AND AN AMBULANCE.

(3) MILOBS DELIVERED A GENERATOR TO RUTOBWE COMMUNE (GR 7781). THE BOURGUMESTRE BRIEFED THEM ON DISTROYED HOUSES AND THE REBUILT PROJECT BEEN CARRIED OUT BY ASSOCIATION FRANCOIS-XAVIER BAGNARD (AFXB).

d. **SECTOR 2A - BYUMBA.**

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLLED GATUNA (GR 0143), CYUNGO (GR 9321) AND BWISIGE (GR 1727) AND REPORTED RED CROSS OF BELGIUM AND WORLD VISION ARE RUNNING HEALTH CENTER AND DISPENSARY AT NYAGAHANGA AND BWISIGE RESPECTIVELY. COMMUNE RETURNEES DO NOT HAVE ENOUGH FOOD. AMREF ARE CONDUCTING HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAMS TO THE LOCALS , PROVIDES MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AT MIYOVE DISPENSARY (GR 966214) AND PERIODICAL VACCINATION OF CHILDREN AGAINST SMALL-POX AND MEASLES.

e. SECTOR 2B - KIBUNGO.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS ASSESSED AS CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLLED KIBUNGO (GR 6061), CYUNUZI (6247), KIMESO (7941), GASARABWAYI (GR 7038) AND GISHENYI (GR 7239), KIMESO (GR 7941) AND BUKOBA (GR 8737). THEY OBSERVED CASE LOAD OF RETURNEES FROM TANZANIA AT RUSUMO BORDER POST. ACTUAL NUMBER OF RETURNEES TO BE FORWARDED ONCE OBTAINED FROM THE PREFECTURE. VACCINATION AGAINST MENINGITIS WAS OBSERVED AT JARMA (GR 4247) AND VACCINES WERE NOT ENOUGH FOR THE WHOLE EXERCISE.

f. SECTOR 3A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS CALM.

(2) THE SECTOR HOSTED THE SECTOR COMMANDERS'COMFERENCE WERE OP, LOG AND ADMIN MATTERS WERE EXHAUSTIVELY DISCUSSED. IN ATTENDANCE WAS THE DFC/CMO, DCMO, CIVPOL, SOO, SMPO, SLOGO, AND 10 SECTOR COMDS.

g. SECTOR 3B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN AOR AND FOUND THE SITUATION NORMAL. AT SHYANDA (GR 7712) WFP PERSONNEL WERE FOUND DISTRIBUTING FOOD TO TEACHERS IN THE COMMUNE.

h. SECTOR 4 - CYANGUGU

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) IN NYAMASHEKE SUB-SECTOR, PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED IN AOR AND THE SITUATION WAS REPORTED CALM.

(3) IN CYANGUGU SUB-SECTOR, ROUTINE PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED IN AOR AND SITUATION WAS REPORTED CALM. IN GISMA (GR 8426), KARENGERA (GR 9221) AND GAFUNZO (GR 9035) COMMUNES, ROAD MAINTENANCE AND DRAINAGE PROJECTS LABORERS WERE SUPPLIED WITH FOOD BY WFP.

h. SECTOR 5A - RUHENGRI.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD WAS GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOB TEAMS PATROLLED MUKINGO COMMUNE AND REPORTED CATTLE THEFTS BY INTRUDERS FROM ZAIRE AT KAREMBE (GR 7624). RPA COMPANY DEPLOYED IN THE AREA LAST WEEK. THE COMMUNE IS EXPERIENCING SHORTAGE OF FOOD DUE TO POOR HARVEST LAST CROP SEASON , WATER AND LAND AS A RESULT OF POPULATION INCREASE DUE TO 60 RETURNEES OF 59/60 FROM KIGOMBE COMMUNE (GR 600330) TRANSPORTED BY UNHCR.

(3) MILOBS PATROLLED NKUMBA COMMUNE (GR 6638) AND REPORTED INCREASED RPA PATROLS IN THE AREA.

i. SECTOR 5B - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOB TEAM WENT ON HELI RECCE OF GISHWATI FOREST. NO RETURNEE SETTLEMENTS AND ANY ACTIVITIES WAS OBSERVED.

(3) MILOB TEAM ESCORTED THE COMMISSION CHARGED WITH MEDIATING DISPUTES REGARDING EITHER LOST OR STOLEN

CATTLE.

(4) MILOBS REPORTED TOTAL OF 22 PEOPLE ORGANIZED REPATRIATED TO THEIR PREFECTURES :

(A) KIBUNGO - 03
(B) RUHENGERI - 03
(C) BYUMBA - 02
(D) GISENYI - 16

j. SECTOR 5C - KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLS TO BUHINGA (GR 3579) IN MABANZA COMMUNE AND REPORTED ROUTINE GANG OF TUTSI CONFIECATING CATTLE AND MONEY FROM LOCALS. A MAN WAS ARRESTED ON 27 JULY 95 FOR REFUSING TO REPORT FOR A COMMUNE ROAD PARTY AND IS CURRENTLY BEEN HELD BY COMMUNE POLICE .

(3) SECTOR OPS OFFR VISITED KIBUYE PREFECT TO FIND OUT WHY MILOBS PATROLS WERE STOPPED AND REFUSED PASSAGE TO GOSOVU COMMUNE AT RPA CHECK POINT (GR 2859) ON 25 JULY 95. HE WAS INFORMED THAT THE BOURGUMESTRE FOR THE COMMUNE DID NOT LIKE UNAMIR HELI PATROL OF THE COMMUNE WITH-OUT HIS CONSENT AND HENCE DECIDED TO CONTROL ROAD MOVEMENT. THE OPS OFFR RESTATED THE MANDATE ACCESS OF UNAMIR TO PATROL.THE PERFECT PROMISED TO TALK TO THE BOURGUMESTRE.

C . AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 21 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	-	09
b.	HUMANITARIAN	-	02
c.	OTHERS	-	10

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.**

a. SECTOR 4 HUMANITARIAN OFFR REPORTED THAT ON 24 JULY 1995 ICRC DONATED 77 DESKS, 12 WINDOWS AND 04 DOORS IN BUGARAMA COMMUNE IN THE KIBANGIRA CELL (GR 9202). 17 REFUGEES CAME FROM ZAIRE TO BUGARAMA (GR 9002) AND ARE AWAITING TRANSPORT TO CYANGUGU. THE CURRENT HOLDING FOR NYAMASHEKE TRANSIT CAMP IS 156 REFUGEES.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.**

a. MILOBS IN SECTOR 4 REPORTED POPULATION INCREASE DUE RETURNEES IN NYAKABUYE (GR 9116) AND BUGARAMA (GR 8907) COMMUNES. A CONTRACTOR AT GHISOMA COMMUNE (GR 8211) REQUESTED FOR A 5 TON TRUCK TO CARRY SCHOOL CHAIRS AND TABLES FOR GHISOMA SCHOOL. 04 TRUCKS AND 04 FUEL TANKERS STILL AWAITS KAMEMBE AT FUEL STATION (GR 7842660) FOR AUTHORITY TO CROSS INTO ZAIRE. 16 DRIVERS FOR SAME VEHS HAVE BEEN STRANDED IN RWANDA FOR TWO MONTHS, NOT PAID AND THREE OF THEM HAVE MALARIA.

b. IN SECTOR 3B, MILOBS REPORTED THAT FROM 22 TO 28 JULY 1995, ABOUT 416 RETURNEES CROSSED FROM BURUNDI AND WERE TRANSPORTED BY UNHCR. THE BOURGUMESTRE OF HUYE COMMUNE (GR 6711) WAS UNFRIENDLY TO MILOBS AND HE REQUESTED AUTHORIZATION LETTER FROM THE PREFECT AND WHAT UNAMIR WOULD OFFER TO THE COMMUNE.

6. **LOGISTICS.** NTR

7. **MISC.**

a. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(b) **SECTOR 1A**		
BURUNDI	NIL	
(a) **SECTOR 2A**		
GATUNA	22	NIL
KAGITUMBA	NIL	NTR
BUZIBA	NIL	NTR
(b) **SECTOR 2B**		
TANZANIA	NTR	NIL
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(d) **SECTOR 3A**		
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(e) **SECTOR 3B**		
BURUNDI	416	NIL
(f) **SECTOR 4**		
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
ZAIRE	17	NIL
(g) **SECTOR 5A**		
UGANDA	NIL	NIL
(h) **SECTOR 5 B**		
ZAIRE	33	NIL
UGANDA	NIL	NIL

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UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ DATE : 27 JULY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : **DAILY SITREP COVERING 262300B TO 272300B JULY 95**

1. **SITUATION**

a. **GENERAL.** THE SITUATION REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

b. **BORDERS.**

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4 WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) GISENYI BORDER POSTS WERE CLOSED TO UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 3B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL.** NTR.

b. MILITARY

(1) RPA. SECTOR 1B MILOBS REPORTED THAT A GREEN CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLE BELIEVED TO BE DRIVEN BY RPA SOLDIERS FIRED THREE BURST OF FIVE OR SIX SMALL ARMS ROUNDS AT A WHITE FORERUNNER VEHICLE OF THE MINIBUS TYPE WHICH IT WAS PURSUING IN A HIGH SPEED CHASE. BOTH VEHICLES WERE SAID TO BE TRAVELLING NORTH - EAST ON THE GITARAMA-KIGALI MAIN ROAD AFTER HAVING PASSED ON THE ROAD IN FRONT OF THE GITARAMA PREFECTURE. MILOBS AND CIVPOL TEAMS DESPATCHED TO INVESTIGATE THE INCIDENT COULD NOT SUCCEED IN CONVINCING LOCALS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION. RPA LIAISON OFFICER WAS NOT AT HIS RESIDENCE FOR COMMENTS. FURTHER INVESTIGATIONS CONTINUE.

(2) FRGF. NTR.

3. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

a. MILOB GP HQ. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. SECTOR 1A - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN MUSASA AND MBOGO COMMUNES FOR THE FIRST TIME AND MET WITH THE BOURGEMESTRES OF THE TWO COMMUNES. MILOBS FOUND THE TWO COMMUNES TO BE AGRICULTURALLY RICH. THE SITUATION WAS CALM IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

c. SECTOR 1B - GITARAMA.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR DURING THE

PERIOD WAS RELATIVELY CALM.

(2) ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED NTONGWE COMMUNE (GR9057) AND MET WITH THE BOURGEMESTRE. THE TEAM ALSO VISITED THE COMMUNE CACHOT AND NOTICED AN INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF PRISONERS THERE FROM THE PREVIOUS TOTAL OF 175 IN JUNE TO THE PRESENT TOTAL OF 237. MILOBS BELIEVED RECENT INCREASE DUE PARTLY TO TOUGH STAND OF BOURGEMESTRE AGAINST GENOCIDE SUSPECTS. BOURGEMESTRE IS SAID TO HAVE LOST ALL HIS FAMILY MEMBERS IN THE GENOCIDE. PRISON CONDITIONS WERE REPORTED TO BE BAD. THE TEAM ALSO VISITED SHYIRA SECTEUR (GR 9151) AND RECEIVED COMPLAINTS FROM LOCALS ABOUT SHORTAGE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL MATERIALS.

(3) ANOTHER MILOB PATROL ASSISTED THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO CONVEY STATIONARY FROM THE PREFECTURE TO NYABIKENKE COMMUNE (GR 7292).

(4) CIVPOL PATROLS TO MASANGO COMMUNE (GR 6254) REPORTED RUMOURS AMONG LOCALS OF ATROCITIES TO BE COMMITTED AGAINST THEM ONCE THE ARMED UN TROOPS LEAVE THE AREA. LOCALS ALSO REPORTED OF ALLEGED TORTURE OF PRISONERS IN THE COMMUNE CACHOT. ALL AREAS PATROLLED WERE FOUND CALM. MILOBS TO INVESTIGATE REPORT.

(5) MILOBS REPORTED THAT AT 2200 HRS ON 27 JUL 95 A SOLDIER FROM THE MALI PLATOON LOCATED AT RUHANGO (GR 7723) WHO WAS ON HIS WAY TO BED NOTICED AN ARMED RPA SOLDIER AT THE FRONT ENTRANCE OF THE SOUS-PREFET'S HOUSE. AT ABOUT 2230 HRS, A LOUD SCREAM WAS HEARD AND THEN AFTER A SHORT TIME THE HOUSE EXPLODED IN FLAMES. NO NEIGHBOURS CAME TO THE SCENE TO HELP. SINCE THE HOUSE IS SURROUNDED BY A FENCE THE MALI PLATOON COULD ONLY WATCH THE HOUSE BURN. AT 2320 HRS TWO RPA SOLDIERS REPORTEDLY WENT INSIDE THE HOUSE PERIMETER & PICKED UP A 20-LITRE PLASTIC JERRYCAN WHICH HAD BEEN LEFT THERE AND ASKED THE MALIAN TROOPS WHETHER THEY

KNEW IF ANYONE LIVED IN THE HOUSE. THE RPA SOLDIERS DECIDED TO GO SEEK INFORMATION ELSEWHERE WHEN THEY RECEIVED A NEGATIVE ANSWER. MILOBS DO NOT YET KNOW WHETHER ANYONE WAS IN THE HOUSE PRIOR TO THE FIRE. HOWEVER, ARSON AND A POSSIBLE MURDER OF THE SOUS-PREFET OF GITARAMA IS SUSPECTED. A JOINT MILOB/CIVPOL TEAM WILL VISIT SITE FIRST LIGHT 28 JUL 95 FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATIONS.

d. **SECTOR 2A - BYUMBA.**

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN AOR. THE SITUATION WAS REPORTED NORMAL IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

e. **SECTOR 2B - KIBUNGO.**

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS ASSESSED AS CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLS IN AOR AND REPORTED THAT DUE TO DRY SEASON AND RESULTANT LACK OF WATER FARMING ACTIVITIES HAVE SLOWED DOWN.

f. **SECTOR 3A - GIKONGORO.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROL TO RWAMIKO COMMUNE (GR 4914) REPORTED THAT ALL IDPs WHO HAVE SINCE RETURNED TO THE VARIOUS SECTEURS HAVE BEEN WELL SETTLED WITH THEIR RELATIVES.THE TEAM WERE ALSO INFORMED BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS THAT SCHOOL ATTENDANCE HAVE BEEN INCREASING DAILY DUE TO THE RETURN OF IDPs.

(3) THE PATROL TEAM TO KARAMA COMMUNE (GR 6327) WAS ACCOMPANIED BY THE DCMO. THE DCMO INTERACTED WITH LOCALS AND ADVISED THEM TO BE SELF-RELIANT BY LEARNING TO MANUFACTURE SIMPLE FARMING TOOLS FOR THEMSELVES. THE TEAM WAS INFORMED BY LOCALS THAT IDPs WHO RETURNED FROM KIBEHO IDP CAMP WERE LIVING IN VERY DEPLORABLE CONDITIONS DUE TO LACK OF FOOD AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS. GENERAL SITUATION IN AREAS PATROLLED WAS CALM.

g. SECTOR 3B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN AOR AND FOUND THE SITUATION NORMAL. AT MBAZI (GR 7117) WFP PERSONNEL WERE FOUND DISTRIBUTING FOOD TO TEACHERS IN THE COMMUNE.

h. SECTOR 4 - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM. MILOBS PATROL TO KAGANO COMMUNE WERE INFORMED BY THE BOURGEMESTRE THAT IN THE LATE EVENING OF 25 JULY (EXACT TIME UNKNOWN) A BOAT WITH AT LEAST TWO BANDITS FROM IJWI ISLAND CAME TO ISHARA PENINSULA (EXACT LOCATION UNKNOWN). THERE WAS EXCHANGE OF FIRE BETWEEN RPA TROOPS AND THE BANDITS RESULTING IN THE DEATH OF ONE BANDIT WHILST AN RPA SOLDIER WAS INJURED IN THE ANKLE. THE INJURED SOLDIER WAS TREATED AT THE GIHUNDWE HOSPITAL IN CYANGUGU ON 26 JUL 95 AND DISCHARGED. A HOSPITAL STAFF AT NYAMASHEKE HOSPITAL CONFIRMED INCIDENT TO MILOBS.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN THE AOR. PATROL TEAM TO RUSIZI I REPORTED THAT AN EX - MEMBER OF THE FRGF WAS AMONG RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE WHO ARRIVED AT THE BORDER. HE WAS IDENTIFIED BY THE LOCAL CHIEF OF

GENDARMERIE TO MILOBS AND UNHCR REPS. HE WAS ESCORTED TO THE LOCAL GENDARMERIE OFFICE FOR SUBSEQUENT ENQUIRY INTO HIS INVOLVEMENT OR OTHERWISE IN GENOCIDE. THE MAN WANTS TO SERVE WITH THE PRESENT GENDARMERIE AT GITARAMA. UNHCR WILL FOLLOW CASE. SITUATION WAS NORMAL IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

h. **SECTOR 5A - RUHENGRI.**

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD WAS GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOB TEAMS PATROLLED HONDO (GR 6829), BUTARO (GR 8144), KIDAHO (GR 7147) AND CYERU (GR 8035). MILOBS WERE INFORMED THAT A GROUP OF PEOPLE FROM UGANDA BORDER HAD STOLEN A MINERAL CALLED WOLFRANG FROM A MINE AT RWERERE (GR 8534) IN COMMUNE CYERU. CONSEILLER OF SECTEUR RWERERE HAS BEEN ARRESTED ON SUSPICION FOR COLLABORATING WITH THE THIEVES. GENERAL SITUATION WAS NORMAL.

i. **SECTOR 5B - GISENYI.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROLS TO RWERERE COMMUNE (GR 2722) REPORTED SEVERAL INCIDENTS OF THEFT OF PERSONAL EFFECTS AND LIVESTOCK. IN MUHANDA (GR 2419), LOCALS REPORTED THAT THE THIEVES WHO ALWAYS CAME ARMED DID NOT OFFER VIOLENCE UNLESS WHEN PROVOKED. LOCALS ALSO REPORTED THAT ONE OF THE THIEVES USUALLY CAME WEARING A PAIR OF MILITARY TROUSERS AND A "T"- SHIRT WITH MNRD WRITTEN ON IT. A LETTER PURPORTED TO HAVE BEEN WRITTEN BY A LT OF THE FRGF, NOW KNOWN TO BE IN GOMA, WAS FOUND AT THE SCENE OF A RECENT BURGLARY.

(3) MILOB TEAM DESPATCHED TO THE UNHCR CAMP AT KABAKI

(GR3018) TO INVESTIGATE CASES OF STEALING OF UNHCR EQUIPMENT HAD DISCUSSIONS WITH THE RPA COY COMD AT THE LOCATION. RPA COMD RESOLVED TO ARREST SITUATION. THE SITUATION WAS NORMAL IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

j. SECTOR 5C - KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLS IN KIBUYE TOWN(GR 2772) IN GITESI COMMUNE AND MURUNDI (GR 5573) AND NYAMINAMBE (GR 4968) IN BWAKIRA COMMUNE. AT THE KIBUYE HOSPITAL WHERE A WARD HAS RECENTLY BEEN OPENED FOR INMATES OF THE KIBUYE PRISON MILOBS MET TWO MEN INTERNED FOR WOUNDS RESULTING FROM BEATINGS. ONE WAS BEING TREATED FOR A FLAYED CHEST ALLEGEDLY CAUSED BY A RIFLE BUTT. BOURGEMESTRE INFORMED MILOBS THAT THE INJURIES WERE CAUSED BY ROUGHENING UP BY POLICEMEN WHO HAVE SINCE BEEN ADVISED AGAINST FUTURE MOLESTATIONS OF INMATES.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 18 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	-	12
b.	HUMANITARIAN	-	02
c.	OTHERS	-	04

4. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.

a. SECTOR 2B MILOBS REPORTED THAT IRC IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE KIBUNGO PREFECTURE HEALTH DEPARTMENT HAVE EMBARKED

ON A FOUR - DAY MASS VACCINATION AGAINST MENINGITIS FOR OVER 7,000 LOCALS AT JARAMA SECTEUR (GR 4247) FOLLOWING DEATH OF 15 LOCALS IN THE AREA WITHIN THE LAST THREE DAYS.

b. SECTOR 4 MILOBS REPORTED THAT WFP DISTRIBUTED FOOD TO LOCALS IN GAFUNZO (GR 9035) AND GISUMA (GR 8426) COMMUNES. SECTOR 3B MILOBS ALSO REPORTED WFP DISTRIBUTED FOOD TO TEACHERS IN MBAZI COMMUNE (GR 7117).

c. SECTOR 5A MILOBS REPORTED THAT WFP PLANS TO START LOCAL HOUSING PROJECT ON "FOOD FOR WORK" BASIS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CYERU COMMUNE. WORLD VISION ALSO DISTRIBUTED SEED TO THE COMMUNE.

d. SECTOR 5C MILOBS ARRANGED FOR AIR MEDEVAC TO AUSMED ~~H~~ A 19 YEAR OLD LOCAL WOMAN AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE TEACHING INSTITUTE AT KIBUYE WHERE SHE IS A STUDENT.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS**. FOUR TRUCK- LOAD OF FERTILIZER AND FOUR FUEL TANKERS ARE WAITING AT KAMEMBE FUEL STATION (GR 7726) FOR ONWARD MOVE TO ZAIRE. THEY ARE BEING HELD BY THE RWANDAN AUTHORITIES FOR WANT OF CLEARANCE.

6. **LOGISTICS**. NTR

7. **MISC**.

a. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(b) SECTOR 1A		
BURUNDI	NIL	

(a) **SECTOR 2A**

GATUNA	NIL	NIL
KAGITUMBA	NIL	NTR
BUZIBA	NIL	NTR

(b) **SECTOR 2B**

TANZANIA	NTR	NIL
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL

(d) **SECTOR 3A**

BURUNDI	NIL	NIL

(e) **SECTOR 3B**

BURUNDI	166	NIL

(f) **SECTOR 4**

BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
ZAIRE	113	NIL

(g) **SECTOR 5A**

UGANDA	NIL	NIL

(h) **SECTOR 5 B**

ZAIRE	79	NIL
UGANDA	NIL	NIL

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ DATE : 25 JULY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 242300B TO 252300B JULY 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL. THE SITUATION REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4 WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) GISENYI BORDER POSTS WERE CLOSED TO UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 3B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

a. POLITICAL.

(1) SECTOR 1B MILOBS CONFIRMED INFO EARLIER RECEIVED

THAT THE SOUS PREFECT OF RUHANGO (GR 7653) HAD BEEN RELEASED FROM CUSTODY AND RESUMED HIS DUTIES. ON 20 JUL 95. THE SOUS PREFET HAD BEEN ACCUSED OF PARTICIPATION IN THE GENOCIDE BUT CHARGES WERE DROPPED AFTER INVESTIGATIONS. HE REQUESTED THAT THE MALICOY PLATOON IN RUHANGO SHOULD REMAIN THERE FOR SECURITY REASONS. MILOBS ASSESS THAT THERE IS A CONSIDERABLE MEASURE OF INSECURITY IN THE RUHANGO AREA.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA.**

(a) SECTOR 5A MILOBS REPORTED THE DEPLOYMENT OF A COY OF RPA TROOPS AT THE NEMBA (GR 7619) POSITION FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY TUNBATT. THE RELATION BETWEEN RPA AND MDM PERSONNEL WORKING IN THE NEMBA HOSPITAL IS REPORTED TO BE POOR DUE TO THE RPA'S INSISTENCE ON USING THE HOSPITAL GENERATOR. MILOBS AND HR MONITORS OBSERVING THE SITUATION CLOSELY.

(2) **FRGF/MILITIA**

(a) SECTOR 5B MILOBS REPORTED THE INFILTRATION OF ARMED MEN SUSPECTED TO BE INTERAHAMWE INTO GICIYE (GR 5111) ON 30 JUN 95. IN THE ENSUING FIRE FIGHT, 1 RPA SOLDIER WAS KILLED IN A GRENADE EXPLOSION. RPA TROOPS ARRESTED 2 OF THE INFILTRATORS AND SHOT ONE IN A SEARCH OPERATION THE FOLLOWING DAY. AN UNSPECIFIED QTY OF ARMS AND AMMO WERE ALSO SEIZED. THE FOURTH PERSON ESCAPED INTO THE GWISHATI FOREST.

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ.** CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING

OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. SECTOR 1A - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN TARE AND TO THE BURUNDI BORDER POST AT RUTETE. THE PATROL TO THE BORDER OBSERVED UNHCR-ORGANISED RETURN OF 33 RETURNEES FROM BURUNDI. THE GENERAL SITUATION WAS NORMAL IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

c. SECTOR 1B - GITARAMA.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD WAS CALM.

(2) SECTOR HUMANITARIAN TEAM VISITED THE KABGAYI ORPHANAGE (GR 7268) WHICH IS SUPPORTED BY THE NGO "JESUS ALIVE MINISTRIES". THE DIRECTOR COMPLAINED THAT A LOCAL EPIDEMIC OF SCABIES WAS BEING AGGRAVATED BY THE UNSANITARY CONDITIONS IN THE AREA.

(3) MILOB PATROLS TO THE NYAKABANDA COMMUNE (GR 6595) HANDED OVER THE REPAIRED GENERATOR AND SOME PLASTIC TENTS FOR THE USE OF STUDENTS TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE TEACHER TRAINING SCHOOL. IT WAS ALSO REPORTED THAT 159 OF THE 177 HOUSES IN THE COMMUNE HAD BEEN REPAIRED WITH ASSISTANCE PROVIDED BY CARITAS, CRS AND THE SALVATION ARMY.

(4) MILOB PATROLS TO RUHANGO (GR 7653) VISITED THE COMMUNE PRISON AND REPORTED THAT PRESENCE OF 123 PRISONERS IN THE COMMUNE CACHOT. 111 OF THE PRISONERS ARE ACCUSED OF PARTICIPATION IN THE GENOCIDE. THE PATROLS ALSO CONFIRMED THE ARREST OF THE DIRECTOR OF

THE LABORATORY SCHOOL ON 14 JUL 95 FOR UNKNOWN CHARGES. IT IS SUSPECTED THAT HE MAY HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED TO KIGALI. SECTOR HR MONITORS FOLLOWING THE CASE.

(5) SECTOR COMD ATTENDED A FAMILIARISATION PROGRAMME FOR NEWLY-POSTED HR OFFICERS.

d. SECTOR 2A - BYUMBA .

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED IN THE CYUMBA (GR 0034), KINYAMI (GR 1418) AND KIYOBE (GR 0940) COMMUNES TO MONITOR HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES. TWELVE RECENT RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE HAD BEEN SETTLED WITH THEIR RELATIVES IN NYABARE (GR 003351) AND KINYAMI (1418). THE RETURNEES ARE REPORTED TO LACK CLOTHING AND FOOD. THE GENERAL SITUATION WAS NORMAL IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

e. SECTOR 2B - KIBUNGO.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS ASSESSED AS CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS TO KIBUNGO (GR 6061), BIRENGA (GR 5959), BARE (GR 5448), SAKE (GR 4354) AND MUGESERA (GR 4764). A SEVERE SHORTAGE OF PURIFIED WATER WAS REPORTED AT THE RUKAMBELI HEALTH CENTRE (GR 3660). SEVERAL HOUSES IN THE AREA HAD ALSO NOT BEEN REPAIRED SINCE THEY WERE DAMAGED DURING THE WAR.

f. SECTOR 3A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS CALM.

(2) MILOB PATROLS TO THE MULO COMMUNE VISITED THE COMMUNE PRISON WHERE THEY FOUND 35 INMATES. MOST OF THE PRISONERS COMPLAINED THAT THEY HAD BEEN DETAINED FOR ABOUT A YEAR WITHOUT TRIAL. ONE OF THE PRISONERS CLAIMED THAT HE HAD BEEN DETAINED FOR 3 WEEKS ON THE ORDERS OF THE BOURGEMESTRE FOR UNKNOWN REASONS. MILOBS TO INVESTIGATE.

(3) PATROLS TO MUSBEYA COMMUNE (GR 4033) REPORTED THE SECURITY SITUATION CALM. THERE WAS HOWEVER A SHORTAGE OF FOOD AND POTABLE WATER IN THE COMMUNE DUE TO POOR HARVEST AND THE DRY SEASON.

g. SECTOR 3B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOB PROVIDED ESCORTS FOR THE FORCE ENGR TEAM TO REPAIR BRIDGE IN THE NYAKIZU COMMUNE (GR 601979).

(3) LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN BUTARE REQUESTED THE ASSISTANCE OF UNAMIR LOW LOADER TO CONVEY THEIR BULLDOZER FROM GIKONGORO TO BUTARE. FORMAL REQUEST TO BE SUBMITTED SEPARATELY.

(4) MILOB PATROLS TO NYARUHENGERI REPORTED THAT CONCERN HAD STOPPED DISTRIBUTING FOOD IN THE COMMUNE SINCE 12 MAY 95. THE BOURGEMESTRE ALSO REPORTED ABOUT 1,000 RETURNEES TO THE COMMUNE IN MAY AND JUNE 95.

h. SECTOR 4.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM, HOWEVER THE RECENT ARMED ROBBERIES AND MINE EXPLOSIONS IS REPORTED TO BE INCREASING ANXIETY AMONG THE LOCAL POPULATION.

(2) MILOBS REPORTED 6 SEPARATE ACTS OF ARMED ROBBERY USUALLY BY UNIFORMED MEN IN GISAGARA (GR 8907), MUHEHWE (GR 8609), AND CYETE (7618). ALL THE INCIDENTS OCCURRED FROM 14-23 JUL 95 AND RESULTED IN GUNSHOT OR MACHETE WOUNDS TO 5 VICTIMS. THE BANDITS ARE SUSPECTED TO HAVE COME ACROSS THE BORDER FORM ZAIRE. THE SPATE OF ARMED ROBBERY IS REPORTED TO BE CREATING CONSIDERABLE TENSION IN THE AREAS CONCERNED. MILOBS CONTINUE TO MONITOR THE SITUATION.

(3) MILOBS ALSO REPORTED 2 INCIDENTS OF MINE EXPLOSIONS IN THE SECTOR. ONE OF THEM OCCURRED IN THE KAMEMBE MARKET ON 24 JUL 95 AT ALMOST THE SAME LOCATION WHERE AN EXPLOSION OCCURRED ABOUT A MONTH AGO. THE VICTIM LOST A LEG AND SUFFERED SEVERE INJURIES TO THE OTHER LEG. THE OTHER INCIDENT OCCURRED IN MARABOU (GR 7811) ON 23 JUL 95. THE VICTIM WAS WORKING ON HIS CASSAVA FARM WHEN HE STEPPED ON THE MINE AND LOST HIS LEFT LEG IN THE EXPLOSION.

i. <u>SECTOR a - RUHENGRI</u>.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION IN THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD WAS CALM.

(2) THE SECTOR HUMANITARIAN TEAM PATROLLED THE CYABINGO (GR 6529) AND NYARUTOVU (GR 7517) COMMUNES TO UPDATE COMMUNE DATA. 5 DETAINEES IN NYARUTOVU PRISON WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN RELEASED AFTER BEING CHARGED FINES BY THE BOURGEMESTRE.

j. <u>SECTOR 5B - GISENYI</u>.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM. THE DFC/CMO VISITED THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD. HE WAS BRIEFED AT THE SECTOR HQ BY THE SECTOR COMD. HE ALSO HELD DISCUSSIONS WITH THE RPA BN COMD AND THE CHIEF OF

THE GENDARMERIE. MUTUAL ASSURANCES OF COOPERATION WERE EXCHANGED WITH THE RPA COMD AND THE CHIEF OF GENDARMERIE.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED COMBINED JOINT HELI PATROLS WITH HR MONITORS OVER THE RUMBA (GR 4993). UNFORTUNATELY, THE PREFECT OF GISENYI WHO REQUESTED THE PATROL COULD NOT JOIN THE FLIGHT DUE TO PRESSING COMMITMENTS ELSEWHERE. THE GENERAL SITUATION WAS NORMAL.

k. SECTOR 5C - KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN THE RUTSIRO SECTOR (GR 3183). LOCAL AUTHORITIES INFORMED THE PATROL THAT THERE WERE ABOUT 1,500 RETURNEES IN THE COMMUNE AND THE NUMBER WAS INCREASING DAILY. RETURNEES PROBLEMS INCLUDE FOOD, CLOTHING, COOKING UTENSILS AND BLANKETS. THE SECURITY SITUATION WAS HOWEVER REPORTED AS CALM.

l. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 10 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	-	04
b.	HUMANITARIAN	-	0
c.	OTHERS	-	06

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.**

a. SECTOR 2A REPORTED THE DISTRIBUTION OF 31 BAGS OF PEAS, 52 SACKS OF MAIZE AND 104 TINS OF COOKING OIL TO PRIMARY SCHOOL TEACHERS IN THE CYUMBA COMMUNE (GR 0034). IN THE SAME SECTOR PAM WAS REPORTED TO BE OPERATING A 'FOOD FOR WORK PROGRAMME' TO REPAIR THE RUKOMO-KINYAMI ROAD. SO FAR 500 M OF THE ROAD HAS BEEN REPAIRED SINCE THE INCEPTION OF THE PROGRAMME ON 15 JUL 95.

b. SECTOR 5B MILOBS REPORTED THE ORGANISED RETURN OF 59 RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE ON 24 JUL 95 AND THEIR SUBSEQUENT DISPERSAL TO THEIR VARIOUS HOME COMMUNES.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.** NTR.

6. **LOGISTICS.** NTR.

7. **MISC.**

a. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(b) SECTOR 1A		
BURUNDI	33	
(a) SECTOR 2A		
GATUNA	34	NIL
KAGITUMBA	NTR	NTR
BUZIBA	NTR	NTR
(b) SECTOR 2B		
TANZANIA	NIL	NIL
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(d) SECTOR 3A		
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(e) SECTOR 3B		
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL

(f)	**SECTOR 4**		
	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
	ZAIRE	91	NIL
(g)	**SECTOR 5A**		
	UGANDA	02	NIL
(e)	**SECTOR 5 B**		
	ZAIRE	369	NIL
	UGANDA	NIL	NIL

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 15 MAY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 142300B TO 152300B MAY 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM. MILOBS IN ALL SECTORS CONTINUED TO MONITOR OPERATIONS TO RETURN IDPS TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) REMERA AND AKABUGA BORDER POSTS WERE OPENED FOR NORMAL TRAFFIC. LOCALS LIVING IN VICINITY WERE ALLOWED TO CROSS THE REMERA BORDER POST WITHOUT TRAVELLING DOCUMENTS. THE POST IS MANNED BY RPA TROOPS.

(5) GISENYI BORDER POST WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(6) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC, BUT REPORTEDLY 0 PEOPLE CROSSED THE BORDER FROM BURUNDI TO RWANDA FOR TWO RECENT DAYS.

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL.**

(1) SECTOR 2 MILOBS REPORTED A HUGE DURBAR HELD AT MUHAZI COMMUNE BUREAU BETWEEN SOME SENIOR GOVERNMENT APPOINTEES ON THE THEME " REHABILITATION OF THE RWANDAISE FAMILY. ABOUT 10,000 LOCALS ATTENDED THE DURBAR. SPEAKERS INCLUDED THE MINISTERS FOR FAMILY PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND SPORTS, REHABILITATION AND THE PREFECT OF KIBUNGO. VOLUNTARY DONATIONS WERE MADE TO ASSIST THE LOCAL ORPHANAGE. SOME OF THE SPEAKERS MADE SOME DEROGATORY COMMENTS ABOUT THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY'S LACK OF RESPONSE DURING THE GENOCIDE.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA.**

(a) IN SECTOR 1 THE RPA CONTINUES TO CONDUCT VEH AND FOOT PATROLS WITHIN AOR BOTH BY DAY AND NIGHT.

(b) IN SECTOR 4A THE RPA CONTINUED ITS PRESENCE IN CORDON IN KIBEHO.

(2) TEAMS PATROLLED ALL OVER THE AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY AND MONITORED THE DURBAR BETWEEN SENIOR GOVERNMENT APPOINTEES AND LOCALS AT MUHAZI COMMUNE CENTRE. THE SITUATION WAS CALM IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

d. SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD. ONE OF THE SECTOR VEHICLES ON PATROL WAS HIJACKED AT GUN POINT ON THE KIBUYE ROAD AROUND 1430 HRS. TWO MILOB TEAMS AND A HELI WERE IMMEDIATELY DESPATCHED TO SEARCH FOR THE VEHICLE. THE ROBBERS ABANDONED THE VEHICLE IN A DITCH TAKING THE KEY WITH THEM. THE VEHICLE WAS LATER ON FOUND AND RECOVERED TO GITARAMA AFTER THE STEERING LOCK HAD BEEN BROKEN. EFFORTS ARE IN PROGRESS TO RECOVER THE VEHICLE TO KIGALI ON TUE 16 MAY 94.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLS IN THE AOR AND REPORTED THE SITUATION CALM. A CEREMONY TO REBURY EXHUMED CORPSES IN THE BWAKIRA COMMUNE WAS ALSO MONITORED BY MILOBS. POOR ROAD CONDITIONS PREVENTED HE PATROL FROM REACHING THE MUTUNTU COMMUNE (GR 3552).

(3) MILOB PATROLS TO THE KIVUMU COMMUNE WAS INFORMED THAT THE RPA ARRESTED 5 PERSONS ON 11 MAY 95 FOR UNKNOWN REASONS. SECTOR HR MONITORS TO INVESTIGATE.

e. SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM. THE INDIAN DEPUTY CHIEF OF ARMY STAFF VISITED THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD. HE WAS BRIEFED AT THE SECTOR HQ BY THE SECTOR COMD AND HQ STAFF. 5 MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION VISTAED KIBEHO. THEY INTERVIEW RPA SOLDIERS AND LOCALS AROUND THE CAMP. LOCALS ALSO INFORMED

h. SECTOR 5 - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOB PATROL TO THE BORDER AREAS AROUND MUTOVU (GR 2929) WERE INFORMED OF AN ATTEMPTED INFILTRATION INTO THE AREA ON THE NIGHT 12/13 MAY 95. RPA TROOPS ON PATROL EXCHANGED FIRE WITH THE INFILTRATORS WHO LATER WITHDREW. THERE WAS REPORTED TO BE A DECREASE IN THE NUMBER OF ATTEMPTED INFILTRATIONS IN RECENT TIMES. THIS WAS ATTRIBUTED TO RPA VIGILANCE.

(3) PATROLS TO NDUSU WERE BRIEFED BY A COMMUNE OFFICE OFFICIAL THAT ONLY 161 IDPS REMAIN. A LOCAL REPORTED SEEING ABOUT 30 IDPS LEAVING THE CAMP. MILOBS SUSPECT THAT IDPS WERE NOT HEADING HOME BUT RATHER TO NEIGHBOURING COMMUNES. GITARAMA MILOBS TO BE INFORMED TO MONITOR THE MOVEMENT OF THE IDPS.

j. SECTOR 6 - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS TO THE KACYIRU COMMUNE. THE PATROL OBSERVED AN INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF INMATES AT THE RUBUNGO COMMUNE PRISON. A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER OF FEMALE INMATES WERE ALSO OBSERVED. PRISON OFFICIALS WERE NOT AVAILABLE TO BRIEF THE PATROL ON THE SITUATION IN THE PRISON. FURTHER PATROLS TO BE CONDUCTED IN THE AREA.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.
(2) A TOTAL OF 21 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	14.
b.	HUMANITARIAN	01.
c.	OTHERS	06

4. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.

(1) LWF WAS REPORTED TO BE REHABILITATING THE BRIDGE AT GR 644505 IN THE RUKIRA COMMUNE IN SECTOR 2. THE NGO ALSO SUPPLIED SEEDS AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS TO LOCALS IN THE COMMUNE.

(2) SECTOR 3 MILOBS ARRANGED FOR FUEL FOR CARITAS VEHICLES TO CARRY FUEL WOOD TO THE KIBUYE PRISON.

5. CIVIL AFFAIRS.

(1) THE PREFECT OF BYUMBA HELD A CONFERENCE WITH ALL HEADS OF SECURITY AGENCIES IN THE PREFECTURE. IN THE SAME SECTOR THE BOURGEMESTRE OF BUYOGA HELD A CONFERENCE WITH SECTEUR LEADERS TO DISCUSS RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE COUNTRY.

6. LOGISTICS.

(1) COMMUNICATION ON CHANNEL 13 STILL VERY DIFFICULT IN KIBUYE.

7. MISC.

c. DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING

(1) AREAS

	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) SECTOR 1		
GATUNA	03	NIL
KAGITUMBA	605 (32 COWS)	NIL
BUZIBA	260 (COWS 402)	NIL
(b) SECTOR 2		
TANZANIA	NTR	NTR
BURUNDI	7	NTR
(c) SECTOR 3		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(d) SECTOR 4A		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(e) SECTOR 4B		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(f) SECTOR 4C		
BURUNDI	108	NTR
ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g) SECTOR 5		
UGANDA	10	NTR
ZAIRE	84	NTR

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19 set out

1. FOOD SHORTAGE IN SECTOR 1 GITI COMMUNITY.
2. ACTS OF BANDITRY IN SECTOR 4C
   BANDIT KILLED BOAT SUNK.
3. 144 AFR in NDGRA 157 ever to Sect 2
   249 awaiting ever.
4. Sect 3 set of banditry 1 Det taken and recovered.
5. Px will be operational 22 may
6. 1 x HR VGH stolen by driver not yet recovered
7.

- Welcome
- Humanitarian Field wk
- Levels of segregation
- Definition of Hum wk in Sector
  - Introduction
  - Own activities
  - Leaving Conditions
    - Food
    - water
    - health care
    - Housing
    - Sanitation
    - Farming / [illegible]
    - Education
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Relation NGO's.
NGO's ACTIVITIES
Relation with LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Conclusion Recommendations

Meeting 20th / 13:00hrs – 15:00

Main Conference Rm.

Helicopter to pick up [illegible]
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Kibuye
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(Gitarama)

- weekly report to be sent.
- Data Banks on paper.
- Latest SRS Report.

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA — MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 11 MAY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 102300B TO 112300B MAY 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM, WITH TENSE SECURITY SITUATION FOR UNAMIR STAFF IN KIGALI AND WITH TENDENCY OF BANDITRY INCREASE IN THE SECTOR 3B.

BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) REMERA AND AKABUGA BORDER POSTS - NO CROSSING REPORTED AND THE AREA WAS DESERTED.

(5) GISENYI BORDER POST WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDA / RWANDA BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(6) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL.** NTR.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA.**

(a) IN THE SEC 4A BATT HAD STARTED REDUCING ITS PRESENCE FROM KIBEHO. THE CHECK POINTS WERE EFFECTIVE AND ON SOME OF DOMINATING HEIGHTS AROUND KIBEHO THEY HAVE ESTABLISHED SOME LIVING SHELTERS. REPORTEDLY THEY CONDUCT ROUTINE PATROLS ALONG THE ROUTE TO AKABUGA (BC499887).

(b) IN THE SECTOR 1 RPA CONTINUE TO OCCUPY PART OF THE KINYAMI (B1418) COMMUNE OFFICE.

(c) THE RPA CHECK POST AT KIBALI (058236) ALLOWS UNAMIR, NGO AND UN AGENCY VEHS TO PASS AFTER NOTING DOWN THE PARTICULARS OF THE VEH, TRAVELLERS, PURPOSE AND DESTINATION.

(d) IN THE SECTOR 4C THE RPA CHANGED THEIR CHECK POINTS FROM FORMER AT (956317) TO (938697) AND ESTABLISHED NEW CHECK POINT AT STEGARHA (847860). NIGHT PATROLS ARE STILL BEING CONDUCTED EXTENSIVELY THROUGHOUT THE SECTOR.

(2) **FRGF.** NTR.

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ.** CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED AN UNEASY CALM CONTINUES TO PREVAIL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) THE MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROLS IN THE AOR. THE SIT WAS REPORTED CALM.

(3) THE PREFECT OF BYUMBA VISITED MILOB HQ REGARDING CERTAIN HELP IN CONDUCTING A CONFERENCE FOR ALL NGOs OPERATING IN THE AREA.

(4) ONE MILOB ATTENDED THE INFORMATION GATHERING SEMINAR AT KIGALI.

c. SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO.

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROLLED THE AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY AND REPORTED THE SITUATION CALM.

(3) IN RUKARA (6501) COMMUNE SOME PEOPLE WERE NOTICED SHOUTING ANTI UNAMIR SLOGANS.

d. SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD WITH TENDENCY OF BANDITRY INCREASE FROM RPA SOLDIERS.

(2) AT RUNDA COMMUNE THE TM WAS DENIED ACCESS TO THE CACHET IN SPITE OF WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE RPA BN COMDR AND VERBAL CONSENT OF THE BOURGEMESTRE.

(3) ONE PATROL VISITED BWAKIRA COMMUNE AND THE TOWN MUGUNDA (4369). THE SEC CHIEF HAD BEEN ARRESTED RECENTLY AND THE TM HAD GONE TO INVESTIGATE.

(4) THE ADRA HOSPITAL PERS REFUSED THE CIVPOL TM ANY INFORMATION OF AN ALLEGED SHOOTING INCIDENT WHICH TOOK PLACE ON 6 MAY. IT WAS HOWEVER LEARNT FROM OTHER SOURCES THAT SHOOTING TOOK PLACE AS AN ARRESTED TRIED TO ESCAPE.

(5) THE OTHER TM REVEALED THAT THE CHIEF OF INSPECTEUR POLICE JUDICAL (IPJ) WAS ARRESTED ON 10 MAY. HE WAS RESPONSIBLE TO INVESTIGATE THE ACCUSATIONS OF GENOCIDE AND OTHER CRIMINAL ACTS FOR THE PROSECUTION.

(6) MALAWICOY SIGNALLERS PULLED BACK TO KIBUYE FROM TAC HQ BUTARE.

e. SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM.

(2) THE TEAMS PATROLLED THE SECTOR's AOR.

(3) THE SECTOR IN CHARGE OF TARE INFORMED THAT 158 IDPs HAD RETURNED TO THEIR SECTOR. THEY WERE STAYING WITH RELATIVES OR WERE OCCUPYING THEIR HOUSES.

(4) ONE TM WAS INFORMED THAT ON 5 MAY 5 DEAD BODIES WERE SEEN AT MATA. THE ZAMBATT PATROLS NOTICED COLLAPSED BANKS OF THE RIVER AKAVUGUTU AT 8 PLACES WHERE PORTION OF THE BODIES WERE SEEN. THESE APPEARED TO BE MASS GRAVES. FARTHER INVESTIGATIONS REVEALED FOUR STRETCHES WITH A BODY PROTRUDING FROM THESE GRAVES.

(5) AT MATYAZO THE TM WAS INFORMED ABOUT VERY OFTEN

HARASSMENT FROM THE SIDE OF RPA. ABOUT 150 IDPs LEFT TOWARDS BURUNDI EARLY MORNING THROUGH THE NYUNGWE FORESTS, PROBABLY DUE TO THE RPA HARASSMENT.

f. SECTOR 4B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) 222 IDPs ARRIVED FROM BURUNDI ON 10 - 11 MAY 95 TO BUTARE WAY STATION. THEY WERE DESPATCHED TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES.

(3) A CASE OF ROBBERY OF THE INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CORPS PERS BY TWO ARMED MEN DRESSED IN RPA UNIFORMS TOOK PLACE ON 10 MAY 95 IN BUTARE.

(4) ONE TM WAS INFORMED THAT RUNYINYA COMMUNE HAS PROBLEMS WITH DRINKING WATER ESPECIALLY IN RUKARA AND VUMBI SECTORS. IDPs WHO DO NOT HAVE FIELDS REQUIRE FOOD.

g. SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED RELATIVELY CALM, NO BANDITRY ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED.

(2) THE PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED IN THE AOR.

(3) THE INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY ONE TM REVEALED THAT THE BANDIT WHO KILLED BOURGEMESTRE's WIFE WAS IDENTIFIED AS A BOY RECRUITED BY THE FORMER RGF.

h. SECTOR 5 - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE

PERIOD.

(2) THE MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROLS IN THE AOR AND REPORTED THE SITUATION CALM. ONE TEAM WENT TO NYAMUTERA (6019) - RUSORO (7609). ROAD WAS NOT PASSABLE DUE TO RAIN FALLS.

(3) ONE TM PATROLLED ROUTE GISENYI - JABA (4521) - KABAYA (5006) - NGORORERO (6095) - RULINGA (6779). BOURGOMESTRE AND LOCALS REQUESTED INCREASE IN SUPPLY OF MEDICALS.

j. SECTOR 6 - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) ONE PATROL VISITED GIKOMERO COMMUNE AND GICACA PRISON (2693), WHERE SIT WAS FOUND CALM AND TALKED TO ICRC MEMBERS INVESTIGATING THE STATE OF PRISONERS IN GISHAKA PRISON (1695). THEY ALSO FOLLOWED UP THE REHABILITATION OF BRIDGES AT (1402) AND (1402).

(3) OTHER TEAM CONFIRMED THAT SIT WAS CALM IN NYARUGENGE COMMUNE. NEXT, THEY ARRANGED AN APPOINTMENT WITH THE CENTRAL PRISON KIGALI DIRECTOR AND SEC COMD SEC 6 AND DISCOVERED A NEW MASS GRAVE.

(4) THE KANOMBE COMMUNE WAS ALSO PATROLLED BY THE THIRD TM. THEY FOUND THE AREA CALM. THEY ALSO VISITED MASAKA MED CEN AND PROCEEDED THE RURAL AREA WHERE THEY HAD A TALK WITH LOCALS.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

UNAMIR OPERATED 14 FLIGHTS
AND 10 LOCAL HELICOPTER FLIGHTS

DETAILS OF FLIGHTS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	11
b.	HUMANITARIAN	02
c.	OTHERS	06
	TOTAL	19

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.**

(1) IN THE SECTOR 1 PROGRESS WAS OBSERVED IN RESETTLEMENT OF IDPs. THEY REPORTED LACK OF FOOD, SEEDS AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS. IN BOTH THE NYAGATARE AND MATIMBA RECEPTION CENTER NGOs PROVIDED FOOD, MEDICAL CARE, AND WATER. IN THE KINYAMI COMMUNE THERE WAS LACK OF DRUGS, MEDICINES AND MEDICAL EQPT AS WELL AS BOOKS FOR STUDENTS. THE TUMBA COMMUNE HEALTH CENTER COMPLAINED THE SHORTAGE OF AN AMBULANCE.

(2) IN THE SECTOR 3 THE NYANZA ORPHANAGE RECEIVED SPECIAL DELIVERY OF MATERIALS AND FOOD WHEN HUMANITARIAN OFFR HAD VISITED UNICEF. BOTH THE MALICOY AND MALAWICOY HAS BEEN USED FOR TRANSPORTATION OF FOOD AND OTHER SUPPLIES FOR HUMANITARIAN PURPOSES. AT KAGAZI (8757) LACK OF DRINKING WATER MEDICINE AND BLANKETS WAS REPORTED.

(3) IN THE SEC 4C, AT KIRAMBO, THE EXHUMING OF BODIES STARTED TODAY. THE RPA COMD SAID THAT 700 BODIES HAD BEEN EXHUMED. SOME BODIES WERE IDENTIFIED. ABOUT 100 PEOPLE CAME FROM KIGALI AND WERE HOUSED IN TWO RPA RESIDENCES. THE CEREMONY WAS PEACEFUL. REPORTEDLY INCREASED NO OF MALARIA CASES IN THE NYAMASHEHE ORPHANAGE.

(4) IN THE SEC 6 THE PRISON OF GISHAKA AT (1695) WAS VISITED BY 3 ICRC REPS SURVEYING THE CONDITIONS OF THE PRISONERS IN THE OVERCROWDED JAIL. THE ICRC REPS DENIED TO HAND OVER DATA ABOUT THE TOTAL NO OF INMATES WHEN ASKED BY THE TM.

CIVIL AFFAIRS.

(1) IN THE SECTOR 1 IN TUMBA COMMUNE INCREASE OF THE POPULATION WAS OBSERVED. THERE WAS NO POTABLE WATER AND POWER IN 70% OF THE COMMUNE SINCE WARFARE HAD BEEN COMPLETED. TEACHING MATERIAL AND FURNITURE ARE REQUIRED IN ALL THE 12 SCHOOLS IN KINYAMI COMMUNE. THERE IS ALSO NO PURIFIED WATER IN THE COMMUNE.

(2) THE MINISTER FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT IS SCHEDULED TO VISIT KIBUNGO ON 15 MAY.

(3) IN THE SECTOR 4A ROAD REPAIRS HAD COMMENCED IN THE MOST AREAS OF MUGUBA AND NSHILI COMMUNE. FARMING ACTIVITIES ARE IN FULL SWING.

(4) IN THE SECTOR 6 AT KIMISAGARA SCHOOL ONE PATROL FOUND 589 ORPHANS. THIS CONTRADICTS WITH EARLIER INFORMATION GIVEN BY THE COUNSELLOR WHO STATED THAT THERE WHERE NO ORPHANS IN KIMISAGARA SECTOR.

6. LOGISTICS.

(1) COMMS ON CHANNEL 13 STILL VERY DIFFICULT IN KIBYUE.

7. MISC.

(1) AN ANTI TANK MINE HAS BEEN REPORTED AT KIBALI COMMUNE, RUGARAMA SECTOR (B 0528) IN THE SEC 1. ANOTHER MILITARY DEVICE SUSPECTED TO BE AN ANTI PERS MINE HAS BEEN LOCATED AT RUHENDA SECTOR (B 0228).

c. DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING

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(1) AREAS INFLOW OUTFLOW

(a) SECTOR 1

	GATUNA	24	NIL
	KAGITUMBA	359	NIL
	NORMAL TFC	2195	1498
(b)	**SECTOR 2**		
	TANZANIA	NTR	NTR
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(c)	**SECTOR 3**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(d)	**SECTOR 4A**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(e)	**SECTOR 4B**		
	BURUNDI	30	NTR
(f)	**SECTOR 4C**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g)	**SECTOR 5**		
	UGANDA	15	NTR
	ZAIRE	448	NTR

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 03 MAY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 022300B TO 032300B APR 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM. MILOBS IN ALL SECTORS CONTINUED TO MONITOR OPERATIONS TO RETURN IDPS TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES AND THEIR PROGRESS ON ARRIVAL.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.
(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.
(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.
(4) REMERA BORDER POST IN 4A WAS CLOSED AND RPA ALLOWED LOCALS STAYING IN THE VICINITY TO DO MARKETING IN GATUNDA.

(5) GISENYI BORDER POST WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(6) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL**. NTR.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA**.

(a) SECTOR 5 MILOB 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 KIDAHO (GR 7247). RPA SUSPECTS A BUILD UP OF FRGF TPS FROM THE ZAIREAN SIDE OF THE BORDER. MILOBS RECOMMEND THAT ALL AERIAL RECCE OF THE AREA SHOULD BE SUSPENDED OR CLEARED WITH RPA HIGH COMMAND IN KIGALI AND ON THE GROUND.

(b) RPA TPS IN CYUMBA (GR 9932) IN SECTOR 1 ARRESTED 2 RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE ON 23 APR 95. ONE OF THE ARRESTED PERSONS WAS A GENDARME IN THE PREVIOUS GOVERNMENT AND THE OTHER WAS A TAX COLLECTOR.

(c) RPA TROOPS CONTINUED TO MAINTAIN THEIR CORDON AROUND THE CAMP. A COMPANY OF RPA TROOPS HAS ALSO SET UP A CAMP COMPLETE WITH TENTS AND TRENCHES WITH OVERHEAD PROTECTION AT GR 532081 ON THE KIBEHO-BUTARE ROAD. THE REASON FOR THE CAMP'S ESTABLISHMENT IS YET TO BE KNOWN.

(2) **FRGF**. NTR.

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ.** CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. **SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD. A CONFERENCE WAS HELD AT THE TAC HQ AT 1400 HRS BETWEEN THE RWANDAN INTERIOR MINISTER, REPS OF UNREO AND NGOS OPERATING IN THE PREFECTURE. THE MINISTER PROMISED THAT ALL NGOS WOULD BE ALLOWED FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT WITHIN THE SECTOR INCLUDING THE PRISONS. HE ALSO PROMISED THAT NGOS WOULD NOT BE HARASSED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

(2) MILOBS ESCORTED REPS OF THE NGO ARC TO MINEFIELD IN THE VICINITY OF SHABANA (GR 2045). 4 DIFFERENT TYPES OF GRENADES AS WELL AS TWO 6MM MOR BOMBS WERE FOUND. LOCALS REPORTED THE PRESENCE OF MORE EXPLOSIVES UNDER GROUND BUT FAILED TO LOCATE THE EXACT POSITIONS. MILOBS TO CONTACT NIBATT EOD TEAMS TO ASSIST IN DEFUSING THE EXPLOSIVES.

(3) ROUTINE PATROLS TO GATUNA (GR 0143), KAGITUMBA (GR 5148) AND GAKUBO (GR 9434) REPORTED THE AREAS CALM.

c. **SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO.**

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) A MILOB PATROL TO THE BUKOBA BORDER TO CHECK ON RETURNEE FIGURES FOR THE DAY WAS PREVENTED FROM DOING SO BY AN OFFICIAL WHO CLAIMED TO BE A COORDINATOR FOR THE KIBUNGO PREFECTURE. HE DEMANDED A NOTE FROM THE PREFECT BEFORE THE FIGURES COULD BE RELEASED. THIS IS ONE OF SEVERAL INCIDENTS IN WHICH MILOBS HAVE BEEN ASKED FOR

AUTHORITY NOTES BEFORE BEING ALLOWED TO PROCEED WITH THEIR TASKS. MATTER TO BE DISCUSSED WITH KIBUNGO PREFECT ON 04 MAY 95.

(3) MILOB PATROL TO MUGESERA CONFIRMED THAT ABOUT 2,000 RETURNEES HAD RETURNED TO THE COMMUNE. LOCALS AT INUNGA (GR 3566) INFORMED A MILOB PATROL THAT 42 PERSONS WERE ARRESTED IN ZAZA (GR 4759) FOR NO APPARENT REASON.

(4) PATROLS WERE ALSO CONDUCTED TO SAKE ORC. THERE WERE 621 IDPS IN THE CAMP. THERE WAS A DECREASE IN THE NUMBER OF IDPS SUFFERING FROM EYE DISEASES. IRC WAS PROVIDING MEDICAL TREATMENT TO SICK IDPS.

d. SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONTACTED THE ACTING BISHOP OF GITARAMA FOLLOWING REPORTS THAT HE HAD BEEN ARRESTED. THE BISHOP DENIED THAT HE HAD BEEN ARRESTED. HE ADDED THAT THE SECURITY OFFICER WAS INFURIATED BECAUSE THE BISHOP DID NOT KNOW THE LOCATION OF ONE OF HIS FEMALE EMPLOYEES WHO WAS WANTED FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE GENOCIDE. THE BISHOP ASSERTED THAT THE EMPLOYEE WAS WANTED BECAUSE SHE WITNESSED THE RPA MURDER OF THE PREVIOUS BISHOP AND WAS CONSIDERED A THREAT TO RPA CREDIBILITY.

(3) MILOB CONDUCTED PATROLS TO NTONGWE (GR 9059), KIGOMA (GR 7649) AND TAMBWE (GR 7653). A TOTAL OF 2835 IDPS HAD RETURNED TO THE 3 COMMUNES SINCE THE CLOSURE OF THE CAMPS IN GIKONGORO. 15 MEN HAD BEEN ARRESTED ON ALLEGATIONS OF PARTICIPATION IN THE GENOCIDE. THE BOURGEMESTRE INDICATED THAT MORE PERSONS ARE TO BE ARRESTED AFTER THE DUST

SETTLES. RETURNEES REQUIRED BASIC NEEDS. ICRC AND CARITAS ARE ASSISTING THE RETURNEES IN THE COMMUNES BUT THEIR RESOURCES APPEAR TO BE TOO MEAGRE TO COPE WITH THE MAGNITUDE OF THE RETURNEES' NEEDS.

(4) MILOB PATROLS TO THE BWAKIRA COMMUNE CONFIRMED THAT THERE WERE 70 PERSONS BEING DETAINED AT THE BIRAMBO DETENTION CENTRE. 40 OF THEM ARE TO BE TRANSFERRED TO THE KIBUYE PRISON ON 04 MAY 95.

e. **SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM

(2) MILOB TEAMS MONITORING EVENTS IN THE KIBEHO CAMP REPORTED THAT 133 IDPS HAD BEEN TRANSPORTED TO BUTARE AND GIKONGORO PREFECTURES. THE MINISTER FOR INTERIOR VISITED THE CAMP LATER IN THE AFTERNOON AND ADDRESSED THE IDPS. MANY IDPS SEEM PREPARED TO GO PROVIDED TRANSPORT IS MADE AVAILABLE. 132 RETURNEES HAD ALSO RETURNED TO THE MUSANGE COMMUNE (GR 5347). NO THREATS HAD BEEN ISSUED AGAINST THEM AND THEY GENERALLY FELT SAFE. MILOBS TO LIAISE WITH APPROPRIATE NGOS TO ASSIST IDPS WITH FOOD AND WATER.

f. **SECTOR 4B - BUTARE.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS MONITORED THE RESETTLEMENT OF IDPS IN THE VARIOUS COMMUNES IN THE BUTARE PREFECTURE. AID AGENCIES IN THE SECTOR CONTINUED TO VISIT THE COMMUNES TO ASSESS THEIR HUMANITARIAN REQUIREMENTS. 173 IDPS WERE EVACUATED FROM BUTARE WAY STATION BY UNAMIR TRUCKS DURING THE PERIOD.

g. SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED RELATIVELY CALM. MILOBS HOWEVER REPORTED THAT THE 20 BANDITS LED BY BRIG KABERA OPERATING IN ISHARA AND KANOGO MAY HAVE BEEN KILLED DURING THE SHOOTOUT WITH RPA ON 29 APR 95. INFORMATION IS ALSO 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 WORK ON 30 APR 95.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROL IN THEIR RESPECTIVE AOR. AN INCIDENT OF BANDITRY WAS REPORTED IN KIRANGA (GR 8008) ON 2 MAY 95 IN WHICH 6 UNATTENDED COWS WERE STOLEN. NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED FROM THE INCIDENT. OTHERWISE THE SITUATION WAS NORMAL.

(3) MILOBS ALSO MONITORED THE REDEPLOYMENT OF ETHIOBATT TROOPS IN THE NYAMASHEKE SUB-SECTOR. RPA BN COMD ACCOMPANIED THE CO. FULL REPORT TO FOLLOW.

h. SECTOR 5 - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN GISENYI, NYAMYUMBA (GR 2006), KAYOVE (GR 2992) AND THE BORDER POSTS IN THE SECTOR. RPA CONCENTRATIONS WERE REPORTED IN MUHINGO (GR 4833) BISTATE (GR 4639) AND NYAMISINDE (GR 5141). THE SITUATION IN OTHER AREAS PATROLLED WAS NORMAL.

j. SECTOR 6 - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CA[redacted]

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROL IN THE AREAS OF RUBUNGO AND NDERA. THE SITUATION IN THE AREAS PATROLLED WAS REPORTED TO BE CALM.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 22 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	12.
b.	HUMANITARIAN	02.
c.	OTHERS	10.

4. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.

a. SECTOR 4B MILOBS REPORTED THE EVACUATION OF 173 RETURNEES FROM THE BUTARE WAY STATION BY UNAMIR TRUCKS DURING THE PERIOD.

5. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

6. LOGISTICS. NTR.

7. MISC.

a. DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) SECTOR 1		
GATUNA	19	NIL

	KAGITUMBA	680	NIL
	(NORMAL TFC)	3102	2422
(b)	SECTOR 2		
	TANZANIA	NTR	NTR
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(c)	SECTOR 3		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(d)	SECTOR 4A		
	BURUNDI	50	50
(e)	SECTOR 4B		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(f)	SECTOR 4C		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g)	SECTOR 5		
	UGANDA	39	NTR
	ZAIRE	138	NTR

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133 moved from Kiholo to Bertare
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2000 IDPs returned to
800 kids immunized in Bertare by authorities
27 truck going to Kiholo IDPs should move
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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 02 MAY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 012300B TO 022300B APR 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM. MILOBS IN ALL SECTORS CONTINUED TO MONITOR OPERATIONS TO RETURN IDPS TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES AND THEIR PROGRESS ON ARRIVAL.

(2) THERE ARE INFLUX OF RWANDA REFUGEES FROM BURUNDI PASSING THROW KANYARU - HAUTE SQ 6391 AND KANYARU BAS SQ 6989 BP.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) REMERA BORDER POST IN 4A WAS CLOSED AND RPA ALLOWED LOCALS STAYING IN THE VICINITY TO DO MARKETING IN GATUNDA.

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(5) GISENYI BORDER POST WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(6) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL**. NTR.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA**.

(a) SECTOR 5 MILOB REPORTED THAT THE BORDER IN GENERAL AREA OF RWERERE SQ 2722 AND MUTOVU SQ 2829 IS REPORTEDLY ACTIVE DUE TO FREQUENT SMALL SCALE PROBING ATTACKS AND INFILTRATION ATTEMPTS FROM THE ZAIRIAN SIDE. RPA IS CARRYING OUT HEAVY PATROLLING IN THIS GENERAL AREA ALONG THE BORDER.

(b) THE COMBINED RPA AND GENDARMERIE CHECK POST AT RUKOMO SQ 1120 IN SECTOR 1 INSISTS ON ALLOWING UNAMIR VEHS TO PROCEED ONLY AFTER CHECKING THE VEHS.

(c) IN SECTOR 1 RPA CHECKPOST AT NGARAMA SQ 2628 STOPPED MILOB PATROL , THEY LET THE PATROL PASS ONLY AFTER A LONG ARGUMENT.

(d) THE RPA ENCIRCLED THE NIBATT CAMP AT NGARAMA AFTER THEY REFUSED TO HAND OVER THREE LOCALS (BROWN AND ROOT) WORKERS TO RPA AS THEY DID NOT GIVE ANY REASONS. THE DFC SPOKE TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED AND TOLD THEM THAT THE WORKERS WOULD BE

RELEASED TO THEM ONLY AFTER FORMAL PROCEDURES WERE FOLLOWED AND THE CO NIBATT COULD GET CLEARANCE FROM KIGALI. THIS REPORT CAME FROM MILOB SECTOR 1.

(e) THE RPA BATT CONTINUES ITS PRESENCE AROUND THE KIBEHO DPS CAMP. A NEW RPA PLATOON HAS COME UP AT GR 532081 ON ROAD KIBEHO BUTARE, TWO KMS FROM KIBEHO. THE RPA ROUTINE PATROLS WERE OBSERVED AT NDAGO SQ 5202, MUNINI SQ 4899, KAMANA SQ 5196, REMERA 5542 AND AKABUGA SQ4988. THERE ARE REPORTS OF SOME DEAD BODIES IN THIS AREAS, WHICH HAVE THROWN IN THE AGATEROVE RIVER.

(f) SEC 4C REPORTED THAT RPA IS CONDUCTING BOTH DAY AND NIGHT PATROLS ALONG THE RWANDA - BURUNDI BORDER. IN CYANGUGU SUB SEC ONE RPA PLATOON IS LOCATED AT GR 752284 AND ONE OBSERVATION POST MANNED BY A SECTION OF 9 -12 MEN AT GR 758185.

(2) FRGF. NTR.

3. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

a. MILOB GP HQ. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT THE PATROL TO THEIR RESPECTIVE AOR. THE SITUATION REPORTED TO BE CALM.

(3) CMO / DFC VISITED MILOB AND NIBATT LOC IN BYUMBA, NGARAMA AND NYAGATARE. NGOs BRIEFED THE DFC AT NYAGATARE.

(4) MILOBS ACCOMPANIED NIBATT EOD TEAM TO DEMARCATE MINEFIELDS WITHIN NYGATARE AND NGARAMA COMMUNE TO NYARUBARE SQ 3467 AND RWEMPASHA SQ 3366.

c. <u>SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO</u>.

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) ONE TEAM PATROLLED ROUTE KIBUNGO SQ 6061, BIRENGA SQ 5958, BARE SQ 5448, GAHARA SQ 5442, KANSANA SQ 5461, MUGESERA SQ 4764, SAKE SQ 4453 AND ZAZA SQ 4759. THE TEAM ALSO MONITORED THE ACTIVITIES AT THE ORC IN SAKE. 900 IDPS WERE STILL IN THE CENTER. THE SITUATION IN THE AREAS PATROLLED WAS CALM.

(3) ONE TEAM PATROLLED ROUTE KIBONGO SQ 6061, KIGERAMA SQ 6170, KABARONDO SQ 6177, KAYONZA SQ5784, RUTONDE SQ 4884 AND MUHAZI SQ 4590 . THE TEAM LIAISED WITH THE B/MASTER ON THE ISSUE OF RESETTLEMENT OF THE ARRIVING IDPS. SITUATION NORMAL.

(4) ONE TEAM PATROLLED ROUTE KIBUNGO, KABARONDO, RWINKWAVU SQ 6782, GISHENDA SQ 7076, RUBUMA SQ 7571, KIREHE SQ 7579, RUSEKE SQ 8063, RUGERAMA SQ 7462, RUKIRA SQ 6658 AND KIBUNGO.AT THE RWINKWAVU TRANSIT CAMP THE TEAM WAS NOT ALLOWED ENTRY. THE OFFICIALS DEMANDED AUTHORITY NOTE FROM THE PREFECT BEFORE GIVING ANY INFORMATION ABOUT THE RETURNEES WHO WERE MOSTLY OLD CASE LOADS. SITUATION NORMAL.

(5) ONE TEAM MONITORED ACTIVITIES IN THE ASPEK AND

NYAKIRAMBA TRANSIT CAMP. AT THE NYAKIRAMBI TRANSIT CAMP THE OFFICIALS REFUSED TO GIVE INFORMATION TO THE TEAM. THEY DEMANDED AUTHORITY NOTE SIGNED BY THE PREFECT. THE CAMPS WERE HOWEVER REPORTED CALM.

d. SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOB PATROLLED TO RUTOBWE SQ 7781 LEARNED THAT 15 FAMILIES HAD COME BACK FROM ZAIRE AND UGANDA TWO WEEKS GO ; THEY WERE ABSORBED B THE EASILY WITH THE HELP OF THEIR RELATIVES. THE COMMUNAL CACHOT PRESENTLY HOUSES ONLY 15 MEN.THEY APPEAR TO BE WELL FED AND DID NOT SEEM TO HAVE BEN BEATEN. THE LOCALLY EM[PLOYED INTERPRETER, M ALEXIS, WHO WAS ARRESTED LAST WEEK BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES, HAS BEEN RELEASED.

(3) MILOB PATROL TO MUSAMBIRA COMMUNE SQ 8273 REPORTED THAT APPROX 30 IDPS HAD BEEN RETURNED FROM THE KIBEHO AREA BUT NO FURTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE BECAUSE OF THE ABSENCE OF THE LOCAL OFFICIALS.

(4) FROM KIBUYE MILOB REPORTED THAT TWO OF FOUR PEOPLE, WHO HAD BEEN ARRESTED IN BUYE SECTOR SQ 3964 BY THE COUNSELLOR, HIS ASSISTANT AND TWO POLICE, ESCAPED CUSTODY AND ATTACKED THE ASSISTANT COUNSELLOR IN HIS RESIDENCE WITH A MACHETE.

(5) ANOTHER TEAM FROM KIBUYE FOLOWED UP A REPORT FROM MALAWICOY ALLEGING THAT 40 PEOPLE HAD BEEN SHOT IN MUSENYI SECTOR SQ SQ 5663. THE INCIDENT OCCURRED ON 28 APR 95 AT AROUND 1900 HRS NEAR RWARAMBA SQ 5363. 8 BODIES HAD BEEN RECOVERED AND BURIED SO FAR BUT NO OTHER DETAILS ARE

AVAILABLE. DETAILS REPORT FOLLOWS.

e. SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM

(2) THE TEAMS DEPLOYED AT KIBEHO REPORTED THE SITUATION CALM. THEY HAVE REPORTED THAT 133 IDPS PRECEDED TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES FROM KIBEHO (47 IN THE MORNING AND 86 IN THE AFTERNOON).THE BREAKDOWN IS APPENDED BELOW;

COMMUNE	NUMBER OF RETURNEES
RWAMIKO SQ 4914	52
MURAMAIN SEC 3B	15
MUSEBEYA SQ 4033	08
MUBUGA SQ 5202	06
NGOMA SQ 5832	19
KARAMA SQ 5631	34

THE TEAM OBTAINED INFORMATION FROM THE 47 IDPS RETURNING IN THE MORNING, ABOUT THE STRENGTH OF THE IDPS HOUSED IN THE BUILDING. THEY INFORMED THAT ABOUT 1783 IDPS ARE IN THE BUILDING OUT OF WHICH MEN ARE 311, WOMAN 518 AND CHILDREN 954. HOWEVER IN THE EVENING 86 IDPS ARE PRECEDED TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES SO THE TOTAL NUMBER OF IDPS SHOULD BE 1697.THE TEAM ALSO ESCORTED 15 IDPS AND 03 PRISONERS TO BUTARE. THE TEAM REPORTED THAT FOOD AND WATER DISTRIBUTION WILL RESUME TO THESE DPS FROM 03 MAY 95 BY UNHCR.

(3) ANOTHER TEAM PATROLLED AT MURSAMBI SQ 3538 TUTSI CAMP AND THE BURUNDI REFUGEE CAMP AT KIGEME GR 475257.AT MURAMBI TUTSIS ARE HARASSING THE LOCAL HUTUS, WHO ARE STAYING IN THEIR HOUSES NEAR THE CAMP. THE TUTSIS

DEMOLISHED THE HOUSE OF A HUTU AND CONFISCATED THE PROPERTY. ZAMBATT AT LOCATION HASA BEEN REQUESTED TO CARRY OUT FURTHER INVESTIGATION. THE TEAM ALSO OBSERVED A BOY 10 TO 12 YEARS OLD SEEKING REFUGE WITH A HUTU FAMILY. THE TUTSIS AND ABOUT 10 - 15 CHILDREN WANTED TO KILL HIM AS HIS FATHER WAS A HUTU AND HIS MOTHER IS A TUTSI. THE MOTHER CONFIRMED TO THE TEAM THREE TIMES THAT HER CHILD SHOULD BE KILLED. HOWEVER THE CHILD IS NOW IN THE HANDS OF THE ZAMBATT. THIS TUTSI DPS WANT TO RETURN TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES AT NSHILI SQ 3996, KIVU SQ 4210, GISORORO SQ 4716, MUBUGA SQ 5202 AND AROUND KIBEHO, AS THESE AREAS HAVE BEEN CLEARED OF THE IDPS.

(4) ONE TEAM PATROLLED AT KARAMBO SQ 4634 COMMUNE TO ASSERTAIN THE NUMBER OF THE RETURNEES. THE B / MASTER STATED THAT 05 IDPS RETURNED TO NKURUBUYE SQ 4632 AND 25 IDPS TO RUGARAMA SQ 5035. THEY ARE SETTLING DOWN IN THEIR OWN HOUSES OR IN THE VACANT HOUSES. CARE INTERNATIONAL IS PROVIDING FOODS TO THE ORPHANS AND THE WIDOWS IN THIS COMMUNE. SO FAR THERE IS NO THREAT TO THESE RETURNEES, BUT THE RPA HAS CARRIED OUT A PHYSICAL SEARCH. THE B / MASTER HAS RECEIVED A LETTER FROM THE PREFECT STATING THAT THE RETURNEES SHOULD NOT BE HARASSED AND THEIR WELFARE SHOULD BE LOOKED INTO. THE B / MASTER INTENDS TO HOLD A MEETING OF HIS COUNCILORS INCHARGE ON 08 MAY TO DISSEMINATE THIS INFORMATION.

(5) TEAM PATROLLED AT KARAMBO COMMUNE, REPORTED BY ONE OF THE RETURNEES FROM KIBEHO THAT WHILE THE IDPS WERE MOVING ON FOOT TO BUTARE FROM KIBEHO IN BETWEEN 19 TO 21 APR 95 MANY OF THE IDPS WERE KILLED BY THE TUTSIS AT THE BRIDGE GR 532081 ON ROAD KIBEHO BUTARE AND THE BODIES WERE THROWN INTO THE RIVER. THIS INFORMER DID NOT CROSS

THE BRIDGE BUT FLED THROUGH THE JUNGLES TO THIS COMMUNE.
(6) THE TEAM AT OPS RUBY AND PATROLLED AT AKABUGA BP,REMERA BP AND MUBUGA COMMUNE. THEY OBSERVED THE LOCALS PLOUGHING THE FIELDS AT KAMANA SQ 5196, MUNINI SQ 4899 AND REMERA GR 420899.

f. SECTOR 4B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD.
(2) MILOBS MONITORED THE RESETTLEMENT OF IDPS IN THE VARIOUS COMMUNES IN THE BUTARE PREFECTURE. AID AGENCIES IN THE SECTOR CONTINUED TO VISIT THE COMMUNES TO ASSESS THEIR HUMANITARIAN REQUIREMENTS.
(3) MILOB TEAMS CARRIED OUT PATROL AT HUYE SQ6714, RUNYINYA SQ 6012, KIGEMBE SQ 7093, KANYARU-HAUTE SQ 6291, ANDORA SQ 8112, SHYANDA SQ 7718, MUGUSA SQ 8425 AND AT MUYAGA SQ 9026. THE SITUATION IN ALL THE AREAS REPORTED TO BE CALM.

g. SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED RELATIVELY CALM.
(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROL IN THEIR RESPECTIVE AOR. THE SITUATION REPORTED TO BE CALM IN ALL THE AREAS PATROLLED.

h. SECTOR 5 - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA GISENYI - RWERERE - MUTOVU ALONG WITH THE RPA LO. THERE WAS AN INFILTRATION ATTEMPT ON NIGHT 01 MAY IN GENERAL AREA MUTOVU. THE ATTEMPT WAS FOULED BY RPA. THE B - MASTER OF RWERERE COMMUNE REPORTED THAT THERE WERE FREQUENT CASES OF BANDITRY BY UNIFORMED PERSONS. THESES MISCREANTS ARE BELIEVED TO BE COMING FROM THE INTERIOR AREAS OF RUBAVU COMMUNE SQ 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 LOCALS. THEY ARE NOW CARRYING OUT ROBBERIES FROM WITHIN, IN A REGULAR MANNER.

(3) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PAROL IN HEIR RESPECTIVE AOR. SITUATION REPORTED TO BE CALM.

j. <u>SECTOR 6 - KIGALI</u>.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROL IN THEIR RESPECTIVE AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY. THE SITUATION IN THE AREAS PATROLLED ARE REPORTED TO BE CALM.

k. <u>AIR OPS</u>.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 18 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a. UNAMIR 07.
b. HUMANITARIAN 02.

c. OTHERS 9.

4. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.

(1) SECTOR SIX MILOB REPORTED THAT, ICRC HAS FINISHED WITH REHABILITATION OF GIKOMERO MED CEN AT GR 167954. THE CENTER IS NOW NEWLY PAINTED AND HAS GOT WINDOWS AND DOORS AGAIN.

(2) FROM SECTOR 3 MILOB REPORTED THAT A CIVPOL / HUMAN RIGHTS TEAM VISITED GITARAMA PRISON AND LEARNED THAT PRESENT POPULATION IS HOVERING AROUND 7050. YET NUMBER OF INCOMING PRISONERS IS NOW MATCHED BY THE NUMBER WHO LEAVE. DURING LAST THREE DAYS TOTAL 31 HAVE DIED AND INCREASED THE NUMBER TOTAL OF 1500 DEATH SINCE JULY 94. MANY PRISONERS WERE OBSERVED TO INJURED AND WERE COMPLAINING AGAINST THE RPA STONE THROWING DURING THE NIGHT.21 PRISONERS HAVE BEEN RELEASED IN THE PAST FEW DAYS. GENOCIDE CHARGES AGAINST SOME WERE DROPPED WHILE OTHERS WERE GUILTY OF MINOR CRIMES AND HAD SERVED ENOUGH TIME.

(3) SECTOR 1 MILOB REPORTED THAT, NORMAL FOOD DISTRIBUTION WAS CARRIED OUT AT NYAGATARE AND MATMBA RECEPTION CENTERS.

(4) MILOBS FROM SEC 4C REQUESTED FOR MORE NGOs ACTIVITIES IN tHE BUGARAMA SUB SEC.

(5) ICRC DISTRIBUTED FOOD AMONG THE PEOPLE OF HUYE COMMUNE SQ 6714. VARIOUS UN AGENCIES ARE CONTINUING WITH AID TO ALL MOST ALL THE COMMUNES BUT NGOs ARE NEEDED TO CATER FOR THE THOUSANDS OF IDPS NOW TRYING TO SETTLE DOWN. THIS WAS REPORTED BY MILOBS FROM SEC 4C.

5. CIVIL AFFAIRS.

(1) SECTOR SIX MILOB REPORTED THAT THE BRIDGE AT GR 144023 AND AT GR 146003 ARE PARTLY OVER FLOODED BY WATER AND NEED

URGENT REPAIRS. THE FORCE ENGR COY WILL SEND AN ENG TEAM TO INSPECT THE BRIDGES.

(2) SECTOR 1 MILOB REPORTED THAT AT RUTARE COMMUNAL CACHET HAS 5 INMATES INCLUDING A WOMAN AND A TWO YEARS OLD BABY. THE HYGIENIC CONDITION IS BEYOND SATISFACTION. HOWEVER WITH THE REQUEST FROM MILOB THE WOMAN WAS REMOVED TO ANOTHER ROOM. THE CACHE COMMUNAL AT MUGAMBAZI HAD 30 ALLEGED GENOCIDE CRIMINALS. THE B / MASTER REQ MILOB TO PROVIDE UN VEH TO TRANSFER THEM TO KIGALI PRISON.

(5) THE NIBATT EOD TEAM RETRIEVED TWO 61MM MORTAR BOMBS FROM NYARUBARE SQ 3467 AND RWEMPASHASQ 3366.SUSPECTED MINES WERE REPORTED AT NTYABA GR 025015 AND KIYAGARA GR 029996. TWO COWS WERE BLOWN OFF ON 04 APR IN MVOZO COLLINE GR 024016 AND TWO PERSONS ON 14 APR 95. THIS WAS REPORTED BY THE MILOB FROM SECTOR 1.

6. **LOGISTICS.** NTR.

7. **MISC.**

a. DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) SECTOR 1		
GATUNA	02	NIL
KAGITUMBA	NIL	NIL
(b) SECTOR 2		
TANZANIA	NTR	NTR
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(c) SECTOR 3		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR

(d)	**SECTOR 4A**		
	BURUNDI	50	50
(e)	**SECTOR 4B**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(f)	**SECTOR 4C**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g)	**SECTOR 5**		
	UGANDA	19	NTR
	ZAIRE	151	NTR

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UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 05 MAY 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 042300B TO 052300B APR 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM. MILOBS IN ALL SECTORS CONTINUED TO MONITOR OPERATIONS TO RETURN IDPS TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) REMERA AND AKABUGA BORDER POSTS WERE OPENED FOR NORMAL TRAFFIC.

(5) GISENYI BORDER POST WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(6) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

a. POLITICAL. NTR.

b. MILITARY

(1) RPA.

(a) SECTOR 4A REPORTED THAT RPA BN IN KIBEHO CONTINUED ITS CORDON. ALSO ONE BN REMAINED AT GR 532081 ON ROAD KIBEHO-BUTARE.

(b) SECTOR 2 REPORTED A NEW RPA BN AT KIGARAMA (7844). THE BN IS SAID TO HAVE MOVED FROM THE AKAGERA AREA ABOUT ONE AND A HALF MONTHS AGO. STRENGTH WILL BE CONFIRMED DURING SUBSEQUENT PATROLS.

(2) FRGF. NTR.

3. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

a. MILOB GP HQ. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) THE PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED TO GATUNA (0142) AND KAGITUMBA (5184) CHECK POSTS. PATROLS WERE ALSO CONDUCTED TO RUTONGO (0493), KINYAMI (1418), KIBALI (0424) AND MURAMBI (4601) COMMUNES. SITUATION IN THESE AREAS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(3) THE SECTOR COMMANDER MET THE PREFECT OF BYUMBA TO DISCUSS MODALITIES ON KEEPING A TAB ON IDPS WELFARE AND RESETTLEMENT.

c. SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO.

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) THE SECTOR COMMANDER MET THE PREFECT OF KIBUNGO AND DISCUSSED THE PROBLEM OF THE MUGESERA CHECK-POINT AND THE REFUSAL OF THE AUTHORITIES TO ALLOW PASSAGE OF MILOB TEAMS INTO THE NYAKIRAMBI RWINKWAVU TRANSIT CAMPS AND THE BUKOBA BORDER CHECK-POINT. THE PREFECT INSISTED THAT DETAILS ON FIGURES AT THE TRANSIT CAMPS AND THE BORDER CHECK-POINT SHOULD BE COLLECTED DAILY FROM THE PREFECTURE OFFICES. ON PATROLS BEYOND THE MUGESERA CHECK-POINT, HE INSISTED THAT MILOBS MUST ALWAYS CONTACT THE BOURGMESTRE BEFORE THEY ARE GIVEN ACCESS TO GO BEYOND. THIS IS APPARENTLY PUTTING IMPEDIMENTS TO UNAMIR ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTOR. TODAY BORDER OFFICIALS REFUSED TO GIVE DETAILS OF CROSSING AT RUSUMO, INSISTING THAT MILOBS BRING A NOTE FROM THE PREFECT OF KIBUNGO.

(3) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLS FROM KIBUNGO AND RILIMA TO SEVERAL AREAS IN THEIR AOR. PATROLS WERE AGAIN DENIED ACCESS BEYOND THE MUGESERA CHECK-POINT. SITUATION IN AREAS COVERED WAS CALM.

d. SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD. HOWEVER, THERE SEEM TO BE TROUBLE HIDING IN THE CORNER AS RPA HAVE MADE KNOWN THEIR INTENTION OF CARRYING OUT ARRESTS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THERE HAS BEEN AN ORDER FOR CESSATION OF ARRESTS IN GITARAMA PREFECTURE PROBABLY DUE TO LACK OF SPACE IN THE PRISONS OF GITARAMA AND KIBUYE. GITARAMA PRISON NOW HOLDS OVER 7,000 PRISONERS AND THAT OF KIBUYE, MEANT FOR 250, IS NOW HOLDING 1,068. LOCAL AUTHORITIES ARE INDIFFERENT TO THE SITUATION IN THE PRISONS.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROLS FROM GITARAMA AND KIBUYE TO SEVERAL AREAS IN THEIR AOR. PATROLS IN KIBUYE LEARNT OF CONTINUOUS ARRESTS BY RPA. LOCALS HOWEVER REFUSED TO GIVE DETAILS FOR FEAR OF RPA.

e. SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROLLED MURAMBI GR 3538 AND KIBEHO CAMPS. SITUATION IN MURAMBI WAS CALM. AT KIBEHO, MILOBS OBSERVED RPA TROOPS LEADING SOME TUTSI ELEMENTS TO RETRIEVE ITEMS FROM THE GARBAGE IN THE CAMP. THEY ALSO OBSERVED RPA SOLDIERS WITH A FLEET OF LEFT-OVER WOODEN BICYCLES.

(3) MILOBS CARRIED OUT AN AERIAL RECCE ALONG RIVERS IN THE VICINITY OF KIBEHO IN AN EFFORT TO LOCATE ANY BODIES ALONG THE RIVERS. MUCH WAS NOT ACHIEVED AS PLANNED AIR ROUTE WAS NOT FOLLOWED.

(4) PATROLS WERE ALSO CONDUCTED TO OTHER PARTS OF THE SECTOR INCLUDING THE BORDER POSTS. SITUATION IN THOSE AREAS WAS CALM.

f. SECTOR 4B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS ESCORTED THE DFC/CMO ON HIS TOUR OF SENBATT.

(3) PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED TO RUNYIYNA (6012), KIBAYI (8490) RUSATIRA (6097), KANTARU BAS (6890), KANYARU HAUTE (6390) AND KIBEHO CAMP (5007). SITUATION WAS REPORTED CALM IN AREAS PATROLLED. MILOBS WERE INFORMED OF SOME ARRESTS AND MINOR CASES OF BANDITRY ALLEGEDLY BY REFUGEES IN CAMPS INSIDE BURUNDI.

g. SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED RELATIVELY CALM. THERE WERE REPORTS OF LOCALS SEEKING REFUGE AT NIGHT AT THE RUSAYO ORPHANAGE (8212).

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLS TO RUSIZI I (7422) AND RUSIZI II (7724) AND THE NYAGATARE TRANSIT CAMP (8425) FROM CYANGUGU.

(3) PATROLS WERE ALSO CONDUCTED FROM NYAMASHEKE AND BUGARAMA SUB-SECTORS TO SURROUNDING AREAS WITHIN THEIR AOR. SITUATION IN AREAS PATROLLED WAS REPORTED CALM.

h. SECTOR 5 - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS PATROLLED ROUTE GISENYI - NYAMYUMBA (2006) - RUGARAMA (2195). PATROL COULD NOT GO BEYOND GASHASI (2201) DUE TO BAD ROAD CONDITIONS. SITUATION WAS CALM.

(3) MILOBS WITNESSED A MEETING BY THE PREFECT OF RUHENGERI WITH IDPS IN NDUSU (6212). THE CROWD OF ABOUT 3,000 INCLUDING LOCALS, WAS ADDRESSED BY THE PREFECT, THE BOURGMESTRES OF NDUSU AND GATONDE AND AN RPA OFFICER. THE AUTHORITIES GAVE THE IDPS ONE WEEK TO RETURN TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES. MILOBS WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS. DETAILED REPORTS ON MEETING TO FOLLOW.

j. SECTOR 6 - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROLS IN NYARUGENGE, KICUKIRO AND NDERA TRANSIT CAMP. MILOBS MONITORED ACTIVITIES AT THE TRANSIT CAMP. MOST OF THE IDPS HAVE BEEN EVACUATED TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES. SITUATION IN AREAS PATROLLED WAS CALM.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.
(2) A TOTAL OF 19 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a. UNAMIR 05.
b. HUMANITARIAN 03.
c. OTHERS 11.

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.**

a. SECTOR 5 REPORTED THAT THE BULLDOZER TEAM FROM FORCE ENGINEERS CONTINUED WORK ON GARBAGE PITS IN THE VICINITY OF THE COLLEGE RECEPTION CENTRE.

b. SECTOR 3 PATROLS TO MURAMA, MASANGO AND MUKINGI DISCOVERED THAT SOME IDPS WHO RECENTLY RETURNED WERE SEPARATED FROM THEIR CHILDREN. MILOBS WILL UNDERTAKE TO REUNITE THE FAMILIES IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS USING THEIR OWN FACILITIES.

c. SECTOR 4A REPORTED THAT A TOTAL OF 133 IDPS LEFT KIBEHO TODAY; 5 ON FOOT TO RWAMIKO (4914) AND THE REST TO BUTARE ON INDIBATT TRUCKS. ZAMBATT PROVIDED ARMED ESCORTS FOR THE MOVE TO BUTARE. BISCUITS WERE DISTRIBUTED TO DEPARTING IDPS BY UNICEF.

5. **CIVIL AFFAIRS.** SECTOR 3 REPORTED THAT HUMAN RIGHTS/CIVPOL WERE AGAIN BUSY TODAY WITH THE JUDICIAL REHABILITATION EXERCISE. PRIORITY IS GIVEN TO THE FOUR COMMUNES WITH THE MOST IDPS AWAITING SCREENING.

6. **LOGISTICS.** NTR.

7. **MISC.**

a. SECTOR 5 MILOBS REPORTED A DEMONSTRATION AGAINST UN AGENCIES IN GOMA TODAY. DETAILS WILL BE FORWARDED LATER.

b. LOCAL GENDARMERIE ATTEMPTED IMPOUNDING A UNAMIR VEHICLE 1120 DRIVEN BY A FIELD OFFICER FROM COMMUNICATIONS WHEN IT WAS INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT ON ROAD BUTARE-CYANGUGU. THE VEHICLE REMAINED AT THE SITE UNDER ZAMBATT GUARD AND CIVPOL WILL CARRY OUT INVESTIGATIONS TOMORROW.

c. DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) SECTOR 1		
GATUNA	73	NIL
KAGITUMBA	360	NIL(RETURNEES)
(NORMAL TFC)	2150	1,800
BUZIBA	107 (105 COWS)	NIL
(b) SECTOR 2		
TANZANIA	NTR	NTR
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(c) SECTOR 3		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(d) SECTOR 4A		
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(e) SECTOR 4B		
BURUNDI	11	NIL
(f) SECTOR 4C		
BURUNDI	01	NIL
ZAIRE	NTR	NTR

(g)	SECTOR 5		
	UGANDA	NIL	NIL
	ZAIRE	166	NIL

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 28 APR 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 272300B TO 282300B APR 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM. THE SITUATION IN SECTOR 4C REMAINED RELATIVELY CALM BUT AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE BETWEEN UNKNOWN SIDES WAS REPORTED IN RAMBIRA AREA (GR 0145). NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) REMERA BORDER POST IN 4A WAS CLOSED AND RPA ALLOWED LOCALS STAYING IN THE VICINITY TO DO MARKETING IN GATUNDA.

(5) GISENYI BORDER POST WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(6) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

a. POLITICAL.

(1) IN HUYE COMMUNE OF SECTOR 4B (GR 6711) THE MILOBS SEEN POSTERS IN KINYARWANDA. TRANSLATION OF THEM INDICATES THAT BURGOMASTER WAS CALLING THE MEETING IN WHICH THE FOLLOWING WAS TO DISCUSS: RENEWAL OF POPULATION REGISTER; GOVERNMENT OBJECTIVES; ORGANIZATION ON RECEPTION OF IDP RETURNEES; DISTRIBUTION OF HUMANITARIAN AID BY UNAMIR AND NGOS.

b. MILITARY

(1) RPA.

(a) IN SECTOR 1 A COMBINED RPA AND GENDARMERIE CHECK POST (GR 1120) HAS STOPPED THE MILOBS, NIBATT EOD AND FORCE ENGR TEAM AND INSISTED ON CHECKING THEIR VEHICLES AND DOCUMENTS. THE MILOBS INFORMED THEM THAT IT WAS A PATROL WITH AIM TO RECCE THE ROAD TO MUGAMBAZI AND REMOVE SOME MINES. HOWEVER THEY WERE ALLOWED TO PASS ONLY AFTER CHECK OF THEIR VEHICLES. ANOTHER MILOB TEAM WAS STOPPED AND ASKED TO SHOW THEIR PASSPORTS AT THE SAME CHECK POST.

(4) IN SECTOR 2 RPA HAD CLOSED ITS TRAINING CAMP

AT NYARUBUYE. HOWEVER ABOUT TWO PLATOONS STRENGTH REMAINED STILL AT THE CAMP.

(3) IN SECTOR 4B RPA CONTINUE ARRESTS OF SUSPECTED PERSONS. THE SECTION DEPLOYED AT MUSANGE SECTOR (GR 690095) OF HUYE COMMUNE (GR 6711) WERE REPORTED HOSTILE TO UNAMIR PERSONNEL AND DID NOT ALLOW TO IDPS WHO HAD HOMES AT THAT AREA TO RESETTLE THERE.

(4) RPA COMPANY WAS DEPLOYED IN BUTARE (GR 9615) FROM SECTOR 4C AND WAS CONDUCTING BORDER PATROLS IN THAT AREA.

(5) IN SECTOR 6 RPA MOUNTED TWO ROAD BLOCKS (GR 190826 AND GR 213793) MANNED BY ARMED SOLDIERS. VEHICLES WERE CHECKED. RPA PICKED TWO UNEXPLODED GRENADES UP IN NDUBA (GR 124929).

(2) **FRGF**. NTR.

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ**. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. **SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA**.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT TO GATUNA CHECK POST (GR 0142), KAGITUMBA CHECK POST (GR 5184), KIBALI COMMUNE (GR 0424) AND KIYOMBE COMMUNE (GR 0940). THE SIT REPORTED CALM.

(3) MILOBS WITH NIBATT TRUCK SHIFTED FOOD FROM WFP STOREHOUSE TO THE RETURNEES TEMPORARY CAMP.

(4) MILOBS ACCOMPANIED NIBATT ENGR OFFR AND EOD TEAM WITH FORCE ENGR TO RECCE NYANZA ACCESS ROAD AND REMOVE THE RPG REPORTED AT THE ROAD JUNCTION.

c. SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO.

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM. THE MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROLS IN AOR.

(2) AT BARE (GR 5448) THE MILOBS OBSERVED IRC DISTRIBUTING COOKING UTENSILS, PLASTIC CONTAINERS AND PLASTIC SHEETS TO 65 IDPS AWAITING TRANSPORT TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES. AT MUGESERA (GR 4764) THE RPA AND THE LOCAL MILITIA REFUSED THE TEAM TO GO BEYOND THE CHECK POINT MOUNTED NEAR THE COMMUNE OFFICE. AT GAHARA (GR 5442) A NUMBER OF PRISONERS WAS SEEN IN THE COMMUNE CELL. THE MILOBS FAILED TO GET THE NUMBER AND REASON OF DETAINMENT. THE SIT WAS REPORTED CALM.

(3) MILOBS PATROLLED NYABITARE AND NYRUBUYE. AT NYRUBUYE THE RPA CONFIRMED THE ARREST OF 5 PERSONS LAST WEEK ACCUSED OF TAKEN PART IN THE GENOCIDE. THE ARRESTED PEOPLE WERE HELD AT THE NYRUBUYE CAMP. AT KANKUBWA (GR 8860) 17 RETURNEES HAD ARRIVED FROM TANZANIA SINCE 26 APR 95. THE SIT WAS REPORTED CALM.

(4) 952 IDPS WERE REPORTED BEEN AT ASPEK TRANSIT CAMP. 609 IDPS WERE TRANSPORTED TO SAKE (GR 4354), KIGERAMA (GR 6170), RUKIRA (GR 6658), MUGESERA (GR 4764)AND MURAMBI FROM THE CAMP. A TOTAL OF 1891 IDPS MADE UP OF ZAIRE - 94, TANZANIA - 27, UGANDA - 47 AND KIBEHO - 1723 ARRIVED AT ASPEK CAMP ON 28 APR 95. THE SIT WAS REPORTED

CALM.

(5) AT NYAKIRAMBI TRANSIT CAMP 450 IDPS WERE AWAITING TRANSPORTATION TO THEIR COMMUNES.

(6) AT NGENDA TRANSIT CAMP (GR 0644) THE REGISTRATION TOOK PLACE AND COUNTED 1500 IDPS. 160 SUSPECTS WERE DETAINED. OTHERS LEFT FOR THEIR COMMUNES AFTER RECEIVING 7 DAYS RATIONS. THE SIT WAS REPORTED CALM.

(7) AT GASHORA TRANSIT CAMP (GR 2655) 251 IDPS WERE REPORTED STILL IN CAMP, OTHERS LEFT FOR THEIR COMMUNES. RPA PROVIDED SECURITY IN THE CAMP. IRC DISTRIBUTED FOOD FOR IDPS FOR 2 WEEKS.

(8) AT NYAMATA TRANSIT CAMP 52 IDPS ARRIVED FROM NDERA AND WERE SCREENED AND SEARCHED BY THE RPA.

d. SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD. NO PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT IN GITARAMA PREFECTURE DUE TO LACK OF VEHICLES.

(2) COMBINED MILOB/HUMAN RIGHTS TEAM OVERFLEW ON HELICOPTER MASANGO, MURAMA, KIGOMA AND NTONGWE COMMUNES. NO IDP CAMPS OR LARGE CONGREGATIONS OF PEOPLE WERE OBSERVED. THE TOTAL OF 767 RETURNEES DURING THE PERIOD 22 - 27 APR 95 WERE REPORTED IN NTONGWE COMMUNE.

(3) THE SECTOR 3 REQUESTED TO RELEASE THREE TEAMS WHICH HAD BEEN ATTACHED TO BUTARE DUE TO LACK OF VEHICLES AND SINCE THOSE TEAMS WERE REQUIRED IN THE SECTOR TO CONTROL IDPS MOVEMENT.

(4) MILOB TEAM PATROLLED RWAMATAMU AND GISOVU COMMUNES. TWO ARRESTS WERE REPORTED IN ADRA HOSPITAL IN NGOMA (GR 5955) AND ARRESTED PEOPLE WERE TRANSFERRED TO KIBUYE PRISON. ONE MAN BAYONETTED AND SHOT IN NYARABUYE (GR 2353). TWO PEOPLE WERE ARRESTED IN UWAKIBABA (GR 1449). 8 PERS KILLED AND BURIED IN THE FOREST IN GEN AREA MT KARONGI IN GIKO SECTOR. MILOBS RECEIVED UNCONFIRMED REPORT OF A TRUCKLOAD OF BODIES BEING BROUGHT TO SOUTH OF GIKO FOREST AND BURIED THERE. FURTHER INVESTIGATION WAS GOING ON.

e. SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM

(2) THE TEAMS DEPLOYED AT KIBEHO REPORTED THE SITUATION CALM. ON 27 APR 95 BETWEEN 1900 - 2300 HRS RPA WAS SEEN CARRYING DEAD BODIES (AFTER EXHUME OF GRAVES) ALONG THE KIBEHO - BUTARE ROAD. WITNESSES COUNTED 16 BODIES. TEAM ALSO REPORTED THAT ON 28 APR 95 BY 1200 HRS A TOTAL OF HARD-CORE IDPS HAVE AGREED TO LEAVE THE BUILDING COMPLEX FOR THEIR HOME COMMUNES. 17 OF THEM WENT TO MUBAGA COMMUNE AND 7 TO RWAMIKO. 24

(3) MILOBS AT OP RUBY PATROLLED NSHILI COMMUNE WHERE THEY HAVE MET THE BURGOMASTER WHO CONFIRMED THAT THERE WERE NO IDPS IN HIS COMMUNE. THE SIT REPORTED CALM.

(4) MILOBS PATROLLED NYAMAGBE COMMUNE AND REPORTED THAT 147 RETURNEES REGISTERED THERE. THEY WERE IN NEED OF HUMANITARIAN AID.

(5) THE TEAM PATROLLED RUKONDO COMMUNE AND REPORTED THAT 16 IDPS RETURNED TO THAT COMMUNE. THE TEAM TALKED TO THE BURGOMASTER, MR. JEAN HAKIZAYEZO, WHO INFORMED THAT ALL

IDPS RETURNED TO THEIR OLD HOUSES. HE ALSO CONFIRMED THAT 11 IDPS WERE ISSUED WITH KITCHEN TOOLS AT BUTARE AND THERE WAS NO THREAT TO IDPS. REACTION OF LOCALS WAS CORDIAL.

f. **SECTOR 4B - BUTARE.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) THE MILOBS MONITORED THE RESETTLEMENT OF IDPS IN AOR AND REPORTED:

a. AT NYABISINDU (GR 7138) THE NUMBER OF RETURNEES WAS 1651. THE MILOBS WERE DENIED THE ACCESS TO THE NYAZA PRISON BY RPA CDR MANNING IT. HOWEVER TEAM HAVE BEEN INFORMED BY LOCALS THAT ABOUT 650 INMATES HAD BEEN HELD THERE.

b. AT RUSATIRA (GR 6097) 4 IDPS WERE KILLED BY HOSTILE LOCALS WHILE 10 WERE HOSPITALIZED FROM INJURIES SUSTAINED DURING SUCH ASSAULTS AND 10 OTHER IDPS WERE DETAINED BY RPA AT COMMUNE PRISON. THE FIGURE OF RETURNEES WAS 2500.

c. AT RUHASHYA COMMUNE (GR 6926) 1 IDP WAS KILLED BY THE HOSTILE LOCALS, 50 ARRESTED BY RPA BRINGING THE FIGURE OF PRISONERS AT COMMUNE UP TO 165. 1347 IDP RETURNEES WERE REPORTED. THIS COMMUNE COMPLAINED OF LACK OF FOOD, WATER AND MEDICINE.

d. AT HUYE COMMUNE (GR 6711) 3046 RETURNEES HAVE REGISTERED AND REQUIRED FOOD FROM HUMANITARIAN ORGANIZATIONS.

e. AT MARABA COMMUNE (GR 8631) COMMUNE AUTHORITIES COMPLAINED OF LACK OF HUMANITARIAN AID TO ASSIST TO RESETTLE 818 IDPS. 244 RETURNEES HAVE BEEN DETAINED BY RPA INCLUDING 8 WOMEN AND 8 CHILDREN.

f. AT MBAZI COMMUNE (GR 7117) AT GIHINDANUYAGE SECTOR

(GR 6818) 20 IDPS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED BY RPA ON ACCUSATION OF GENOCIDE PARTICIPATION. HOWEVER THE LOCALS INFORMED THE TEAM THAT MORE IDPS WERE HELD AT THE COMMUNE PRISON. 1221 IDPS HAVE REGISTERED AT THAT COMMUNE WHO NEEDED THE HUMANITARIAN AID.

g. AT SHYANDA COMMUNE (GR 7418) 700 IDPS REGISTERED AND 150 IDPS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED BY RPA.

h. AT MUGUSA (GR 8425) 1500 RETURNEES REGISTERED. COMMUNE PRISON CONTAINED 170 DETAINED PERS OUT OF WHICH 30 WERE IDPS.

i. AT MUYAGA COMMUNE (GR 9026) 500 IDPS REGISTERED WITH 10 IDPS ARRESTED BY RPA. TEAM COULD NOT GET DATA AT KABUMWE SECTOR (GR 9326) ON ILLEGAL BORDER CROSSINGS DUE TO PRESENCE OF RPA APPROX COMPANY STRENGTH.

j. AT MUGANZA (GR 8407) IDPS REGISTERED REPORTED FROM BURUNDI. THE BURGOMASTER ASKED UNAMIR TO ASSIST WITH VEHICLE TO TOUR THE SECTOR ON 01 MAY 95 AND REPORTED WARM RECEPTION OF IDPS. FOOD, CLOTHES, AGRICULTURAL TOOLS AND SEEDS WERE REQUESTED.

k. AT NDORA (GR 8112) 339 IDPS HAVE REGISTERED AND COMMUNE AUTHORITIES REQUESTED FOOD AS PRIOR HELP.

l. AT NGOMA (GR 9637) 1146 IDPS HAVE REGISTERED WITH REQUEST OF CLOTHES, TOOLS, SEEDS AND MEDICINE.

m. AT NTYAZO (GR 8631) 2048 IDPS REGISTERED WITH 89 IDPS DETAINED BY RPA INCLUDING 7 WOMEN AND A 13 YEAR OLD BOY.

n. AT MUYIRA (GR 8639) 2137 IDPS REGISTERED WITH 154 ARRESTED BY RPA OUT OF WHICH 22 WERE TO BE TAKEN TO KIGALI. URGENT REQUIREMENTS OF IDPS WERE FOOD, WATER, ACCOMMODATION, MEDICINE, TOOLS AND SEEDS.

o. AT GISHAMVU COMMUNE (GR 6505), NYAKUZU (GR 5696) AND RUNYINYA (GR 6012) MILOBS REPORTED THAT THE LOCALS EXPRESSED FEAR OF LACK OF SECURITY AS RPA WAS ARRESTING IDPS AT RANDOM. AT RUNYINYA IT WAS REPORTED THAT BURGOMASTER HAS STARTED TRIALS OF DETAINED IDPS.

LOCALS WERE REPORTED HOSTILE TO IDPS IN ALL THREE AREAS.

g. SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED UNSTABLE BUT CALM.

(2) THE PATROL WAS CONDUCTED TO THE ISHIRA PENINSULA (GR 0142) DURING WHICH A LOCAL REPORTED THAT SIX BOATS LANDED AT NIGHT IN THE AREA OF RAMBIRA (GR 0145) AND AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE OCCURRED BETWEEN UNIDENTIFIED ELMS. NO DETAILS AVAILABLE.

(3) THE PATROLS WERE ALSO CARRIED OUT TO KITARI (GR 3521), BUTARE (GR 9615) AND MASHESHA (GR 8913). THE SIT WAS REPORTED CALM.

h. SECTOR 5 - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) THE MILOBS PATROLLED KINIGI (GR 5340), GIFUMBA (GR 5243). THEY OBSERVED LARGE DEPLOYMENT OF RPA IN THAT AREA. THE RUMORS ABOUT EMINENT ATTACK PERSIST IN KINIGI AREA. THE BURGOMASTER AND LOCAL RPA AUTHORITIES WERE TRYING TO EDUCATE THE POPULATION TO DISREGARD THESE RUMORS. THE MILOBS ARE NOT BEING PERMITTED INTO THE AREA WITHOUT PRIOR PERMISSION FROM RUHENGERI RPA BATT CDR.

(3) COMBINED MILOB/UNHCR TEAM ESCORTED FORCE ENGINEER PARTY ON A RECCE OF THE COLLEGE RECEPTION CENTER. THEY RECCED THE SITE FOR THE SANITATION PITS TO BE DIGGED OUT AT THAT LOCATION NEXT WEEK.

j. SECTOR 6 - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROLLED GIKOMERO, RUBUNGO AND KANOMBE COMMUNES. PATROLS ALSO COVERED THE NDERA TRANSIT CAMP. IN RUBUNGO COMMUNE THE MILOBS MET RPA BDE CDR LT COL GATERA AND MAJ NDANI WHO WENT TO THE COMMUNE OFFICE (GR 191845) TO CHECK ON FIGURES OF RETURNEES COMING FROM NDERA TRANSIT CAMP.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 19 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a. UNAMIR 07.
b. OTHERS 10.
c. HUMANITARIAN 02.

(3) THERE WAS A BRIEF STOPPAGE OF UNAMIR HELICOPTER FLIGHTS DUE TO RPA SECURITY AUTHORITIES WHO CLAIMED THAT THEY WERE NOT INFORMED ABOUT THOSE FLIGHTS. THE AIR OPS CELL AND G3 RESOLVED THAT PROBLEM.

4. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.

a. IN SECTOR 1 THE DEPUTY BURGOMASTER OF KIBALI COMMUNE REPORTED THAT 715 ORPHANS IN THE COMMUNE URGENTLY NEEDED FOOD AND CLOTHING. THE ORPHANS REPORTED TO BE 15 YEARS OLD AND BELOW. WFP PROVIDED 54 RETURNEES WITH FOOD FOR 14 DAYS BEFORE DISPATCH THEM TO COMMUNES.

b. IN SECTOR 4B UN AGENCIES AND NGOS CONTINUED TO RENDER AID VARIOUS COMMUNES. UNHCR WAS ARRANGING TRANSPORT FOR 10 IDPS DESTINED FOR BURUNDI AND 27 FOR GIKONGORO PREFECTURE.

c. IN SECTOR 4C THE FUMIGATION PROGRAM FOR THE FOUR ORPHANAGES IN THAT AREA WAS STILL PENDING.

d. A THREE DAYS SEMINAR ON HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION FOR TEACHERS EDUCATIONAL INSPECTORS COMMENCED ON 28 APR 95 AT GISENYI PREFECTURE. ABOUT 30 TEACHERS AND INSPECTORS ARE ATTENDING THE SEMINAR WHICH WAS SPONSORED BY AN ITALIAN NGO COOPI.

e. MSF LOOKS AFTER 250 ORPHANS AT NDERA ORPHANAGE (GR 195856). THE ORPHANS WERE GATHERED BY RPA DURING LAST WAR AND INITIAL NUMBER WAS 500 ORPHANS BUT 250 OF THEM HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED TO THE FRENCH SCHOOL (GR 085829) WHERE THEY WERE TAUGHT FRENCH AND KINYARWANDA.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.**

a. IN SECTOR 1 ALL THE BURGOMASTERS WHO HAVE BEEN CONTACTED EXPRESSED READINESS TO RECEIVE THE IDPS. THE SUBPREFECT OF BYUMBA HOWEVER FELT THAT THEY WOULD NEED AN ADDITIONAL TIME AND ASKED MILOBS DO NOT PROVIDE TRANSPORT TILL MONDAY 01 MAY 95.

b. BUTARE PREFECTURE HAS NO ELECTRICITY SINCE 26 APR 95.

c. RPA AND CIMERWA CEMENT FACTORY PERS (GR 9011) ORGANIZED A MEETING ON 28 APR 95 BETWEEN 0900 - 1200 HRS TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS RELEVANT TO THE CEMENT FACTORY AREA. THE BURGOMASTER OF THE SUBPREFECTURE ATTENDED THE MEETING.

6. **LOGISTICS.** NTR.

7. **MISC.**

a. IN SECTOR 6 THE BRIDGE AT (GR 1402) CONTINUE TO SINK BUT STILL USEABLE WITH DIFFICULTIES.

b. THE SECTOR COMMANDER OF SECTOR 4C LT COL YOUNITSIN VISITED DIFFERENT COMMUNES IN ORDER OF FAMILIARIZATION AND MET WITH SOME RPA AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

c. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1)

AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) **SECTOR 1**		
GATUNA	NTR	NIL
KAGITUMBA	462 RETURNEES	NIL
	2223	1784 PERS

A REMOTE BORDER CROSSING AT BUZIBA (GR 2661) IS HARDLY ACCESSIBLE BY ROAD. FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23 APR 95 TO 27 APR 95 ONLY 16 PERSONS CROSSED THE BORDER AT THAT AREA.

(b) **SECTOR 2**		
TANZANIA	7	NTR
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(c) **SECTOR 3**		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(d) **SECTOR 4A**		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(e) **SECTOR 4B**		

	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(f)	<u>SECTOR 4C</u>		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g)	<u>SECTOR 5</u>		
	UGANDA	24	NTR
	ZAIRE	187	NTR

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UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 27 APR 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 262300B TO 272300B APR 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM. THE TRANSPORTATION OF IDPS AND RECEPTION IN TRANSIT CENTRES AND HOME COMMUNES CONTINUED.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) REMERA BORDER POST IN 4A WAS CLOSED AND RPA ALLOWED LOCALS STAYING IN THE VICINITY TO DO MARKETING IN GATUNDA.

(5) GISENYI BORDER POST WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(6) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

a. POLITICAL.

(1) THE PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER OF RWANDA VISITED THE KIBEHO CAMP. THE SRSG AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS VISITED WERE ALSO AT THE CAMP. THE PRESIDENT REQUESTED THE COOPERATION OF UNAMIR AND ALL OTHER AGENCIES WHO WERE PRESENT DURING THE RECENT MASSACRE. HE ORDERED THE RPA TO EXHUME ALL CORPSES FROM THE MASS GRAVES SO THAT THEY COULD BE COUNTED AND RECORDED. THE SRSG ASSURED THE PRESIDENT THAT ALL ASSISTANCE WOULD BE GIVEN BY UNAMIR TO ESTABLISH THE TRUTH OF HOW IDPS WERE KILLED. THE PRESIDENT ALSO TRIED TO PERSUADE THE HARD-CORE IDPS IN THE CAMPS TO LEAVE BUT THEY REFUSED TO BE CONVINCED OF THEIR SECURITY OUTSIDE THE CAMP. 9 OF THE IDPS HOWEVER AGREED TO LEAVE THE CAMP AROUND 1800 HRS.

(2) THE MINISTER OF REHABILITATION VISITED THE NDERA CAMP IN KIGALI DURING THE PERIOD. HE PROMISED TO FORCE THE COMMUNE OF NDERA TO LIFT THE BLOCKADE FOR THE RETURNEES WHICH WOULD ALLOW 4,000 IDPS TO MOVE OUT OF THE CAMP.

b. MILITARY

(1) RPA. NTR.

(2) FRGF. NTR.

3. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

a. MILOB GP HQ. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOB PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED IN GATUNA (GR 0142), KAGITUMBA (GR 5184), KINYAMI(GR 1418) AND GITOZA COMMUNE. LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND NIBATT OFFRS ACCOMPANIED MILOBS TO INFORM BOURGEMESTRES IN THE VARIOUS COMMUNES OF THE IMMINENT ARRIVAL OF RETURNEES TO THEIR COMMUNES.

c. SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO.

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROLS TO BARE (GR 5448) WERE INFORMED THAT 65 IDPS WHO ARRIVED FROM TANZANIA ON 24 APR 95 WERE STILL ENCAMPED IN THE MARKET PLACE IN THE TOWN AWAITING TRANSPORTATION TO THEIR VARIOUS COMMUNES. AT GAHARA (GR 5442), THE PATROL WAS INFORMED OF THE ARREST OF ALL MALES RETURNEES OVER 15 YRS OLD FROM THE KIBEHO CAMP. SECTOR HR MONITORS HAVE BEEN INFORMED OF THE EVENTS.

(3) MILOB PATROLS TO NYABITIRE (GR 8754) OBSERVED ABOUT 40 LOCALS ARMED WITH BOWS, SPEARS AND ARROWS PATROLLING ALONG THE ROAD WITH THE REASON THAT THEY WERE BEING HARASSED BY BANDITS FROM TANZANIA WHO WERE MOSTLY INVOLVED IN CATTLE-RUSTLING. MILOBS ALSO ALERTED HR

MONITORS OF A LOCAL IN GAFUNZO (GR 679636) BY THE RPA FOR UNKNOWN REASONS.

(3) MILOBS ALSO MONITORED THE SITUATION IN THE ASPEK AND NYAKIRAMBI TRANSIT CAMPS. IT WAS REPORTED THAT A TOTAL OF 369 IDPS ARRIVED IN THE ASPEK CAMP FORM TANZANIA, BUTARE AND ZAIRE ON 26 APR 95. 318 IDPS WERE ALSO EVACUATED FROM THE CAMP TO SAKE (GR 4354). THE SITUATION IN BOTH CAMPS WAS CALM.

(4) MILOBS ALSO REPORTED THE ARRIVAL OF 1,700 IDPS AT NAYAMATA FROM GIKONGORO. THE RETURNEES WERE REPORTED TO BE SHORT OF FOOD AND WATER.

(5) 212 SUSPECTS WERE RELEASED FROM THE GASHORA PRISON TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES PENDING INVESTIGATIONS INTO THEIR CHARGES OF PARTICIPATION IN THE GENOCIDE.

d. SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD. THREE TEAMS REMAINED ATTACHED TO SECTOR 4B.

(2) MILOBS PATROLS TO RUHANGO WERE INFORMED THAT 949 IDPS HAVE BEEN REGISTERED IN THE COMMUNE SINCE THE CLOSURE OF THE IDP CAMPS IN GIKONGORO. SO FAR ONLY THE WOMEN AND THE CHILDREN HAVE BEEN RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES. THE MEN HAVE REMAINED AT HE COMMUNE PENDING A PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN AIMED AT PREVENTING ACTS OF VENGEANCE. ICRC IS TAKING CARE OF THE FOOD REQUIREMENTS OF THE MEN.

(3) MILOBS PATROLS TO THE RUTSIRO COMMUNE (GR 3183) REPORTED THAT TEACHERS IN THE COMMUNE WERE UNEASY DUE TO THE RECENT ARREST OF 5 TEACHERS FOR UNKNOWN REASONS. ONE TEACHER WAS ALSO REPORTED TO BE UNDER ARREST IN THE

MWENDO COMMUNE.

e. SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM

(2) MILOBS FROM THE SECTOR ARE STILL ON ATTACHMENT TO SECTOR 4B FOR DUTIES IN KIBEHO AND BUTARE. THE TEAM MONITORED AND ASSISTED IN THE ESCORT OF IDPS FROM THE SECTOR TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES.

f. SECTOR 4B - BUTARE.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOB PATROLLED MUGUSA (GR 8452) MUYAGA (GR 9026) AND SHYANDA (GR 7718). THERE WERE REPORTED TO 1,500 IDPS IN MUGUSA, 300 IN MOYAGA AND ABOUT 1,000 IN SHYANDA. THERE WERE SHORTAGES OF FOOD AMONG THE IDPS. ONLY MINOR PROBLEMS WERE REPORTED BETWEEN THE RETURNEES AND LOCALS IN THE SHYANDA COMMUNE.

(3) MILOBS CONDUCTED HELI PATROL OVER THE RWANDA BORDER WITH BURUNDI. ALMOST NO ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED ALONG THE BORDER.

(4) MILOB PATROLS TO RUSATIRA (GR 6097) REPORTED THE MURDER OF 4 IDPS BY A MOB OF LOCALS. 10 OTHER RETURNEES WERE INJURED IN THE ATTACK. 10 RETURNEES HAD ALSO BEEN ARRESTED IN THE TOWN. THERE WERE ALSO 1148 RETURNEES TO NGOMA (GR 9673) AND 85 IN MUGANZA (GR 8407).

(5) PATROLS WERE ALSO CONDUCTED TO OTHER COMMUNE CENTRES TO MONITOR THE PROGRESS OF RECENT RETURNEES.

LOCALS WERE REPORTED TO BE GENERALLY ASSISTING THE RETURNEES TO SETTLE IN QUICKLY. THERE WERE HOWEVER SEVERAL SPECIFIC INDIVIDUALS WHO WERE BEING SUBJECTED TO HOSTILE ATTITUDES FROM THE LOCALS. THE MAIN PROBLEMS SEEM TO HE PROVISION OF FOOD AND WATER FOR THE RETURNEES. MILOBS TO ASSIST BY IDENTIFYING THE REQUIREMENTS AND COORDINATING WITH UN AGENCIES AND NGOS.

g. SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED UNSTABLE BUT CALM. THERE WERE AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF FAMILIES SPENDING THE NIGHTS NEAR THE RUSAYO ORPHANAGE (GR 8212) DUE TO THE FEAR OF BANDITS. A GROUP OF BANDITS ARRIVED IN KININI SECTOR (GR 9535) BY BOAT AND ROBBED 7 HOUSES OF FOOD ITEMS ON 25 APR 95. A SIMILAR ATTEMPT WAS MADE THE FOLLOWING NIGHT, HOWEVER AN RPA PATROL SPOTTED THE BANDITS AND ENGAGED THEM WITH SMALL ARMS AND GRENADES. ON THE MORNING OF 27 APR 95, 2 OF THE BANDITS WERE CAPTURED ALIVE BY LOCALS AND HANDED OVER TO THE RPA. ONE OF THEM HAD BULLET WOUNDS IN HIS STOMACH. THEY ARE CURRENTLY BEING DETAINED IN KIRAMBO PRISON (GR 0444). MILOBS TO FOLLOW UP ON THEIR CONDITION.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN SEVERAL OTHER PARTS OF THE SECTOR. 101 REFUGEES FROM BUTARE WERE ALSO ADMITTED TO THE NYAGATARE TRANSIT DURING THE PERIOD. THE SITUATION WAS NORMAL IN ALLL AREAS PATROLLED.

h. SECTOR 5 - GISENYI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED PATROLS IN THE AREAS OF KINIGI (GR

5340) AND GIFUMBA (GR 5243). IT WAS OBSERVED THAT THERE WAS AN INCREASE IN THE RPA DEPLOYMENT IN THE KINIGI AREA. THIS WAS THOUGHT TO BE DUE TO RUMOURS OF AN IMPENDING ATTACK ON THE AREA. LOCAL AUTHORITIES ARE TRYING TO DISPEL THE RUMOURS. MILOBS TO CONTINUE MONITORING THE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREA.

(3) MILOBS ATTENDED A COORDINATING CONFERENCE TO PLAN HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE IN THE SECTOR. THE CONFERENCE WAS ATTENDED BY REPS FROM UNHCR, NGOS AND THE PREFECT OF GISENYI.

j. SECTOR 6 - KIGALI.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SUBURBS WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROLLED NYARUGENGE AND KICUKIRO COMMUNES. PATROLS ALSO COVERED THE NDERA TRANSIT CAMP. THERE WERE ABOUT 7,000 IDPS IN THE CAMP. 1,600 IDPS WERE EVACUATED TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES ON 26 APR 95. AN ADDITIONAL 2,350 IDPS ARRIVED IN THE CAMP ON THE SAME DATE. 320 IDPS WERE TREATED FOR IDPS FOR EYE DISEASES.

(3) IN THE NYARUGENGE COMMUNE IT WAS REPORTED THAT HUTUS WERE REPORTED TO BE AFRAID TO CLAIM THEIR PROPERTY DUE TO FEAR OF THE RPA. HUTUS WHO OWN CATTLE ARE USUALLY SUSPECTED OF HAVING STOLEN THEM FROM TUTSIS. MOST HUTU FAMILIES ARE ALSO REPORTED TO BE TRYING TO GET AT LEAST ONE MEMBER INTO THE RPA AS A MEANS OF PROTECTING THEMSELVES.

k. AIR OPS.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 29 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a. UNAMIR 08.
b. OTHERS 19.
c. HUMANITARIAN 02.

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.**

a. TOTAL OF 54 IDPS AT THE DERA CAMP WERE EVACUATED TO BYUMBA BY UNHCR ON 25 APR 95. THEY WERE PROVIDED WITH 2 DAYS RATION BY CARITAS. WFP HAS ALSO BEEN CONTACTED TO SUPPLY RATION FOR 2 WEEKS BEFORE THEY ARE DESPATCHED TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES. BLANKETS, PLASTIC SHEETING AND COOKING UTENSILS HAVE ALREADY BEEN PROVIDED TO 25 FAMILIES.

b. SECTOR 1 MILOBS ARRANGED FOR THE PROVISION OF POWDERED MILK TO 240 ORPHANS AT THE ORPHANAGE IN THE NYAGATARE COMMUNE.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.** NTR.

6. **LOGISTICS.**

7. **MISC.**

c. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1)

AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) SECTOR 1		
GATUNA	34	NIL
KAGITUMBA	309	NIL
(b) SECTOR 2		
TANZANIA	NIL	NIL
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(c) SECTOR 3		
BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
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(d)	**SECTOR 4A**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(e)	**SECTOR 4B**		
	BURUNDI	60 (21-24 APR)	NIL
(f)	**SECTOR 4C**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	20	NTR
(g)	**SECTOR 5**		
	UGANDA	07	NTR
	ZAIRE	159	NTR

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UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 22 APR 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 212300B TO 222300B APR 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL.

(1) THE GENERAL SITUATION REMAINED CALM.

b. BORDERS.

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) GISENYI BORDER POSTS WERE CLOSED TO UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU - HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 22 APR 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 212300B TO 222300B APR 95

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	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(c)	**SECTOR 3**		
	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(d)	**SECTOR 4A**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(e)	**SECTOR 4B**		
	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(f)	**SECTOR 4C**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g)	**SECTOR 5**		
	UGANDA	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	66	NIL

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ASSISTANCE MISSION FOR RWANDA MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 19 APR 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING 182300B TO 192300B APR 95

1. SITUATION

a. GENERAL. THE OVERALL SITUATION REMAINED GENERALLY CALM. THE FOCUS OF ATTENTION WAS THE FORCED CLOSURE OF THE DPCS IN SECTOR 4A BY THE RPA. DURING THE PERIOD, THE EVACUATION OF IDPS FROM THE KIBEHO CAMP COMMENCED WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF TRUCKS PROVIDED BY UNAMIR.

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2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL.** NTR.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA.**

(a) RPA PATROL ALONG THE LAKE KIVU EXCHANGED FIRE WITH INFILTRATORS AROUND 0100 HRS ON THE LAKE NEAR THE GISENYI BREWERY AREA FOR ABOUT 5 MINUTES. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES TO THE RPA TROOPS. IT IS UNKNOWN IF THERE WERE ANY CASUALTIES TO THE OTHER PARTY. RPA LO HAS ADVISED ALL TO STAY AWAY FROM THE LAKE SIDE AFTER 1830 HRS.

(b) RPA TROOPS IN RUNDA (GR 5892) WERE REPORTED TO HAVE SEVERELY BEATEN A 37-YEAR OLD PREGNANT HUTU WOMAN IN THEIR CUSTODY. THE VICTIM WAS BROUGHT IN TO THE ICRC CENTRE IN RUNDA ON 4 APR 95. THE BEATING HAD THREATENED HER PREGNANCY AND HER HEALTH. SHE WAS FORCIBLY REMOVED FROM THE HEALTH CENTRE ON 16 APR 95 BY RPA TROOPS AND PLACED IN THE RUNDA HOLDING FACILITY. THE VICTIM HAS WRITTEN A LETTER SEEKING INTERVENTION FROM THE BOURGEMESTRE OF RUNDA. MILOBS AND SECTOR HUMAN RIGHTS MONITORS INTEND TO ATTEND TO THE MATTER TO SECURE PROPER MEDICAL ATTENTION FOR THE VICTIM.

(c) RPA TROOPS IN RUBAGANO (GR 4266) IN SECTOR 3 WERE ALLEGED TO HAVE SHOT A LOCAL IN THE CHEST ON HIS DOOR STEP WHEN HE ANSWERED A KNOCK ON HIS DOOR WITH A MACHETE IN HIS HAND. INVESTIGATIONS IN PROGRESS.

(d) RPA TROOPS IN SECTOR 4B WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEGUN THE REGISTRATION OF IDPS WILLING TO RETURN THEIR COMMUNES. AID AGENCIES WERE ALLOWED TO

DISTRIBUTE SMALL-SCALE RATIONS AND WATER TO WILLING RETURNEES. IT WAS ALSO OBSERVED THAT PATROLS IN BUTARE WERE BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE GENDARMES PRESUMABLY TO FREE TROOPS FOR THE DISMANTLING OF THE KIBEHO CAMP.

(e) RPA TROOPS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE GONE TO THE KAMANA CAMP WITH THE AIM OF CLOSING IT DOWN. A GATHERING OF ALL THE IDPS WAS ADDRESSED BY THE BN 21C OF THE GIKONGORO RPA BN. THE CAMP CHIEF WAS ORDERED TO INSTRUCT THE IDPS TO WAIT FOR TRANSPORT TO EVACUATE THEM TO THEIR HOME COMMUNES. SOME OF THE LOCALS LIVING AROUND THE CAMP WERE ALSO FORCED TO JOIN THE IDPS.

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3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ**. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS. THE DFC/CMO HELD CONFERENCE WITH UN AGENCIES AND NGOS TO URGE THEM TO COME TO THE AID OF THE OVERCROWDED DPCS SO THAT IDPS CAN BE EVACUATED FROM THE CAMPS BEFORE THEY START DYING OF HUNGER AND SUFFOCATION. UN AGENCIES AND NGOS HAVE HOWEVER DECIDED TO SEEK APPROVAL FROM THEIR VARIOUS HQS BEFORE ASSISTING SINCE THE FORCED EVACUATION OF IDPS IS AGAINST THEIR MANDATE. SOME NGOS HOWEVER AGREED TO ASSIST WITH FOOD AID STARTING ON 20 APR 95.

b. **SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA**.

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE

PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROLS TO GATUNA 0142, MUHURA 2908, KIYOMBE (GR 0940) AND BWISIGE (GR 1727). THE SITUATION WAS REPORTED NORMAL.

c. **SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO.**

(1) SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM.

(2) MILOBS INVESTIGATED A CASE OF HARASSMENT OF A WOMAN AND 6 CHILDREN IN GATI (GR 4392). (SITREP OF 18 MAR 95 REFERS). THE FAMILY IS STILL UNDER GHANBATT PROTECTION. INVESTIGATION REPORT TO BE SUBMITTED SEPARATELY.

(3) MILOB PATROLS TO GIRIMA (GR 5487) REPORTED THAT A GRENADE WAS THROWN ONTO THE FIELD BY ONE SPECTATOR DURING A FOOTBALL MATCH FOR CHILDREN UNDER 15 YEARS OLD. SIX PERSONS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED AS A RESULT OF THE INCIDENT.

d. **SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM DURING THE PERIOD. MILOBS HOWEVER EXPRESSED CONCERN ABOUT THE INCREASING ATTITUDE OF ANIMOSITY TOWARDS THEM BY LOCALS IN THE KIBUYE COMMUNE. LOCALS OFTEN APPROACHED PATROLS ASKING WHAT UNAMIR WAS DOING IN RWANDA AND DEMANDING THAT THEY GO HOME.

(2) MILOBS FOLLOWED UP THE RADIO BROADCASTS ON RADIO RWANDA INVOLVING TWO CATHOLIC FATHERS IN THE TABA (GR 8883) AND RUNDA COMMUNES. NEITHER MAN BELIEVES HIMSELF TO BE IN PERSONAL DANGER. THEY INFORMED MILOBS THE PROBLEM IS THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS NOW THE SUBJECT OF RWANDESE GOVERNMENT ACTION. THE

PRIESTS ASSERTED THAT THE LOCAL RPA HAVE ENCOURAGED THE NEGATIVE ATTITUDE EXPRESSED ON RADIO RWANDA. THE BOURGEMESTRE OF TABA COMMUNE INFORMED SECTOR 3 HQ DURING THE PERIOD THAT HE HAD DEPOSITED A TESTIMONIAL WITH THE PREFECT SUPPORTING THE PRIESTS AND DEMANDING THAT RADIO RWANDA CORRECT ITS ERROR.

(3) MILOBS PATROLS TO KAYENZI COMMUNE LEARNED IN BITARE THAT ARBITRARY ARRESTS WERE STILL BEING CARRIED OUT IN THE COMMUNE. THE NAMES OF 4 RECENTLY ARRESTED PERSONS WERE COLLECTED FOR INVESTIGATION BY THE TEAM. THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNE OFFICE INFORMED MILOBS THAT THE RPA SELDOM INFORMED THE BOURGEMESTRE OF ARRESTS AND COULD NOT PROVIDE ANY INFO ON THE ARRESTED PERSONS.

(4) PATROLS TO RUTONDE VILLAGE (GR 5880) IN THE KIVUMU COMMUNE WERE INFORMED THAT RPA TROOPS DRESSED IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES WERE HARASSING LOCALS AFTER EVERY VISIT BY UNAMIR PERSONNEL. LOCALS ALLEGED THAT RPA TROOPS APPROACHED LOCALS WHO WERE INTERVIEWED BY MILOBS AND DEMANDED A LIST OF QUESTIONS ASKED. RPA TROOPS OFTEN TRIED TO TELL THE LOCALS THAT UNAMIR WAS NO GOOD FOR RWANDA. PERSONS RECENTLY ARRESTED ON ALLEGATIONS OF PARTICIPATION IN THE GENOCIDE ARE ALSO BOUND AND DRAGGED THROUGH THE STREETS IN RECENT TIMES.

(5) A PATROL TO KAVUMU SECTEUR (GR 3355) OF GISIVU COMMUNE WAS UNABLE TO GATHER ANY INFORMATION DUE TO THE PRESENCE OF RPA TROOPS WHO FOLLOWED THEM THROUGHOUT THEIR PATROL AND HARASSED THEM THROUGH THEIR INTERPRETER.

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(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR WAS CALM EXCEPT IN THE KIBEHO AND NDAGO CAMPS WHERE THERE WAS REPORTED TO BE

TENSION DUE TO THE IMMINENT FORCED CLOSURE OF THE CAMPS BY RPA TROOPS.

(3) MILOBS PATROLLED THE KIBEHO CAMP TO MONITOR THE EVACUATION OF IDPS. IT WAS ALSO REPORTED THAT MOST OF THE IDPS FROM THE MUNINI CAMP WHICH WAS CLOSED DOWN BY RPA

HAD CONVERGED ON THE ZAMBATT PL POSN FOR ASSISTANCE.

f. **SECTOR 4B - BUTARE.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOBS PATROLS TO KIBEHO AND NDAGO IN SECTOR 4A REPORTED THAT ALL UN AGENCIES AND NGOS HAD SHUNNED THE EXERCISE AND THAT ONLY UNAMIR HAD DESPATCHED VEHICLES TO ASSIST IN THE CLOSURE EXERCISE. A TOTAL OF 14 UNAMIR TRUCKS TRANSPORTED 825 PERSONS FROM THE CAMP TO VARIOUS COMMUNES IN THE BUTARE PREFECTURE. 2 PERSONS WERE ALSO REPORTED DEAD FORM INJURIES SUSTAINED IN THE STAMPEDE DURING THE RPA CORDON AND SEARCH EXERCISE ON 18 APR 95.

g. **SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN THE SECTOR REMAINED UNSTABLE. SEVERAL ACTS OF BANDITRY WERE REPORTED IN PARTS OF THE SECTOR. SOME LOCALS ARE STILL SEEKING UNAMIR PROTECTION WITH MILOBS AT NIGHT IN NYAMASHEKE. THE UVIRA CROSSING POINT REMAINS CLOSED ON THE RWANDESE SIDE.

(2) MILOBS REPORTED THAT BETWEEN 2200-0100 HRS ON THE NIGHT 18/19 APR 95, 19 ARMED BANDITS DRESSED IN MILITARY UNIFORMS CROSSED THE LAKE IN A LARGE ROWING BOAT AND ROBBED 7 HOUSEHOLDS OF ALL PROPERTY AND LIVESTOCK IN GASAYO (GR 9941). THE BANDITS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE LEFT A LIST OF 7 INDIVIDUALS WHO HAD BEEN TARGETED FOR KILLING ON CHARGES OF BEING TRAITORS. THE MESSAGE ALSO WARNED

YOUNG MEN TO BE MAKE THEMSELVES READY FOR TRAINING AT IJWI. ONE MAN WAS KIDNAPPED AFTER HIS HOUSE WAS ROBBED. THERE WERE NO DEATHS FROM THESE INCIDENTS HOWEVER SEVERAL PERSONS WERE INJURED. LOCALS REPORTED THAT THIS GROUP HAD BEEN THE SAME ONE THAT CARRIED OUT THE ROBBERIES ON 17 APR 95. THEY IDENTIFIED SOME OF THE BANDITS AS FORMER RESIDENTS OF THE AREA.

(2) MILOBS REPORTED HEARING THE FIRE OF AT LEAST ONE HEAVY MACHINE GUN AND SMALL ARMS OFF THE SOUTH-EASTERN COAST OF IJWI ISLAND AROUND 1630 HRS. THE FIRING LASTED APPROXIMATELY 30 MINS. IT WAS NOT AIMED AT THE MAINLAND. MILOBS SURMISE THAT SOME FORM OF TRAINING MUST HAVE BEEN TAKING PLACE ON THE ISLAND.

(3) MILOBS HELD CONFERENCE WITH THE SUB-PREFECT AND RPA COMD OF BUGUYUMA TO DISCUSS THE INCIDENT OF 14 APR 95. THE SUB-PREFECT AND RPA COMD'S REMARKS INDICATED THEIR SUSPICIONS OF AN ORGANISED ATTEMPT BY THE FRGF AND MILITIA TO CONTINUOUSLY HARASS THE RPA AND RECRUIT LOCALS FOR TRAINING WITH THE ULTIMATE AIM OF STAGING A COMEBACK TO RWANDA. THEY SAID THEY EXPECTED MORE OF SIMILAR INCIDENTS IN THE FUTURE.

(4) ABOUT 40 LOCALS FROM NYAMASHEKE WERE REPORTED TO BE STILL CAMPED OUTSIDE THE MILOBS ACCOMMODATION FOR PROTECTION.

(5) MILOBS ATTENDED A REPATRIATION MEETING WITH PREFECT OF CYANGUGU AND REPS OF NGOS, HUMAN RIGHTS AND LOCALS AUTHORITIES TO PLAN THE EXECUTION OF ORGANISED REPATRIATION OF IDPS FROM THE SECTOR.

(6) REPORTS WERE ALSO RECEIVED OF AN ATTACK ON THE VIRARA CAMP NEAR BUKAVU WHICH OCCURRED ON 11 PR 95 IN

AREA CAUSED BY THE LACK OF RAIN. THE GENERAL SITUATION WAS GENERALLY CALM IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

k. **AIR OPS.**

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA WAS NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 16 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

a.	UNAMIR	10.
b.	HUMANITARIAN	02.
c.	OTHERS	04.

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.**

a. A TOTAL OF 825 IDPS WERE EVACUATED BY UNAMIR TRUCKS FROM THE KIBEHO CAMP IN SECTOR 4A TO VARIOUS COMMUNES IN THE BUTARE PREFECTURE.

b. CARITAS DISTRIBUTED SEEDS AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS TO LOCALS IN THE BWISIGE COMMUNE IN SECTOR 1. IN THE SAME COMMUNE, BELGIAN RED CROSS PROVIDED MEDICINES TO THE HEALTH CENTRE AND DISPENSARY AT NYAHAGANA (GR 2029).

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.** NTR

6. **LOGISTICS.** NTR.

7. **MISC.**

a. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) SECTOR 1		
GATUNA	NTR	NIL

	KAGITUMBA	690 (150 Cattle)	NIL
(b)	**SECTOR 2**		
	TANZANIA	NIL	NIL
	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(c)	**SECTOR 3**		
	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(d)	**SECTOR 4A**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(e)	**SECTOR 4B**		
	BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(f)	**SECTOR 4C**		
	BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
	ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g)	**SECTOR 5**		
	UGANDA	NIL	NIL
	ZAIRE	198	NIL

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UNAMIR - MINUAR

MILOB GP HQ

TO : FHQ Date : 16 APR 95

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : **DAILY SITREP COVERING 152300B TO 162300B APR 95**

1. **SITUATION**

a. **GENERAL.** THE SITUATION WAS GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD, ACCEPT SECTOR 4C. THE SITUATION IN SECTOR 4C REMAINS UNSTABLE WITH THE RE - OCCURRING OF BANDITRY, ROBBERY AND KILLINGS IN NYAMASHEKE AREA AFTER A SHORT PERIOD RELATIVELY CALMNESS DURING THE LAST WEEK AND A SERIOUS INCIDENT IN BUGARAMAAREA.

b. **BORDERS**

(1) GATUNA AND KAGITUMBA BORDER POSTS WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) RUSUMO BORDER POST (RWANDA/TANZANIA) REMAINED OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC DURING THE PERIOD.

(3) RUSIZI BORDER POST IN SECT 4C WAS OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

(4) GISENYI BORDER POSTS WERE CLOSED TO UNAMIR PERS. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN/ RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDER POST.

(5) BOTH BORDER POSTS AT SECTOR 4B (KANYARU- HAUTE AND KANYARU - BAS) WERE OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC.

2. **FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

a. **POLITICAL.** RWANDAISE DELEGATION VISITED UGANDA REPORTED THAT MILITIA CONTINUES INTENSIVE TRAINING IN SOME CAMPS CLOSE TO THE BORDER. THIS WAS REPORTED BY MILOBS FROM SECTOR THREE.

b. **MILITARY**

(1) **RPA.**

(a) AT ALL THE SECTORS (ALMOST) RPA IS MAINTAINING BOTH FOOT AND VEH PATROLS WITHIN AOR BOTH BY DAY AND NIGHT.

(b) SECTOR 4B MILOB REPORTED THAT UNAMIR VEH NO 3572 FROM ZAMBAT WAS IMPOUNDED BY GENDAMERIE AFTER DETAINING THE DRIVER FOR OVER NINE HOURS. VEH WAS INVOLVED IN A ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENT.

(c) SECTOR THREE MILOB REPORTED THAT RPA TRAINING IS CONTINUING IN THE CAMP IN KIBUYE. THEY ALSO CONTINUES PATROLLING AND MANNING THE CHECK POINTS.

(d) SECTOR 4C MILOB REPORTED THAT ON 14 APR'95 AT AROUND 1930 HR'S TWO MEN, ONE WOMAN, AND A BOY CAME TO MILOB LOCATION TO SEEK HELP. THEY ARE AFRAID OF BEING KILLED BY RPA.

(e) SECTOR 4C MILOB CAME TO KNOW REGARDING THE KILLING AT BUGARAMA. THEY WERE INFORMED THAT ON 14 APR 95 AT ABOUT 1100-1230 HRS 8 BANDITS

ATTACKED 2 RPA SOLDIERS IN NYABISHUNGU AREA, ONE RPA SOLDIER WAS KILLED AND ONE WAS INJURED. THAT RPA SOLDIER INFORMED HIS COMRADES ABOUT THIS INCIDENT. THE SAME DAY BETWEEN 1300 TO 1500 HRS APPROX 20 RPA SOLDIERS CAME TO NYABISHUNGU AREA, TAKING 17 MEN (LOCAL CIVILIANS) FROM THE ROAD, BROUGHT THEM TO THE BANK OF RUBYIRO RIVER (IN NYABISHUNGO AREA) AND SHOT THEM ALL. MILOB ALSO INFORMED THAT OUT OF THIS 17 ONE COULD SURVIVE WITH BULLET INJURY, AND LATER CAME TO MASHESHA HOSPITAL GR 895133. HE IS A FARMER FROM NYASHUNGO NAMED NTAWUMEN NYAMUNS AGED 19 YEARS. MILOBS TEAM THEN WENT TO THE SPOT, WHERE THE KILLING TOOK PLACE, FOR FURTHER CONFIRMATION WITH THE HELP OF A LOCAL BOY. THEY FOUND 16 DEAD BODIES FRESH LAYING ON THE RIVER BANK OF RIVER RUBYIRO GR 9112 APPROX 2 KMS EAST OF THE VILLAGE NYABISHUNGO. MILOB COULD SEE SOME AMMUNITION OF" AK - 47" RIFLE ON THAT SPOT.ON THEIR WAY BACK THEY MET 5 RPA SOLDIERS WITH 1 OFFR (CAPT) AND THE BURGAMASTER OF BUGARAMA COMMUNE PROCEEDING IN DIRECTION OF THE KILLING GROUND.

(f) SECTOR 4C MILOB FURTHER REPORTED THAT ON 15 APR'95 RPA PUT 5 MEN IN PRISON.

(g) SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE WEEK THERE ARE APPROX 15 RPA SOLDIERS DEPLOYED TO CIMERWA CEMENT FACTORY OBVIOUSLY TO PROVIDE SECURITY TO THE FACTORY AND THE PRISON NEXT TO IT.

(h) ON 15 APR 95 AT ABOUT 2200 HRS A SKIRMISH BETWEEN RPA AND BANDITS WITH SMALL ARMS FIRETOOK PLACE AT GR 9840, AT THE SHORE OF LAKE KIVU. ONE RPA SOLDIER WAS WOUNDED

(2) FRGF. NTR.

3. **OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES**

a. **MILOB GP HQ**. CONTINUED COORDINATION AND MONITORING OF MILOBS ACTIVITIES IN THE SECTORS.

b. **SECTOR 1 - BYUMBA**

(1) THE SECTOR WAS REPORTED CALM.

(2) THE NGARAMA SUB SECTOR HQ LOCATED AT GITUZA HAS BEEN CLOSED DOWN TODAY.

(3) THE OP AT NYAGATARE HAS NOW BEEN OCCUPIED BY A TEAM OF FOUR MILOBS ON WEEKLY BASIS.

(4) PATROLS CARRIED OUT AT GATUNA GR 0142 OUT POST.SITUATION REPORTED TO BE CALM.

c. **SECTOR 2 - KIBUNGO**

(1) THE SECTOR WAS CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) TEAMS PATROLLED AT KIBUNGO, KIGARAMA 6270, KABORONDO 6278, RWAMAGANA, BIRENGA 5958, SAKE 4453, ZAZA, KUGASERAMA RILIMA 2561, GASHORE 2655, RUTRETE 2242. SITUATION REPORTED AT ALL THE PLACES WAS NORMAL AND CALM.

d. **SECTOR 3 - GITARAMA/KIBUYE**

(1) ONE MILOB TEAM CONDUCTED A CONFIDENCE PATROL TO AREA TABA GR 6322 AND RUNDA COMMUNES REPORTED THAT THE SITUATION WAS CALM, NORMAL ACTIVITIES IN BOTH AREAS.

(2) TWO MORE CONFIDENCE PATROLS WERE SENT OUT FROM KIBUYE SUB SECTOR. ONE WENT THROUGH GITESI COMMUNE AND THE OTHER WENT THROUGH MABANZA COMMUNE. THE PATROL REPORTED THAT THE CONDITION OF THE ROAD IS AT PLACES

VERY BAD.AT PLACES ROADS ARE IMPASSABLE SPECIALLY AT ROAD KIBUYE - CYANGUGU. DUE TO THE INCREASE RATE OF RAINFALL THE CONDITION OF THE ROAD WILL BECOME FURTHER WORSEN.

e. **SECTOR 4A - GIKONGORO**

(1) THE SIT IN THE SECTOR REMAINED GENERALLY CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) PATROLS WERE CONDUCTED AT KIGEME 4725 AND GIKONGORO. THE SITUATION WAS REPORTED TO BE CALM.

(3) MILOBS ALSO PATROLLED THE DP CAMPS AND BORDER POSTS AS PART OF OPS RETOUR AND RUBY. THE TEAM PATROLLED NDAGO 5202 AND KIBEHO 5107. THE SITUATION REPORTED TO BE CALM.

f. **SECTOR 4B - BUTARE**

(1) THE SECTOR WAS REPORTED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROLS TO KANYARU-HAUTE BORDER POST GR 6391 AND REPORTED GENERAL SITUATION TO BE CALM.

g. **SECTOR 4C - CYANGUGU**

(1) THE SITUATION STILL REMAINED CALM AND PEACEFUL THROUGHOUT THE SECTOR DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) MILOBS CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PATROLS IN SEVERAL PARTS OF THEIR AOR. SITUATION WAS CALM IN ALL AREAS PATROLLED.

h. **SECTOR 5 - GISENYI**

(1) THE SECTOR WAS REPORTED CALM DURING THE PERIOD.

(2) TWO MILOB TEAM PATROLLED GISENYI AND SUROUNDING AREAS. SITUATION REPORTED CALM.

(3) ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED RUHENGERI AND ADJOIGNED AREAS. SITUATION CALM.

j. **SECTOR 6- KIGALI**

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIGALI CITY AND SURROUNDING AREAS REMAINED CALM.

(2) MILOBS CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE AREA OF RSPONSIBILITY. SITUATION REPORTED TO BE CALM.

(3) SECTOR SIX MILOB REPORTED THAT WHILE UNAMIR 1006 WAS PARKED IN FRONT OF THE AUSTRIAN VILLA GR 123834 THE LEFT REAR DOOR WINDOW WAS BROKEN AND A FIRST AID KID WAS STOLEN. THE PARKING LOT INSIDE THE VILLA WAS ALREADY OCCUPIED AND THE VEH WAS PROPERLY LOCKED. HE THEFT WAS DISCOVERED AT 0144. MILITARY POLICE WAS INFORMED.

k. **AIR OPS**.

(1) THE SITUATION IN KIA REMAINED CALM OVER THE PERIOD.

(2) A TOTAL OF 15 FLIGHTS WERE OPERATED IN KIA TODAY. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

(a)	UNAMIR	-	7.
(b)	COMMERCIAL	-	4.
(c)	HUMANITARIAN	-	NIL.
(d)	CHARTERED	-	4.

4. **HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES**.

a. SECTOR 4C MILOBS REPORTED THAT SECTOR CDR AND THE HUM OFFR WILL ATTEND EASTER CELEBRATIONS ON 16 APR 95 AT MISERICORDE ORPHANAGE.

5. **CIVILIAN AFFAIRS.**

a. IN SECTOR 4C, SECTOR CDR AND HUM OFFR ATTENDED CEREMONIES CARRIED OUT IN THE MBILIZI GR 821161 IN REMEMBERENCE OF THE VICTIMS OF THE GENOCIDE. PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF INTERIORAND JUSTICE ALSO ATTENDED DIFFERENT CEREMONIES. THEY CAME BY UN HELICOPTER AND LEFT AT ABOUT 1645 HOURS.

6. **LOGISTICS.**

(1) SECTOR THREE MILOB REPORTED, THEIR TWO VEH'S WERE GROUNDED AT KIBUYE BECAUSE OF FLAT TIRES. SUGGEST FACILITY TO REPAIR TIRES BE GIVEN TO MALAWICOY OR TWO SPARE TIRES PROVIDED KEEPING IN VIEW THE ATROCIOUS ROAD CONDITION IN THIS SUB SECTOR.

7. **MISC**

a. **DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING**

(1) AREAS	INFLOW	OUTFLOW
(a) SECTOR 1		
UGANDA	05	NIL
KAGITUMBA	NIL	NIL
(b) SECTOR 2		
(i) TANZANIA	NIL	NIL
(ii) BURUNDI	NIL	NIL
(c) SECTOR 3		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(d) SECTOR 4A		
BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(e) SECTOR 4B		
BURUNDI	02 (14-16)	NIL
(f) SECTOR 4C		
(i) BURUNDI	NTR	NTR
(ii) ZAIRE	NTR	NTR
(g) SECTOR 5		

UGANDA	NIL	NIL
ZAIRE	93	NIL

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