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MRF 123 # 105	MISC 97	22/1	"	Operational Info.
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URGENT FAX NO. 492
APR 1 1994

MAJ GEN R A DALLAIRE FC UNAMIR KIGALI	FROM: LTC NOORDY A/CMO UNOMUR KABALE
NO: (07) 84266	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: UNOMUR INFOSUM/15 PERIOD 28 MAR TO 05 APR 94	

THE SITUATION IN UNOMUR AREA IS QUITE CALM

ON 28 MAR, AROUND SEVEN MILLION PEOPLE WENT TO THE POLLING STATIONS THROUGHOUT UGANDA TO VOTE FOR THEIR REPRESENTATIVES IN THE C.A. THE ELECTION WAS MONITORED BY AN INTERNATIONAL TEAM OF OBSERVERS AND TOOK PLACE IN A VERY CALM AND RELIABLE ATMOSPHERE. THE NATIONAL RESISTANCE MOVEMENT (NRM), OF H.E. PRESIDENT MUSEVENI, SEEMS TO GET THE MAJORITY OF THE SEATS IN THE FUTURE C.A. WE ARE AWAITING THE FINAL RESULTS TO GET A BETTER PICTURE OF THE POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS TO THE COUNTRY AND POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS ON UNOMUR MANDATE.

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Direction	Type	Licence	Pass	Remarks
RWANDA		KV5785C	7	TO MU
RWANDA	BMW CAR	UAF555	4	
RWANDA	BMW CAR	UAF555	4	TC MU
RWANDA	CAR	UAA280	5	TO MU
RWANDA	CAR	UAE010	3	TO MU
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAA281	14	FR KLA
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAB919	17	
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAE162	17	TO MU/20V
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAF012	16	FR KLA
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAF334	16	FR KLA
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAH260	13	TO MU
RWANDA	KOMBI	UPL997	15	FR KLA
RWANDA	KOMBI	UPM280	16	TO MU
RWANDA	KOMBI	UPS624	15	TO MU
RWANDA	PUP	UAB048	8	TO RPF?
RWANDA	PUP	UVL650	5	POTAT, SUGAR
RWANDA	PUP	UVP532	21	TO MU
RWANDA	ST WAGON	BR5413	5	FR KLA/TO MU
RWANDA	TOY COMBI	BR 2085	16	FR KLA
RWANDA	TRUCK	UPF198	7	BANANAS
RWANDA		KV3581C	1	TO MU
RWANDA		UPK875	2	
RWANDA	CAR	AC3029	2	
RWANDA	CAR	KVP430B	3	FROM ZAIRE
RWANDA	CAR	UPQ391	5	FR KLA
RWANDA	JEEP	UPA791	4	FR KLE
RWANDA	JEEP	UXR147	8	FR KLA
RWANDA	KOMBI	AC2010	1	
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAE689	9	
RWANDA	KOMBI	UAF691	16	FR KLA TO MU
RWANDA	KOMBI	UPI368	25	
RWANDA	KOMBI	UPK195	11	
RWANDA	KOMBI	UPR421	9	
RWANDA	PUP	BR2372	17	FR MBR
RWANDA	PUP	UPB304	1	SUGAR, BREAD
RWANDA	PUP	UPJ012	8	FR KLA TO MU
RWANDA	PUP	UPN154	2	TO KLI
RWANDA	PUP	UVB888	1	MAIZE
RWANDA	PUP	UVQ082	2	
RWANDA	PUP	UXB280	11	
RWANDA	TRUCK	UPF918	2	FR KLE
RWANDA	TRUCKS (25)	SEVERAL		IN WFP
RWANDA	CAR	UPS454	2	
RWANDA	PUP	UAB048	4	
RWANDA	PUP	UAB049	6	TO BYU
RWANDA	PUP	UPB304	2	
RWANDA	TRUCK	UPJ394	2	MAIZE TO BYU

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Direction	Type	Licence	Pass	Remarks
UGANDA		KV3581C	3	TO KLA
UGANDA	BMW CAR	UAF555	4	
UGANDA	JEEP	UPK246	3	TO MBR
UGANDA	PUP	UAB049	5	TO KLA
UGANDA	PUP	UPX273	2	TO MBR
UGANDA	PUP	UVL650	5	TO KLE
UGANDA	TRUCK	UPF198	2	
UGANDA		UPA791	4	TO KLE
UGANDA		UXR147	8	TO KLA
UGANDA	CAR	KVP430B	2	TO ZAIRE
UGANDA	KOMBI	AC2001	6	
UGANDA	PUP	UAF691	18	TO MBR
UGANDA	PUP	UPN154	2	
UGANDA	PUP	UKB280	7	
UGANDA	TRUCK	UPF918	2	
UGANDA	TRUCK	UPF532	1	TO MBR
UGANDA		AC3024	2	TO MBR
UGANDA	BMW CAR	UAF555	3	FR MU TO KLA
UGANDA	CAR	UAA280	5	TO KLA
UGANDA	CAR	UAA696	3	
UGANDA	CAR	UPS454	4	TO MBR
UGANDA	COROLLA	UPO391	4	FR MU TO KLA
UGANDA	JEEP	UPA791	3	TO KLE
UGANDA	JEEP	UPA791	4	
UGANDA	KOMBI	UAA201	14	TO KLA
UGANDA	KOMBI	UAB919	10	TO KLA
UGANDA	KOMBI	UAB162	16	FR MU
UGANDA	KOMBI	UAE689	9	TO KLA
UGANDA	KOMBI	UAF012	14	
UGANDA	KOMBI	UAH260	11	TO MSK
UGANDA	KOMBI	UAH420	16	TO MBR
UGANDA	KOMBI	UP7	8	FR MU TO KLA
UGANDA	KOMBI	UPI368	25	
UGANDA	KOMBI	UPM286	15	TO KLA
UGANDA	PUP	UAB048	3	
UGANDA	PUP	UAB048	5	
UGANDA	PUP	UPB304	2	
UGANDA	PUP	UVB599	1	TO MBR
UGANDA	PUP	UVQ082	1	
UGANDA	TOY	BR5413	4	FR MU TO KLA
UGANDA	TOY	KV57850	5	FR MU TO KLA
UGANDA	TOY	UPK875	6	FR MU TO KLA
UGANDA	TRUCK	UVP532	26	FR MU TO MBR
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TO: MGEN DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI	FROM: COL. ASHAR A/CMO, UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266 Misc 323	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: INFORMATION BORDER AREA	

REFERENCE CODE CABLE NO. 186, DATED 7 MARCH 1994

1. THANK YOU FOR THE RELEVANT INFORMATION I AGREE WITH YOUR QUALIFICATION "SKETCHY INFORMATION" SINCE NO DEGREE OF RELIABILITY OF THE SOURCE AND NO DEGREE OF THE PROBABILITY OF THE INFORMATION HAS BEEN ADJUDGED.
2. ALLOW ME TO ADVISE THE MIO FOR THE FUTURE TO ADJUDGE TO THE GIVEN INFORMATION THE RELIABILITY OF THE SOURCE (LETTER A-F) AND THE PROBABILITY OF THE INFORMATION (FIGURES 1-6).
3. TO MY ASSESSMENT, I DO NOT RULE OUT THE POSSIBILITIES OF SUBJECT ARMS SMUGGLING THROUGH UGANDA-ZAIRE BORDER DUE TO FOLLOWING CONSIDERATIONS:

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- A. OBVIOUS PROBLEM OF USING EXISTING ROUTES ALONG UGANDA-RWANDA BORDER SINCE IT IS MONITORED BY UNOMUR;
- B. ALTERNATIVELY, POSSIBLE ROUTES FROM UGANDA THROUGH ZAIRE INTO RWANDA ALONG KISORO-BUNAGAMA ROAD SINCE UNOMUR HAS NO MANDATE TO CHECK ANY VEHICLE ON THAT ROUTE. THIS WAS TRIED A WEEK AGO BUT WE WERE DEBARRED BY NRA;
- C. BESIDES, OFTEN IN THE RECENT PAST, ZAIRE DEMONSTRATED "DOUBTFUL" ATTITUDE TO REBELLIOUS ORGANISATIONS;
- D. POSSIBILITIES OF THIS INFORMATION HAVING LINK WITH OUR INFORMATION SENT VIDE OUR CODE CABLE NO. 305 DATED 1 MARCH 1994 CANNOT ALSO BE RULED OUT.

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4. IN VIEW OF ABOVE AND AS PER YOUR DIRECTION WE HAVE:

- A. INCREASED THE DEGREE OF VIGILANCE AT ALL BORDER CROSSINGS BETWEEN UGANDA-RWANDA;
- B. PATROLLING HAS BEEN INTENSIFIED UPTO THE LIMIT OF MAXIMIZING;
- C. DEVELOPED A PROGRAMME TO IMPROVE THE PATROLLING SKILLS OF TEAM MEMBERS AND THE DEBRIEFING SKILLS OF HQ STAFF (BEING IMPLEMENTED);
- D. INTENSIFIED THE ACTIVITIES TO ACQUIRE INFORMATION ABOUT THE CONDITION OF THE ROAD ALONG ZAIRE-RWANDA BORDER, INTENSITY OF LORRY MOVEMENTS, PRESENCE OF TROOPS (IF ANY), FIRSTLY ALONG UGANDA/ZAIRE AND

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SECONDLY ZAIRE /RWANDA BORDER AREAS. THIS IS BEING TRIED THROUGH TOURISTS (FRIENDLY IN RESPONSE) WHO ARE COMING FROM ZAIRE BORDER. ADDITIONALLY SUPPORTED BY OUR OWN LIMITED OBSERVATION.

5. I MAY ADVISE AND REQUEST YOU TO CONSIDER THE POSSIBILITIES OF ESTABLISHING OP/CHUCK POST AT POSSIBLE CROSSING POINTS AT RPF SIDE ALONG ZAIRE/RWANDA BORDER BESIDE PATROLLING.

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6. INFORMATION RELATED TO PARAGRAPH 1(A) OF YOUR CODE CABLE BEING PURSUED. WILL BE INTIMATED IF WE CAN GATHER ANY INFORMATION.

7. BEST REGARDS.

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TO: BGEN DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI	FROM: COL ASRAR A/CMO, UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266 MISC 308	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: [REDACTED]	

1. THE SITUATION INSIDE UNOMUR AREA IS GENERALLY CALM.
2. DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, UNOMUR CP/OPS AND PATROLS HAVE MONITORED THE TRAFFIC OF PERSONNEL AND SUPPLY THROUGH THE BORDER UGANDA/RWANDA. THE FIGURES ACCUMULATED IN THIS MONTH AND THE ANALYSIS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. AT KATUNA OP/CP:

NUMBER OF CROSSINGS: 1,200 VEHICLE CROSSINGS (WFP AND ICRC CONVOYS ARE COUNTED AS A SINGLE CROSSING EACH).

WITHIN THE CROSSINGS TO RWANDA, 26 TRUCKS WERE CARRYING FOOD, AND 06 WERE CARRYING FUEL, THIS INDICATES THAT THE FOOD SUPPLY IS MORE THAN THE AVERAGE OF NOV/DEC BUT BELOW THE FIGURES OF JANUARY. THE INCREASE IN FEBRUARY WAS EQUAL TO 120 TONS OF FOOD ABOVE THE AVERAGE. FROM THE TOTAL AMOUNT, 07 TRUCKS WERE CARRYING BEANS AND 15 TRUCKS WITH MAIZE. THE FUEL SUPPLY INCREASED BY

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ONE TRUCK; FROM THE 06 CROSSINGS, FOUR TRUCKS
CARRIED PETROL.

- UNCOMMON LOADS: ON 14TH FEB ONE PICK-UP CROSSED
TO RWANDA CARRYING SPARE PARTS FOR VEHICLES.

- 687 PEOPLE CROSSED TO RWANDA AND 638 TO UGANDA;
THESE FIGURES INCLUDE THE DRIVERS OF THE VEHICLES.

B. AT LUBIRIZI CP/CP (MONITORED BY PATROLS):

- NUMBER OF CROSSINGS: 03, ALL TO RWANDA.

- WITHIN THE CROSSINGS TO RWANDA, 01 WAS CARRYING
FOOD; NO FUEL SUPPLY WAS DETECTED PASSING
THROUGH LUBIRIZI.

C. AT CYANIKA CP/CP: NO CROSSINGS WERE SEEN DURING THE
PERIOD.

3. REGARDING THE REFUGEE MOVEMENT, WE SEE AN INCREASE OF
NUMBER STARTING FROM 28 FEB UP TO 02 MAR WHEN 70 NEW
REFUGEES CROSSED THROUGH LUBIRIZI/KASHEKYE AREA.

4. ON THE 27TH FEB, AROUND 0900HRS ONE TRUCK CARRYING 87 MEN
AGED 16-26 CROSSED THROUGH KATUNA TO RWANDA. THEY CLAIMED
TO BE REFUGEES FROM KABALE AREA RETURNING TO THEIR HOMES IN
RWANDA. HOWEVER, THEY WERE NOT CARRYING ANY PERSONAL
BAGGAGES. IT SEEMS THEY WERE NOT REFUGEES AND COULD BE
RECRUITS FOR RPF.

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03 MARCH 1994

TO: DALLAIRE FC/UNAMIR HQ Force KIGALI	FROM: ASRAR - Col A/CHO - UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266 MISC 301	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: UNOMUR INFORMANTS	

1. IN INVITING ATTENTION TO YOUR QUESTION WE GUESS THAT THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION MENTIONED ARE MORE THAN ONE. SINCE NOVEMBER 1993, Mr JOSEPH BUKEYE, FROM THE RWANDAN EMBASSY IN UGANDA HAS LOOKED FOR OUR LIAISON OFFICERS IN KAMPALA, LT GAGNON AND MAJ HASSAN, TO PASS INFORMATION ABOUT RPF ACTIVITIES AND ROUTES OF SUPPLY.
2. THE "NEW" SOURCE IS KNOWN BY MIO SINCE SEPTEMBER 93, BUT ONLY STARTED TO GIVE INFORMATION TO US FROM LAST DECEMBER AND ONLY VERY FEW CONTACTS WERE MADE SINCE THEN. THAT FIRST INFORMATION WAS CONFIRMED (THAT ~~UNOMUR MP/SIG/ENG OFFICER~~ IS THE RPF MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE), BY RPF OFFICERS. IT HAS WORKED ALSO WITH UNOMUR MP/SIG/ENG OFFICER (MAJ NTHOBELANG) SINCE THE SAME DATE.
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TO: DALLAIR, FC
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FROM:

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FAX NO: (07) 84285

FAX NO: 256 486-23816

SUBJECT: CLARIFICATION OF SITREP COVERING PERIOD 011000 LT TO
021000 LT MARCH 84

THE CABLE WAS WRITTEN BY THE COO, BASED ON THE DAILY REPORT OF AREA EAST. THE INFORMATION IN DETAIL WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

THE RPF SOLDIERS HAVE INCREASED FROM THREE TO ROUGHLY TWENTY AT KASHEKYE BORDER POST. THERE WAS ALSO A COMMAND VEHICLE (LANDROVER) AT THE POST. MEANING THAT A SENIOR OFFICER COULD BE STAYING IN THE AREA. TEAM INDIA, GOLF AND OTHERS USED TO DISCUSS WITH THESE RPF SOLDIERS ON MANY PREVIOUS OCCASIONS, BUT TODAY (1 MARCH) THEY TURNED TO BE HOSTILE THAT THEY EVEN CHASED US AWAY. TO AVOID THE CHAOS WE ADVISED THE TEAMS NOT TO GO TOO NEAR TO THEM.

BASED ON AN ASSESSMENT OF AREA EAST THE INCREASE OF BOTH
FORCES (FROM THE INTERROGATION OF THE PATROL WE HAVE

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THE IMPRESSION THAT ALSO THE RGF IS INCREASING IN THAT AREA) IN
LUBIRIZI AND KAFUNZO INDICATE THAT EITHER OF THE PROCES MAY GO FOR
OFFENSIVE.

IN MY OPINION THE INDICATION "THEY MAY GO FOR OFFENSIVE" IS
A LITTLE PREMATURE AND TEARKE OUT FROM AREA REPORT
CONTEXT. OFFENSIVE HERE IS MEANT A LITTLE AGGRESSIVE AND
NOT GOING FOR ATTACK.

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TO: DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI	FROM: ASRAR A/CMO, UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84265	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: SITREP COVERING PERIOD 011000 LT TO 021000 LT MARCH 94	

I. GENERAL SITUATION

THE UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS CALM.

II. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

A. POLITICAL

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B. MILITARY

1) NRA NTR

2) RPF NTR

3) OTHERS NTR

III. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

A. HQS

THE CMO AND THE OUTGOING CMO LEFT FOR KAMPALA AT 020830
MARCH TO MEET THE ARMY COMMANDER, THE HIGH
COMMISSIONERS AND EMBASSIES.

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B. SECTORS

1) KAHALE

PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT AS PER SCHEDULE.

2) KISORO

PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT AS PER SCHEDULE.

IV. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES

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V. CIVIL AFFAIRS

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VI. LOGISTICS

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VIII. MISCELLANEOUS

- (1) FROM UGANDA TO RWANDA - FIVE (5) VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER FROM UGANDA TO RWANDA WITH TEN (10) MALE PASSENGERS. THEY WERE CARRYING FOLLOWING ITEMS FOR RPF:

- 200 KILOGRAMS OF SUGAR

- 12 TONS OF MAIZE.

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(2) FROM RWANDA TO UGANDA - SIX (6) VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER WITH TWENTY TWO (22) MALE PASSENGERS AND TWO (2) FEMALE PASSENGERS.

(3) RPF HAS INCREASED ITS STRENGTH AT KASHUKYE BORDER POST AND THEY WERE SEEMS TO BE HOSTILE IN BEHAVIOUR WITH UNMOS.

(4) COMMENTS IT SEEMS THAT RPF IS BUILDING UP ITS STRENGTH BOTH MILITARILY AND LOGISTICALLY WHICH INDICATES THAT THEY MAY GO FOR OFFENSIVE.

VIII. REGARDS

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OUTGOING FAX No: 3/5
02 MARCH 1994

TO: Capt CLAEYS MIO/UNAMIR HQ Force KIGALI	FROM: ASRAR - Col A/CMO - UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: INFORMATION ABOUT NRA	

1. IN INVITING ATTENTION TO OUR FAXES DATED 01ST MARCH, WE SEND TO YOU A COPY FROM THE MILITARY ANNUAL BALANCE - 1992, REGARDING THE NRA; SOME WEAPONS MENTIONED ON THE FORMER DOCUMENTS CAN BE SEEN IN THIS INVENTORY. AREA WEST IS PLANNING THEIR EFFORTS AND ACTIONS CAREFULLY TO LOOK FOR THE GUNS.
2. REGARDS.

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TOTAL ARMED FORCES:
ACTIVE: 870,000-100,000.

NATIONAL RESISTANCE ARMY (NRA):
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EQUIPMENT:

MBT: some T-54/-55.

APC: some BTR-60, 4 OT-64 SKOT.

TOWED ARTY: 76mm: 60 M-1942, 122mm: 20 M-1938

MORTARS: 82mm: 120mm: Softam.

ATGW: 40 AT-3 Sagger.

AD GUNS: 14.5mm: ZPU-1/-2/-4; 23mm: ZU-23;

37mm: M-1939.

SAM: SA-7.

AVIATION: 10 cbt act, 5 armed hel.

FGA: 4 MIG-17F.

TRAINING: 3 L-39, 4* S-211, 4 SF-260, 2* -260W.

HELICOPTERS:

ATTACK: 5 AB-412.

TRANSPORT: 3 Bell 205, 4 Bell 206, 2 Bell

412, 1 Bell 212, 4 Mi-17.

TRANSPORT/LIAISON: 2 AS-202B, 1-L100, 1

Gulfstream II.

POLICE AIR WING:

AIRCRAFT: 1 DHC-2, 1 DHC-4, 1 DHC-6.

HELICOPTERS: 2 Bell 206, 4 Bell 212.

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OUTGOING FAX No 311

TO: DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI <i>MISC 287</i>	FROM: ASRAR A/CMO, UNOMUR <i>END</i> KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: MI BRANCH	

1. IN INVITING ATTENTION TO OUR FAX DATED 01 MARCH WE INFORM YOU THAT THE SOURCE IS WORKING FOR US SINCE SEPTEMBER 93. THE RELATIONSHIP IS VERY INTIMATE AND GRADED "B2". HAVE ALREADY PROVIDED ONE TRUE AND VALUABLE INFORMATION.
2. THE LAST SUPPLYING PROCESS STARTED AROUND THREE WEEKS AGO; GUNS ARE SUSPECTED TO HAVE BEEN TRANSPORTED TO THE SITE ONE WEEK AGO.
3. WE HAD THE CHANCE OF LOOKING AT THE INVENTORY ONE DAY AGO.
4. REGARDS.

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OUTGOING FAX No 305
01 MARCH 1994

TO: DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI MISC 281	FROM: ASRAR A/CMO, UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: NRA SUPPORT	

1. THE MI BRANCH OF UNOMUR GATHERED SOME SENSITIVE INFORMATION THAT THE NRA ITSELF IS EFFECTIVELY SUPPORTING THE RPF WITH A LARGE AMOUNT OF AMMUNITION AND WEAPONRY.
2. THE INVENTORY OF THE WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION INCLUDES 122MM GUNS, 82 AND 60MM MORTARS, BM-21 MBRL, 14.5 AND 12.7MM HEAVY MACHINE GUNS AND RPGs. THE NRA IS USING ITS BNS IN KISORO AND NGOMA (RJ238725) TO DELIVER THE WEAPONS AND THE 2ND DIVISION HQ (MBARARA) AS AMMUNITION DEPOTS. IT SEEMS THAT THE NEXT CONSIGNMENT IS PACKED AND READY TO BE DELIVERED BUT WE ARE NOT SURE OF THE EXACT DATE OR PERIOD. THREE (03) GUNS ARE BELIEVED TO BE IN KISORO TO BE DELIVERED. AREA WEST IS LOOKING FOR THEM. OUR PATROL EFFORTS ARE BEING AIMED ACCORDINGLY TO TRACK AND CONFIRM THE ABOVE INFORMATION AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.
3. REGARDS.

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27 FEBRUARY 1994

TO: DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI	FROM: ASRAR A/CMO, UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266 MISC 267	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: UNOMUR INFOSUM/10 PERIOD 01 FEB TO 26 FEB 94	

1. THE SITUATION INSIDE UNOMUR AREA IS CALM.

2. FROM 09 NOV 93 UP TO 21 FEB 94 UNOMUR CP/OPS AND PATROLS HAVE EFFECTIVELY MONITORED THE TRAFFIC OF PERSONNEL AND SUPPLY THROUGH THE BORDER UGANDA/RWANDA. THE FIGURES ACCUMULATED TILL THE LAST DATE ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. AT KATUNA OP/CP:

- NUMBER OF CROSSINGS: 1,116 VEHICLE CROSSINGS, BEING 568 TO RWANDA AND 548 TO UGANDA (WFP AND ICRC CONVOYS ARE COUNTED AS A SINGLE CROSSING EACH).
- WITHIN THE CROSSINGS TO RWANDA, 223 WERE CARRYING FOOD, WITH A PARTICULAR INCREASE IN JANUARY (SEE INFOSUM/09); 19 WERE CARRYING FUEL, KEEPING AN AVERAGE OF 05 FUEL TRANSPORTS PER MONTH.
- 2,181 PEOPLE CROSSED TO RWANDA AND 2,113 TO UGANDA; THESE FIGURES INCLUDE THE DRIVERS OF THE VEHICLES.

B. AT LUBIRIZI CP/OP (MONITORED BY PATROLS):

- NUMBER OF CROSSINGS: 12, BEING 08 TO RWANDA AND 04 TO UGANDA.

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TO: BGEN DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI <i>MISC 265</i>	FROM: CHIEF LIAISON OFFICER (NRA) UNOMUR, HQS KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266	FAX NO: 256 486-23816
SUBJECT: VISIT TO UNOMUR BY FC - UNAMIR	

PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED FOR THE ABOVE MENTIONED
SENIOR OFFICER TO VISIT UNOMUR ON 26/2/94 AT 0900 HRS LT AND HIS
ENTOURAGE.

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TO: DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI	FROM: MATIWAZA A/CMO, UNOMUR KABALE
FAX NO: (07) 84266	FAX NO: 256 486-23815
SUBJECT: UNOMUR IS PLANNING TO VISIT THE	

1. THE SITUATION INSIDE UNOMUR AREA IS QUITE CALM.
2. THE DFC AND THE A/CMO VISITED THE RWANDAN REFUGEE CAMP AT NAKIVALE (SOUTHEAST OF MBARARA). THE CAMP SHELTERS RWANDESE PEOPLE THAT FLED FROM RWANDA IN 1960 AND 1990. THE FORMER HAVE A BIG AREA AND ARE WELL SETTLED IN THE VICINITY OF THE CAMP, THE LATTER ARE IN WORSE CONDITIONS. THE TOTAL OF DISPLACED PEOPLE IS AROUND 12,000. UNOMUR IS PLANNING TO VISIT, THIS WEEK, THE OTHER REFUGEE CAMP OF ISHAKA. THE FIGURES OF REFUGEES' CROSSINGS REMAINED THE SAME DURING LAST WEEK (107), AFTER THE A/CMO HAS RAISED THE SUBJECT DURING HIS VISIT TO THE 2ND NRA DIVISION'S COMMANDER, ON FEB THE 1ST. MAYBE THE UGANDAN AUTHORITIES ARE DENYING PERMISSION FOR THE REFUGEES TO CROSS BACK.
3. THE ANALYSIS OF KATUNA CROSSINGS DURING THE LAST MONTH (JANUARY) SHOWS THAT THERE WAS A BIG INCREASE OF FOOD SUPPLY THAT CROSSED TO RWANDA. ONLY COUNTING THE TRUCKS' MOVEMENT THROUGH KATUNA, THE FIGURES SHOW AN AUGMENT OF

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SUBJECT: UNOMUR INFOSUM/08 PERIOD 07 FEB TO 13 FEB 94	

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4. AFTER LAST WEEK, THE MOVEMENT OF RWANDAN REFUGEES THROUGH LUBIRIZI SEEMS TO BE REDUCED; WE ARE TRYING TO GET THE APPOINTMENT TO VISIT THE NATIVALE REFUGEE CAMP, SOUTHEAST OF MBARARA.
5. REGARDS

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SUBJECT: SPECIAL REPORT	

1. SEVERAL RELIABLE SOURCES FROM THE NRA INTIMATED TO THE UNOMUR OFFICERS THAT RESUMPTION OF HOSTILITIES BETWEEN THE RPF AND RGF COULD START THIS WEEK, AS A RESULT OF STALLED SWEARING IN OF THE TRANSITIONAL BROAD BASED GOVERNMENT IN KIGALI.

2. ACCORDING TO THE INFORMANT, THE RPA IS SAID TO BE ON STANDBY AND THIS INFORMATION IS CLOSELY LINKED TO THE CROSSING LAST WEEK AT KAMWEZI (MBALE) OF 64 RECENTLY GRADUATED SOLDIERS FROM A MILITARY TRAINING SCHOOL IN THE GENERAL AREA OF MBARARA.

3. IT WAS ALSO NOTICED THAT A UNUSUALLY LARGE QUANTITIES OF FOOD AND FUEL CROSSED AT KATUNA, PARTICULARLY LAST MONTH AND THIS INFO. WAS PASSED ON TO YOU IN OUR PREVIOUS REPORTS.

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4. WE ARE CONTINUING TO INCREASE OUR PATROLS IN THE AREAS OF KAMWEZI AND RUNABA. ALTHOUGH A WATCHFUL EYE HAS KEEP ON MOST OF THE DISPOSITIONS OF THE NRA ALONG THE BORDER, THERE IS NO INDICATOR SO FAR NOTICED TO JUSTIFY IMMINENCE OF ANY HOSTILITIES.
5. REGARDS.

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SUBJECT: UNOMUR INFOSUM/07 PERIOD 31 JAN TO 06 FEB 94	

1. THE SITUATION INSIDE UNOMUR AREA IS CALM.
2. ON THE 01ST, THE A/CMO ACCOMPANIED BY THE MIO, ATTENDED TO A MEETING WITH THE COMMANDER OF THE NRA SECOND DIVISION (MBARARA); DURING THE MEETING, THE A/CMO RAISED THE SUBJECT OF THE RWANDAN REFUGEES. THE DIVISION COMMANDER AGREES THAT THE MOVEMENT OF THESE PEOPLE ACROSS THE BORDER SHOULD BE MONITORED BY INTERNATIONAL AGENCIES LIKE THE ICRC OR UNHCR. THE A/CMO ALSO GOT AN APPOINTMENT TO SEE THE REFUGEE CAMP OF NATIVALE (NEAR MBARARA). WHEN THE DFC COMES IN HIS VISIT TO UNOMUR.
3. UNTIL LAST TUESDAY, THE 01ST, THE MOVEMENT OF ZAIRIAN REFUGEES TOWARDS UGANDA WAS STILL GOING ON; THEY ARE ENTERING UGANDA UP TO THE NORTH OF UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA; ANYWAY, AREA WEST SENT PATROLS TO BUNAGANA (QJ5557) AND KINANIRA (QJ5371) AND CONFIRMED THAT NO MOVEMENT WAS SEEN INSIDE UNOMUR AREA.

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4. ON THE 04TH. FRIDAY, AROUND 1630LC, ONE UN (ALLOUETTE 3) HELICOPTER WAS SEEN FLYING NEAR THE BORDER LINE BY KATUNA CP/OP. THE HELICOPTER LANDED ON THE RWANDAN SIDE. BUT ITS FLIGHT CAUSED A LOT OF EXCITEMENT ON THE NRA TROOPS AT THE BORDER. ONE NCO WAS BLAMING OUR OBSERVERS THAT THEY (NRA) WERE NOT INFORMED ABOUT THE FLIGHT. AND THAT NEXT TIME HE'LL SHOOT AT THE HELICOPTER. UNOMUR REQUESTED THAT THIS NCO MUST BE REMOVED FROM KATUNA NRA DETACHEMENT IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

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5. THE DOLLAR RATE INSIDE UGANDA IS GOING DOWN QUICKLY. THE RATE MOVED FROM 1,220.00 Ug SHILLINGS IN AUGUST (ADVANCED PARTY ARRIVAL) TO 850.00 LAST THURSDAY. THIS MEANS AN AVERAGE LOSS OF 30% IN THE MSA.

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SUBJECT: UNOMUR INFOSUM/06 PERIOD 23 JAN TO 30 JAN 94	

1. THE SITUATION INSIDE UNOMUR AREA IS CALM.
2. THE SECOND GROUP OF 170 NRA SOLDIERS DEPARTED ON THE 25TH TO LIBERIA AS PART OF THE ECOMOG FORCES.
3. ON THE 27TH THE A/CMO, ACCOMPANIED BY THE MIO AND THE ENG/SIG OFF, ATTENDED TO THE FUNERAL OF LT COL BENON TUMUKUNDE, WHOSE LAST APPOINTMENT WAS COMMANDER OF THE MILITARY POLICE IN THE NRA. NRM/NRA TOP BRASS ALSO REGISTERED THEIR PRESENCE AT THE BURIAL, INCLUDING SOME TUTSIS (BANYIARWANDA): A CAR WITH RWANDESE NUMBER PLATES WAS ALSO SEEN BUT IT DIDN'T CROSS AT KATUNA CP/OP ON THE DAYS AFTER THE FUNERAL.
4. ON THE 28TH, 0200HS, A GREEN TRUCK LICENSE UWO477, WAS STOPPED BY OUR PATROLS SOUTH OF KASHEKYE AREA THE TRUCK WAS CARRYING 64 MEN, AGED BETWEEN 18 - 30 YEARS OLD, MOSTLY FRENCH SPEAKING: THEY SAID THEY WERE STUDENTS AT A MILITARY

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SCHOOL IN MBARARA AND THAT THEY WERE GOING ON HOLIDAYS TO RWANDA AT THE INVITATION OF THE RPF.

5. FROM 09 NOV TO 31 DEC 93 WE HAD 95 CROSSINGS TO RWANDA CARRYING FOOD SUPPLY, 03 OF THEM WERE UN WFP CONVOYS. THE FIGURES ARE SHOWN AS BELLOW:
 - A. NOV - FORTY-TWO (42) CROSSINGS; EIGHTEEN (18) TRUCKS EACH ONE WITH AN AVERAGE OF FIFTEEN (15) TONS LOAD, EIGHT (08) TRUCKS CARRYING BEANS AND SEVEN (07) MAIZE.
 - B. DEC - FIFTY (50) CROSSINGS; EIGHTEEN TRUCKS. SIX (06) OF THEM WITH BEANS, TWO (02) WITH MAIZE AND ONE (01) WITH VEGETABLES; THE OTHERS CARRIED MIXED LOADS (HORNS WITH BEANS OR MAIZE WITH VEGETABLES).
6. AT THE SAME PERIOD WE HAD TEN (10) CROSSINGS OF VEHICLES CARRYING FUEL (FIVE EACH MONTH), PETROL OR DIESEL AND ONE TRUCK CARRYING METHANOL.
7. UNCOMMON LOADS - ON THE 23RD NOV, ONE PICK-UP LICENSE UAB 049, CARRYING COMPUTERS TO RWANDA.
8. REGARDS.

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FROM: MATIWAZA
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FAX NO: (07) 84266

FAX NO: 256 486-23816

SUBJECT: SITREP COVERING PERIOD 22100C LT TO 231000C LT DEC 93

I. GENERAL SITUATIONII. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIESA. POLITICAL

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B. MILITARY1) NRA

THE LIAISON ASPECT IS STILL NOT SOLVED. EFFORTS
HAVE BEEN MADE TO GET NRA TO PROVIDE THEIR OWN
VEHICLES, TENTAGE ETC. BUT IT APPEARS THAT THEY
JUST CANNOT AFFORD, AT LEAST IN THE NEAR OR
MEDIUM TERM FUTURE. THIS OBVIOUSLY AFFECTS OUR
OPERATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS.

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- 2) RPF NTR
- 3) OTHERS NTR

III. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIESA. HQS

THE NEWLY INSTALLED REPEATER STATION HAS MADE OUR VOICE COMMUNICATIONS POSSIBLE BETWEEN KANIKA AND KABALE. THERE ARE, HOWEVER, SOME TECHNICAL SHORTFALLS THAT NEED A RADIO TECHNICIAN TO SORT OUT

B. SECTORS

1) KABALE

AREA EAST PATROLS ARE BEING CONDUCTED AS SCHEDULED, WITH MORE EMPHASIS BEING PLACED IN THE BIGAGA AND LUBIRIZI-KASHEKYE-MBALE AREAS - THIS INCLUDES NIGHT PATROLS WHICH NORMALLY RETURN TO BASE AROUND 0600 HRS LT.

2) KISORO

AREA WEST PATROLS ARE ALSO GOING ON AS SCHEDULED. BOTH MOBILE AND FOOT PATROLS ARE CONCENTRATED IN THE LAKE CHAAFY AREA (BP NO. 7). DEPTH PATROLS ARE ALSO BEING DONE TO THE AREA NEAR THE ZAIRIAN BORDER.

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IV. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES

WFP AND ICRC CONVOYS CONTINUE TO OPERATE ON THE KABALE-KATI NA-KIGALI ROUTE.

V. CIVILIAN AFFAIRS

NTR

VI. LOGISTICS

SOME LOGISTICAL ITEMS, INCLUDING SOME COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT, WERE TRANSPORTED FROM KABALE TO KIGALI AND VICE VERSA.

VII. MISCELLANEOUS

A TOTAL OF EIGHTEEN (18) VEHICLES CROSSED AT KATUNA BORDER POST. SIX (6) CROSSED FROM RWANDA TO UGANDA WHILE TWELVE (12) CROSSED FROM UGANDA TO RWANDA. AFTER THE USUAL THOROUGH SEARCHES AND CHECKS, NOTHING SPECIAL WAS FOUND. THE MAJORITY OF THE VEHICLES WERE CONVEYING PEOPLE - PRESUMABLY GOING OUT AND COMING IN FOR THE FESTIVE PERIOD.

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FROM: MATIWAZA
A/CMO, UNOMUR
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FAX NO: (07) 84266

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SUBJECT: SITUATION REPORT FROM 13 TO 20 DECEMBER 1993

1. GENERAL SITUATION AND HIGHLIGHTS

THE SITUATION IN THE MISSION AREA REMAINS GENERALLY QUITE

2. MILITARY

(A) DEPLOYMENT

(1) IIQ/CP
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(2) CP/OP

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THE CHECKING OF VEHICLES CROSSING THE BORDER BY
NIGHT AT KATUNA HAS BECOME A BIT DIFFICULT

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BECAUSE THE LOCAL OFF-ON LOADING PARTIES ARE NOT READILY AVAILABLE. THIS IS HOWEVER BEING ADDRESSED TO

THE CONSTRUCTION OF OP/CP5 - LUBIRIZI IS CONTINUING AND WE ANTICIPATE OCCUPYING IT LATEST THIRD WEEK OR END OF JANUARY 1994.

(3) PATROLS

OUR PATROLS ARE BEING CARRIED OUT AS SCHEDULED. THERE HAVE BEEN SOME IMPEDIMENTS, THOUGH, DUE TO THE RAINS WHICH HAVE RESULTED IN SLIPPERY ROADS AND TRACKS ACROSS THE WHOLE OPERATIONAL. MOST OF OUR PATROL EFFORT HAS BEEN DIRECTED TOWARDS BIGAGA AND LUBIRIZI - AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. BOAT PATROLS HAVE NOT TAKEN OFF THE GROUND - SAME AS AERIAL PATROLS, WHICH SEEM TO BE NOWHERE NEAR DURING OUR PATROLS. THE RECENTLY ISSUED NIGHT VISION DEVICES (NVDs) HAVE BEEN TESTED AND THE RESULTS WERE SATISFACTORY, OF COURSE, DEPENDING ON THE AMOUNT OF NIGHT LIGHT (MOON/STAR ETC) AVAILABLE ON THAT NIGHT

(B) PERSONNEL

(1) STRENGTH
TOTAL 81.

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- (A) AVAILABLE
65.
- (B) CASUALTIES
NIL.

- (2) LEAVE
16.
- (3) MEDICAL SITUATION

THE SPEEDY DELIVERY OF AMBULANCES NEED NOT BE OVEREMPHASIZED.

(C) RELATIONS WITH NRA

THE NRA REMAINS APPREHENSIVE ABOUT THE CROSS BORDER RUNS TO RWANDA AND BACKWARDS. A GOOD EXAMPLE IS WHEN THE FCs TEAM WAS DENIED ENTRY AT KATUNA FOR ABOUT FIVE(5) HOURS ON SATURDAY 18 DECEMBER 1993. WE ARE OPTIMISTIC THAT THE SITUATION WILL IMPROVE - FOLLOWING THE FC'S VISIT AND SUBSEQUENT MEETINGS WITH THE CONCERNED UGANDAN AUTHORITIES. TOGETHER WITH THE NRA CHIEF LIAISON OFFICER, WE INTEND TO DELIBERATE AND SUGGEST A SET OF PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED WHEN CROSSING THE BORDER AT KATUNA AND ELSEWHERE IN OUR OPERATIONAL AREA, AND THE OUTCOME OF THE DISCUSSIONS WILL BE COMMUNICATED TO YOU SOON

3. VIOLATIONS, INCIDENTS AND COMPLAINTS

ON WEDNESDAY 15 DECEMBER 1993, IN THE AFTERNOON, A 16 YEARS OLD BOY LOST SOME OF HIS FINGERS, SUSTAINED FACIAL, CHEST AND ABDOMINAL INJURIES AFTER SUPPOSEDLY DETONATING AN ANTI-PERSONNEL

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X/ (AP) MINE OR SOME KIND OF HAND GRENADE IN THE NYARUSIZE GENERAL AREA - APPROXIMATELY GRID SQUARE QJ 9852 ON THE FOOT OF MUHABURA VOLCANO IN AREA WEST. THE BOY IS STILL ADMITTED IN ST. FRANCIS (MUTOLERE) HOSPITAL IN KISORO WHERE HE IS REPORTED TO BE STILL UNCONSCIOUS. THIS INCIDENT FURTHER CONFIRMS OUR SUSPICION OF NUISANCE MINES LITTERED ALL OVER AND ALONG THE BORDER. THE NEED FOR INFORMATION ON THE POSSIBLE LOCATION(S) OF MINEFIELDS ALONG THE BORDER AND THE SUBSEQUENT DEMINING OF THE AREA IS INCREASINGLY BECOMING CRUCIAL. THE INFORMATION NEEDS TO BE (WHEREVER POSSIBLE) OBTAINED AND DISSEMINATED TO UNOMUR SOON, FOR PLANNING AND USE BY OUR FOOT PATROLS.

4. POLITICAL

X/ THE POLITICAL FRONT STILL REMAINS UNMANNED WITH THE MOVEMENT OF DR. KABIA TO UNAMIR THIS SUBJECT WAS, HOWEVER, EXHAUSTIVELY DISCUSSED WITH THE FC AND HIS REPLACEMENT IS BEING HANDLED ACCORDINGLY. IT SHOULD BE STRESSED THAT THE POLITICAL VACUUM SHOULDN'T BE ALLOWED TO RUN FOR TOO LONG.

5. ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

C/ THE UGANDAN AUTHORITIES HAVE RECENTLY GIVEN US THE GREEN LIGHT TO INSTALL OUR COMMUNICATIONS (COMMS) REPEATER STATION(S). ONCE INSTALLED, WE ANTICIPATE A COMPLETE COVERAGE OF THE WHOLE AREA, AND THEREBY OFF-SETTING OUR PREVIOUS COMMS PROBLEMS.

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6. LIAISON, CONTACTS AND MEDIA

THE FC'S VISIT TO UNOMUR ON 18 DECEMBER WAS VERY WELCOME, SUCH THAT OUR MILOBS HAD A CHANCE TO KNOW WHAT IS HAPPENING AROUND THEM - ESPECIALLY IN UNAMIR AND RWANDA ITSELF.

7. OBSERVATIONS

MORE INFORMATION IS PATIENTLY AWAITED ON THE MINED AREAS ALONG THE BORDER, ON THE UGANDAN SIDE, AND THE NEED FOR MORE LOGISTICAL BACKUP SHOULD BE PURSUED WITH THE MERIT IT DESERVES.

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SUBJECT: CONSULTATIONS WITH UGANDA ON UNOMUR	

PLEASE FIND ATTACHED HERewith THE CRYPT. FAX FROM ANNAN,
UNATIONS, NEW YORK DATED 10 DECEMBER 1993 TO ME ABOUT THE ABOVE
MENTIONED SUBJECT.

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TO: MATIWAZA, UNOMUR, KABALE
 INFO: FOR DALLAIRE (on arrival)
 FROM: ANNAN, UNATIONS, NEW YORK
 DATE: 10 December 1993
 NUMBER: 2396
 SUBJECT: Consultations with Uganda on UNOMUR

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1. Riza and Annabi met today with the Charge d'Affaires of Uganda to consult her on the extension of UNOMUR's mandate (the Permanent Representative is on leave in Kampala). We informed her that the Secretary-General would be submitting a report to the Security Council, before the expiration of UNOMUR's mandate on 22 December. The report was being prepared on the assumption that Uganda would be in favour of an extension of UNAMIR's mandate.

2. As regards the integration of UNOMUR into UNAMIR, foreseen under paragraph 4 of resolution 872 (1993), we reiterated the assurances provided in my letter of 22 October to the Permanent Representative.

3. The Charge d'Affaires asked us to elaborate on the reasons for the extension of UNOMUR's mandate. We recalled in this regard that UNOMUR had been established by the Security Council, following a specific request from the Governments of Uganda and Rwanda for the deployment of United Nations observers on their common border. The Government of Uganda had also requested that these observers be deployed on the Ugandan side of the border. In addition, we expressed the view that UNOMUR was a factor of stability in the border area and that it would continue to serve the useful purpose, as long as the risk for renewed conflict between RPF and RGF had not been eliminated, in accordance with the provisions of the Arusha peace agreement.

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3. The Chargé d'Affaires also echoed the concerns recently expressed by the Ugandan authorities regarding cross border movements. We assured her that, in accordance with resolution 846 (1993), UNOMUR's area of responsibility was restricted to the Ugandan side of the border and that there would therefore be no cross border movements for operational purposes. We pointed out, however, that cross border movements to meet re-supply and logistic needs would be undertaken in compliance with the terms of the SOMA and after consultation with the appropriate Ugandan authorities.

4. We informed the Chargé d'Affaires that General Dallaire will be visiting Kampala this weekend for direct consultations with the authorities on these issues and to provide any further clarifications which might be required. We look forward to his report on these consultations. Regards.

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SUBJECT: SITUATION REPORT FROM 30 NOVEMBER TO 05 DECEMBER 1993	

1. GENERAL SITUATION AND HIGHLIGHTS

THE SITUATION IN THE MISSION AREA IS QUITE CALM.

MILITARY

(A) DEPLOYMENT

1) HQ/CP

ON 01 DEC 93 AT AROUND 1730HRS, THE DCMO, LTCOL van RIJCKEVORSEL TOGETHER WITH CAPT ELBERS and WO LAPELAAR (ALL DUTCH), WERE INVOLVED IN A VEHICLE ACCIDENT AT APPROXIMATELY THE 50KM PEG ON THE

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ROAD FROM KABALE TO KISORO WHILE ON DUTY. NO ONE WAS INJURED BUT THE UN VEHICLE WAS SLIGHTLY DAMAGED. THE NECESSARY ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES ARE GOING ON.

(2) CP/QP

(A) OUR STAFFS MANNING KATUNGA OP/CP HAVE REPORTED THAT THE ATTITUDE OF THE UGANDAN CUSTOMS POST OFFICIALS THERE, IS BECOMING VERY UNFRIENDLY. THE OFFICIALS HAVE, OF LATE, CATEGORICALLY TOLD OUR MILOBS TO KEEP OUT OF THE CHECKING OF SUSPICIOUS VEHICLES CROSSING THE BORDER. ADDING THAT THE TASK OF THE MILOBS WAS STRICTLY OBSERVING AND NOT TO INSTRUCT THE NRA TO CHECK THE VEHICLES. THE NRA MPs THEMSELVES ALSO APPEAR TO BE RELUCTANT TO THOROUGHLY CHECK THE VEHICLES. THE ISSUE WILL HOWEVER BE DISCUSSED WITH THE RELEVANT UGANDAN AUTHORITIES.

(B) THE PERMANENT MANNING OF LUBIRIZI OP/CP IS RATHER OVERDUE, FOLLOWING THE INCREASED MOVEMENT OF TRAFFIC ACROSS THE BORDER AND ALSO A NUMBER OF INCIDENTS INVOLVING THE NRA AND OUR MILOBS AT KASHEKYE - REFER TO OUR DAILY SITREPS DATED 01 AND 02 DEC 93, AS WELL AS OUR DETAILED REPORT DATED 03 DEC 93.

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(3) PATROLS

- (A) IN THE REPORTING PERIOD, OUR MOBILE PATROLS HAVE BEEN VERY MUCH CONCENTRATED ON THE BIGAGA-RUBAYA AND LUBIRIZI-KASHEKYE AREAS. A LOT OF VEHICLE MOVEMENT HAS BEEN DETECTED IN THOSE AREAS, AND MORE ESPECIALLY LUBIRIZI, KASHEKYE, WHERE ONE OF OUR PATROLS WAS DENIED ACCESS BY THE NRA ON 01 DEC 93. WE ARE PLANNING TO MAN LUBIRIZI ON A 14/7 BASIS UNTIL THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE OP/CP IS COMPLETE. WE NEED NOT OVER EMPHASIZE THE NEED FOR THE SPEEDY CONSTRUCTION OF THIS OP/CP AND CONSTANTLY MAINTAIN THE MOMENTUM.
- (B) THE CURRENT HEAVY RAINS ARE BADLY RETARDING OUR MOBILE PATROL EFFORT BECAUSE OF THE SLIPPERY TRACKS. THE 4x4 VEHICLES THEMSELVES HAVE NO CROSS-COUNTRY TYRES, THEREBY, PRESENTING A HIGH RISK WHEN ON PATROL.
- (C) AUTHORITY IS BEING SOUGHT FROM NEW YORK FOR US TO CONTRACT A LOCAL BOAT-OWNER TO ENABLE US TO CONDUCT INITIAL BOAT PATROLS ON LAKE BUNYONYI.
- (D) OVERALL, OUR PATROLS ARE GOING ON AS SCHEDULED DESPITE THE INADEQUATE LOGISTICAL SUPPORT.

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(D) PERSONNEL

(1) STRENGTH

TOTAL 81.

(A) AVAILABLE

65.

(B) CASUALTIES

NIL

(2) LEAVE

16.

(3) MEDICAL SITUATION

WE HAVE FINISHED THE VACCINATION EXERCISE FOR
HEPATITIS AND MENINGITIS.

(C) RELATIONS WITH NRA

WE ARE STILL AWAITING THE ARRIVAL OF THE NRA CHIEF LIAISON
OFFICER (MAJ ZAKYE) FROM KAMPALA.

THE NRA CHIEF LIAISON OFFICER HAS DEVELOPED A KABALE PHOBIA. /
HE IS HARDLY IN THE MISSION AREA FOR MORE THAN THREE DAYS, EITHER
ON HEALTH GROUNDS OR CLAIMING THAT HIS SUPERIORS NEED HIM IN
KAMPALA. SADLY, HE LEAVES THE LIAISON ON IN HANDS OF
INEXPERIENCED YOUNG LTS WHO ARE AT TIMES OVERBURDENED BY
ATTEMPTING TO SOLVE ISSUES THEY DON'T UNDERSTAND, HOWEVER, WE
ARE IN THE PROCESS OF SOLVING THIS PROBLEM.

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2. VIOLATIONS, INCIDENTS AND COMPLAINTS

DATE	PLACE	EVENT	REMARKS
30 NOV	KASHEKYE NRA POST (2261)	OUR PATROL WAS STOPPED BY THE NRA AT THE BOOMGATE AND IT WAS NOT ALLOWED TO GO ON	REPORTED IN THE DAILY REPORT OF 01 NOV
30 NOV	MUHAVURA VOLCANO	INFORMATION FROM THE RWANDESE DIPLOMAT BASED IN KAMPALA. ALLEGED THAT THE RPF HAD ATTACKED A PLACE CALLED MUTURA, IN RWANDA, THROUGH MUHAVURA VOLCANO ON 29 NOV FROM 2200HRS TILL THE MORNING OF 30 NOV. AND THAT THEIR (RPF) CONCENTRATION AREAS WERE BUNAGANA, GRID SQ(8957) AND BUSANZA, GRID SQ(9166), INSIDE UGANDA.	AREA WEST WAS ORDERED TO SEND A PATROL IN THE MENTIONED AREAS, BUT NO EVIDENCE WAS FOUND.

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01 DEC	KASHEKYE NRA POST (2261)	AT 1040HRS ANOTHER PATROL WAS STOPPED UNDER ALLEGATIONS THAT THE RPF WAS PREPARING TO ATTACK THE RGF NEAR LUBIRIZI. TWENTY MINUTES LATER THE PATROL GOT PERMISSION TO PASS.	THE DCMO AND THE INFO O RUSHED TO THE AREA BUT THE SITUATION WAS QUITE CALM AND NO TROOP MOVEMENT WAS SEEN - REPORTED THROUGH DAILY SITREP OF 02 DEC 93.
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4. POLITICAL

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5. ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

- (A) THERE IS AN URGENT NEED FOR CROSS-COUNTRY TYRES FOR VEHICLES DUE TO THE SLIPPERY TRACKS ALONG THE BORDER. NIGHT OBSERVATION DEVICES (NODs) ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO ENHANCE THE CAPABILITY OF OUR NIGHT PATROLS.
- (B) THE RECENT ARRIVAL OF SOME COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT AND THE TECHNICIANS THEMSELVES, IS A HEALTHY SIGN THAT
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OUR COMMS-RELATED PROBLEMS WILL SOON BE A THING OF THE PAST.

6. LIAISON, CONTACTS AND MEDIA

- (A) ON 30 NOV 93, THE A/CMO PAID COURTESY CALL ON THE ACTING DA OF KABALE FOR A ROUTINE MEETING. THE A/DA IS A VERY POSITIVE MAN WITH A LOT RESPECT FOR THE UN DESPITE OF THE ADVERSE PUBLICITY IN THE PAST.
- (B) THE PRESS (NEW VISION) PUBLISHED ON DEC 1ST AN ARTICLE ABOUT THE FUTURE DEPLOYMENT OF UNOMUR, WITH THE MANNING OF LUBIRIZI AND IN THE FUTURE, BIGAGA AND KAFUNZO. THE ARTICLE WAS NOT CRITICAL OF THE UN.
- (C) THE MISSION CONTINUES WITH ITS XMAS CAMPAIGN TO HELP UGANDAN CHILDREN TO GO ON WITH THEIR STUDIES. SING CASH AND KIND DONATIONS FROM THE UNMOs.

7. OBSERVATIONS

THE MILOBS CONTINUE TO ENERGETICALLY CONDUCT THEIR DUTIES DESPITE INADEQUATE LOGISTICAL SUPPORT, THEY ARE HAPPY THOUGH, THAT THE SUPPLIES ARE TRICKLING IN.

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SUBJECT: SPECIAL REPORT ON LUBIRIZI CP/OP 5	

1. GENERAL

1. KASHEKYE, GRID RJ 220613 AND MBALE, GRID RJ 238598, ARE SITUATED ABOUT 4 KM AND 2 KM SOUTH WEST OF LUBIRIZI GRID RJ 243603, THE FORMER IS A ROAD JUNCTION THROUGH WHICH TRAFFIC PASS ONTO THE LATTER - WHICH IS A RPF POST RIGHT ON THE BORDERLINE.

2. FROM THE START OF OUR PATROLS IN THE AREA, THE NRA DETACHMENT AT KASHEKYE WAS NOT DEPLOYED THERE. AS WE INCREASED OUR PATROLS, THE NRA DEPLOYED THEIR DETACHMENT THERE - MAY BE TO TRY TO PREVENT OUR MILOBS FROM CHECKING TRAFFIC AND OTHER SUSPICIOUS MOVEMENTS. INITIALLY, THE PATROLS WERE ALLOWED TO PASS THE BORDER BUT THE SITUATION SOMEHOW CHANGED RECENTLY.

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2. THE INCIDENT

3. OUR PATROLS CONSTANTLY REPORTED OF INCREASED MOVEMENT BY TRUCKS IN THE AREA. THIS PROMPTED THE MISSION AREA HQ TO INTENSIFY THE PATROL EFFORT IN THE SAID AREA. ONE OF OUR PATROLS INTERVIEWED NRA SOLDIERS AT THE KASHEKYE CAMP ABOUT THE INCREASED TRAFFIC MOVEMENT, BUT THE SOLDIERS DENIED KNOWLEDGE OF THAT FACT. IT BECAME APPARENT, GRADUALLY, THAT THE NRA COMMANDERS IN THE AREA DID NOT LIKE CONSTANT MONITORING OF THIS ROUTE BY OUR MILOBS. THE NRA BEGAN TO SHOW SOME KIND OF HOSTILE ATTITUDE TOWARDS OUR PATROLS.

4. ON 01 DECEMBER 1993, AT ABOUT 1040 HRS, OUR PATROL WAS STOPPED BY THE NRA DETACHMENT AND WAS DENIED ACCESS AT KASHEKYE. THE REASON GIVEN WAS THAT THE RPF WERE PREPARING FOR A WAR WITH THE RGF IN RWANDA. THE PATROL WAS ALLOWED TO GO THROUGH AFTER ABOUT 20 MINUTES. WHEN THE PATROL REACHED THE BORDER POST AT MBALE, IT DISCOVERED VERY FRESH VEHICLE TRACKS, BUT COULD NOT FIND ANY SIGN OF HOSTILITIES. THE MATTER WAS REPORTED TO THE MISSION HQ - WHICH DISPATCHED A PATROL IMMEDIATELY, ONLY TO FIND THAT OUR MOBILE PATROL HAD BEEN ALLOWED TO GO THROUGH. THE MISSION HQ PATROL LATER APPROACHED THE NRA BATTALION HQ TO LAUNCH A FORMAL COMPLAINT. THE BATTALION 2IC EXPLAINED THAT ALL THE DETACHMENTS WERE UNDER INSTRUCTION TO LET OUR MILOBS PASS FREELY.

5. OUR IMMEDIATE DEDUCTION WAS THAT, MAY BE, AT THE VERY TIME OUR PATROL WAS DENIED ACCESS, WAS THE ACTUAL TIME - MAY BE - AN

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RPF CONSIGNMENT WAS CROSSING THE BORDER (GIVEN THAT WHEN OUR PATROL GOT TO THE BORDER IT FOUND VERY FRESH VEHICLE TRACKS).

6. OUR ASSESSMENT IS THAT - IT IS TRUE THAT HEAVY TRAFFIC MOVES THROUGH THE LUTOBU - KAMWEZI ROAD, BUT BECAUSE THE RPF ARE AT LUBIRIZI, THE TRAFFIC DIVERTS TO MBALE VIA KASHEKYE. WE ALSO HAVE A FEELING THAT THE 01 DECEMBER INCIDENT AND THE GENERAL ATTITUDE OF THE NRA AT KASHEKYE MIGHT DEVELOP AND MAY BE CAUSE A BAD WORKING RAPPORT BETWEEN THE NRA AND OUR MILOBS.

3. REACTION

7. IN REACTION TO THE SITUATION EXPLAINED ABOVE, THE MISSION HQ IS PLANNING TO MANN LUBIRIZI UP TO ABOUT MIDNIGHT ON A DAILY BASIS, UNTIL SUCH TIME THAT LUBIRIZI OP/CP ITSELF IS CONSTRUCTED AND FUNCTIONAL. WE HOPE THAT THIS CONTINUOUS PRESENCE IN THAT AREA WILL OBVIOUSLY BE A DETERRENT ON ITS OWN.

8. THE 01 DECEMBER INCIDENT REPORTED TO THE UGANDAN AUTHORITIES AND WE ARE WAITING FOR AN EXPLANATION.

4. CONCLUSION

9. OUR PATROLS WILL CONTINUE TO BE INTENSIFIED IN THE KAMWEZI, KASHEKYE AND MBALE AREAS TO KEEP TRACK OF TRAFFIC MOVEMENTS THERE.

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2. VIOLATIONS, INCIDENTS AND COMPLAINTS

YESTERDAY 01 DECEMBER 1993 AT ABOUT 1040 HRS ANOTHER AREA EAST PATROL WAS AGAIN DENIED ACCESS (BY THE NRA) TO GET TO THE BORDER POST AT MBALE, GRID 240599. THE REASON GIVEN WAS THAT THE UN SHOULD NOT GO TO MBALE BECAUSE THE RPF WERE PREPARING FOR A WAR WITH THE RGF IN RWANDA. A MISSION HQ PATROL WAS IMMEDIATELY DEPLOYED TO THE AREA, BUT THIS TIME THE PATROLS WERE ALLOWED ACCESS TO MBALE - WHERE THEY OBSERVED VERY FRESH TRACKS CROSSING INTO RWANDA. THE MISSION HQ PATROL LATER APPROACHED THE LOCAL NRA BATTALION SECOND-IN-COMMAND, WHO EXPLAINED THAT ALL THE NRA DETACHMENTS HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED TO ALLOW UN PATROLS FREE MOVEMENT.

3. POLITICAL

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4. ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

NTR

5. LIAISON, CONTACTS AND MEDIA

NTR

6. OBSERVATIONS

THE ISSUE IN PARA 2 HAS BEEN TAKEN UP WITH THE NRA CHIEF LIAISON OFFICER, SUCH THAT WE NO LONGER ANTICIPATE ANY PROBLEM. WE HAVE GOT A FEELING THAT THE NRA SOLDIER WHO STOPPED THE PATROL JUST HAS A PERSONAL ILL-FEELING FOR THE UN OBSERVERS.

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INTRODUCTION

1. THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION OF 22 JUNE 1993 AUTHORIZED THE ESTABLISHMENT AND SUBSEQUENT DEPLOYMENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS OBSERVER MISSION UGANDA/RWANDA (UNOMUR). AS STATED IN THE MANDATE, THE TASK OF UNOMUR IS:

A. TO MONITOR THE UGANDA/RWANDA BORDER

B. TO VERIFY THAT MILITARY ASSISTANCE REACHES
FOCUS BEING PULLED BACK IN THIS REGARD OF
TRANSPORT, BY ROAD AND TRACKS IN
ACCOMMODATE VEHICLES

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They missed the most
important part about RPF
reports of war movements that are
could see as a strategic move
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AMMUNITION ACROSS THE BORDER, AS WELL AS ANY OTHER MATERIAL WHICH COULD BE OF MILITARY USE

2 AT THE TIME OF PRODUCING THIS REPORT, UNOMUR IS THREE (3) AND A HALF MONTHS IN THE OPERATIONAL AREA. THE ADVANCE PARTY COMPRISED MILITARY OBSERVERS (MILOBS) FROM UNOMOZ AND UNAVEM II AND ALSO THE BRAZILIAN AND DUTCH CONTINGENTS WHICH ARRIVED IN UGANDA ON 18 AUGUST 1993. OTHER CONTINGENTS CONTINUED TO TRICKLE IN AT THE END OF AUGUST AND DURING THE COURSE OF SEPTEMBER. THE FIRST CONTINGENT WAS THE SLOVAK, WHICH ARRIVED IN THE MISSION AREA ON 13 NOVEMBER 1993. THE ADVANCE PARTY ENERGETICALLY CONDUCTED RECONNAISSANCE IN THE OPERATIONAL AREA AND COVERED WIDE GROUND IN TERMS OF LOCATING THE HQS, COMMUNICATIONS AND SERVICEABILITY OF ROADS.

3 THE WHOLE MISSION HAS MILOBS FROM THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES

A	BANGLADESH	22
B	BOTSWANA	9
C	BRAZIL	13
D	HUNGARY	4
E	NETHERLANDS	9
F	SENEGAL	10
G	ZIMBABWE	10
H	SLOVAKIA	5

4 EACH CONTINGENT IS FAIRLY REPRESENTED AT MISSION AREA AS WELL AS IN PATROL TEAMS

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5 UNOMUR HAS A CIVILIAN STAFF OF 15 INTERNATIONAL AND 7
LOCALLY RECRUITED.

AIM

5 THE AIM OF THIS REPORT IS TO REVIEW UNOMUR ACTIVITIES AND
MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS.

SCOPE

6 THE REPORT WILL COVER THE FOLLOWING ASPECTS:

- A THE POLITICAL SITUATION.
- B ORGANIZATION OF UNOMUR
- C UNOMUR OPERATIONS.
- D UNOMUR ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS
- E CONCLUSION
- F RECOMMENDATIONS

(A) THE POLITICAL SITUATION

7 THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS QUITE
CALM EXCEPT A SMALL DISTURBANCE WHICH OCCURRED AT NUNGAMO 60
KM NORTH EAST OF KABALE WHERE A GROUP OF CIVILIANS (BELIEVED TO
BE BANYARWANDA) PROTESTED AGAINST THE UGANDAN GOVERNMENT FOR
PROHIBITING THEM FROM REGISTERING FOR THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY
VOTE EXERCISE

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8 THE POPULATION IN KABALE AND KISORO DISTRICTS (UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA), IS APPROXIMATELY A MILLION PLUS. IT IS A WELL KNOWN FACT THAT THE MAJORITY ARE OF RWANDESE ORIGIN WHO LIVED THE MASS MASSACRES IN THE LATE 50S. THEY ARE VERY CLOSE RELATIVES OF THE RPF AND AS SUCH (IN VERY BROAD TERMS) ARE VERY APPREHENSIVE (SENSITIVE) TO UNOMUR ACTIVITIES ALONG THE BORDER AND THEIR SILENT INTERFERENCE, ALTHOUGH COMMON KNOWLEDGE NO ONE TALKS ABOUT IT.

ANOTHER CONCRETE FACT IS THAT THE RPF FOUGHT SIDE BY SIDE WITH THE NRA DURING THE UGANDAN BUSH WAR, WHICH DEFEATED OBOTE AND BROUGHT PRESIDENT MUSEVENI TO POWER IN 1986. THEY ARE IN FACT 'BLOOD BROTHERS' SUCH THAT THE NRA (NOT DIRECTLY INVOLVED WITH UNOMUR) CAN DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE - MAY BE CLANDESTINELY - TO SUPPORT THEIR BROTHERS. OTHERS SOURCES STRONGLY BELIEVE THAT THE RPF HAVE NOT BEEN SATISFACTORILY REWARDED FOR PUTTING MUSEVENI IN POWER THAT IS WHY THEY HAVE THE PRIVILEGE OF CROSSING IN AND OUT UGANDA ANY TIME, ANY WHERE AS THEY WISH.

OVERALL (FROM ABOVE THE CARPET) THE GENERAL ATTITUDE OF BOTH THE CIVILIAN AND MILITARY AUTHORITIES AS WELL AS THE GENERAL PUBLIC TOWARDS UNOMUR IS ACCEPTABLE. IT SHOULD BE REMEMBERED THAT THERE IS ALSO A VERY POWERFUL RPF LOBBY AT ALL LEVELS IN UGANDA. THEIR INFLUENCE AND POWER BASE CANNOT BE TAKEN LIGHTLY OR BE IGNORED.

IN THE WRITERS VIEW IT WOULD BE A NOBLE IDEA TO HAVE SOMEONE IN LINE WITH ITS MANDATE AND BE ABLE TO PAINT A CLEAR PICTURE OF ACTIVITIES ALONG THE UGANDA RWANDA BORDER. ALTHOUGH...

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UGANDAN AUTHORITIES AND THE RPF IN PARTICULAR ARE NOT VERY HAPPY ABOUT THE PRESENCE OF UNOMUR

(B) ORGANIZATION OF UNOMUR

12 UNOMUR IS MADE UP OF TWO COMPONENTS, NAMELY THE MILITARY OBSERVERS AND THE CIVILIAN COMPONENT. LOCAL CIVILIAN STAFF HAS ALSO BEEN RECRUITED TO SUPPORT THE MISSION. THE DETAILED ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE IS ATTACHED AT ANNEX A TO THIS REPORT.

(C) UNOMUR OPERATIONS

13 CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS - IN ORDER TO EFFECTIVELY CARRY OUT ITS MANDATE, UNOMUR HAS DEVELOPED A CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS BASED ON ONE MAIN HQ AT KABALE AND TWO SUB HQS AT KISORO AND KABALE AND THIS IS FURTHER EXTENDED

A TO MONITOR THE UGANDA/RWANDA BORDER BY PHYSICALLY DEPLOYING STATIC OBSERVATION POSTS CHECK POINTS (OPS-CPS) AT THE TWO MAJOR CROSSING POINTS AT KYANKA, GRID RJ049520 AND KATUNA, GRID SP012428 ON A 24/7 BASIS. SECONDARY CROSSING POINTS ARE AT BIGAGA, GRID RJ907364 AND LUBIRIZI, GRID SP259619 AND KAFUNZO, GRID SP083478.

B TO MOUNT RANDOM VEHICLE MOBILE AND FOOT PATROLS BY DAY AND NIGHT. DEPTH PATROLS ARE ALSO BEING EXTENSIVELY CONDUCTED.

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- C TO CARRY OUT AERIAL DAY AND NIGHT PATROLS ONCE HELICOPTERS ARE MADE AVAILABLE
- D TO CARRY OUT SNAP VEHICLE CHECKS ON SUSPICIOUS VEHICLES TRAVELLING TOWARDS THE BORDER
- E TO CONDUCT BOAT PATROLS IN SURROUNDING LAKES ONCE FINAL ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE BY OUR CIVILIAN STAFF

4 THE BORDER STRETCHES FOR APPROXIMATELY 170 KM FROM SABINIO VOLCANO IN THE WEST TO MERAMA HILLS IN THE EAST. ABOUT 120 KM OF THE BORDER FROM SABINIO VOLCANO TO LUBIRIZI IS UNDER RPF CONTROL WHICH IS UNOMUR AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY. THE AREA HAS BEEN DIVIDED INTO TWO(2) - AREA EAST AND AREA WEST. THESE AREAS HAVE BEEN FURTHER SUB-DIVIDED IN SEVEN(7) DISTINCT ZONES (A-G). THIS SUBDIVISION MAKES OUR PATROL SCHEDULING FAIRLY EASY AND ALSO INCIDENTS CAN BE EASILY FOLLOWED UP IN A GIVEN ZONE - SEE ATTACHED MAP AT ANNEX 4.

5 TO BE ABLE TO FULFILL THIS CONCEPT UNOMUR IS PREPARING STANDING OPERATING PROCEDURES WHICH WILL GUIDE THE WHOLE OPERATION.

6 DEPLOYMENT - AS AT 01 DECEMBER 1993 UNOMUR HAS BEEN DEPLOYED AS FOLLOWS

A	MISSION HQ	KABALE GRID RJ 948643
B	AREA EAST HQ	KABALE GRID RJ 948645

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C AREA WEST HQ - KISORO, GRID RJ 033610.
ALSO SEE ATTACHED MAP FOR MORE DETAILS

17 CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS - UNOMUR CONDUCTS ITS OPERATIONS THROUGH VIGOROUS PATROLLING OF THE WHOLE STRETCH OF THE OPERATIONAL AREA. SINCE PATROLLING IS THE MOST EFFECTIVE SOURCE OF OBTAINING INFORMATION ABOUT THE TERRAIN ITSELF. THESE PATROLS ARE CARRIED OUT IN VARIOUS FORMS:

- A STATIC OPS/CPS - THE KYANIKA AND KATUNA OPS/CPS ARE STATIC IN NATURE AND HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED OPS/CPS 1 AND 2, RESPECTIVELY THEY ARE PRESENTLY OCCUPIED BY A TEAM OF SIX(6) MILOBS EACH, ON A 24/7 BASIS. THEIR MAIN TASK IS TO OBSERVE AND REPORT ON TRAFFIC MOVING TO AND FROM RWANDA. THE REMAINING OPS/CPS AT BIGAGA (OP/CP 2), KAFUNZO (OP/CP 4) AND LUBIRIZI (OP/CP 5) ARE NOT YET MANNED PERMANENTLY. REFURBISHING CONSTRUCTION OF THE SAID OPS/CPS IS EXPECTED TO START SOON. THEREAFTER THEY WILL ALSO BE MANNED ON A 24/7 BASIS BUT PRESENTLY THEY ARE THOROUGHLY PATROLLED ON A DAILY BASIS BY MOBILE PATROLS.
- B VEHICLE MOBILE PATROLS - THESE ARE DESIGNED TO COVER THE WHOLE AREA AND TO IDENTIFY ANY OTHER SECONDARY TRACKS THAT COULD BE USED BY VEHICLES TO FERRY MILITARY EQUIPMENT INTO RWANDA. MORE EMPHASIS ON THESE PATROLS HAS BEEN PLACED IN THE AREAS OF BIGAGA, KAFUNZO, MBALE AND LUBIRIZI, MORESO BECAUSE THERE ARE NO STATIC OPS/CPS ESTABLISHED THERE YET. THE VEHICLE

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PATROLS ARE ALSO INTENDED TO COVER THE AREA IN DEPTH (UP TO 100 KM), BUT THE LACK OF THE PATROL VEHICLES THEMSELVES, HAS BADLY RETARDED OUR CAPACITY IN THAT DIRECTION - HOWEVER, PLANS ARE THERE TO INTENSIFY THESE PATROLS ONCE THE VEHICLES BECOME AVAILABLE.

VEHICLE CHECK POINTS (VCPS) - BESIDES THE KATUNA CP, SNAP VCPS ARE RANDOMLY CONDUCTED ON SUSPICIOUS VEHICLES STRICTLY TRAVELLING TOWARDS THE BORDER. AGAIN, MORE EMPHASIS IS BEING PLACED ON BIGAGA, KAFUNZO AND MHALI. AT LEAST THREE VEHICLES ARE PHYSICALLY CHECKED PER DAY. THIS HAS MADE UNOMUR PATROLS VERY UNPOPULAR BUT ARE HAPPY THAT WE ARE FULFILLING THE REQUIREMENTS OF OUR MANDATE.

- D. FOOT PATROLS MOBILE VEHICLE PATROLS HAVE NORMALLY BEEN CONVERTED INTO FOOT PATROLS, AIMED AT GETTING TO PLACES THAT ARE INACCESSIBLE BY VEHICLE AND IDENTIFY ANY FOOT PATHS THAT CROSS INTO RWANDA. IT IS IMPORTANT TO MENTION, HERE, THAT THE STRETCH OF THE BORDER WE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR, HAS AN EXTENSIVE NETWORK OF FOOT PATHS THAT CROSS INTO RWANDA, SUCH THAT IT WOULD REQUIRE SOMETHING LIKE TWO TO THREE BRIGADES TO EFFECTIVELY MONITOR THESE FOOT CROSSINGS. GIVEN THE SITUATION OUR FOOT PATROLS ARE DOING THEIR BEST TO POLICE KNOWN TRACKS. A GOOD EXAMPLE IS THE LOCATION (BY OUR PATROL) OF BOOBY TRAP IN THE RUBAYA AREA ON 2 OCTOBER 1993. AGAIN, ONE OF OUR FOOT PATROLS WAS TAKEN CAPTIVE BY THE RPF ON 28 OCTOBER 1993 AFTER IT STOPPED

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INTO RWANDA, HOWEVER, IT WAS LATER RELEASED. THE MATTER HAS SINCE BEEN INVESTIGATED. FOOT PATROLS HAVE ALSO BEEN INSTRUCTED TO STAY A LITTLE AWAY FROM THE BORDER LINE ITSELF.

I AERIAL PATROLS PLANS ON AERIAL PATROLS ALONG THE BORDER ARE ON UNOMUR DRAWING BOARDS. THE PATROLS ARE INTENDED TO BE BOTH BY DAY AND NIGHT. SINCE WE ANTICIPATE THE HELICOPTERS TO HAVE SENSORY DEVICES, THE HELICOPTERS ARE YET TO ARRIVE IN THE MISSION AREA. TRULY, THESE PATROLS WOULD GREATLY AUGMENT OUR FOOT PATROL EFFORT. BESIDES THE SAID PATROLLING, THE HELICOPTERS ARE EXPECTED TO CARRY OUT SUCH TASKS AS CASEVAC, SEARCH AND RESCUE AND COMMUNICATIONS RELAY ETC.

I BOAT PATROLS - THESE WILL SOON BE LAUNCHED IN LAKE BUNYONYI. THE MISSION HQ AND OUR CIVILIAN STAFF ARE CURRENTLY WORKING ON THE FINER BOAT HIRING DETAILS. AS OUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS IMBUE WITH A NUMBER OF LAKES THAT LEAD TO THE BORDER AND IN THE LAKES IN QUESTION THERE ARE ISLANDS WHICH CAN EASILY BE USED FOR COVERED OPERATIONS BY THE RPF. A PRESENCE IN THE AREA IS THEREFORE CALLED FOR.

AS ENGINEER SUPPORT THERE IS NO ENGINEER SUPPORT THAT HAS BEEN RENDERED TO UNOMUR AT ALL. ANTI PERSONNEL (AP) MINE INCIDENTS THAT HAVE SO FAR OCCURRED SUGGEST THAT THERE ARE SOME MINES ALONG THE BORDER BUT NOBODY SEEMS TO KNOW THEIR EXACT LOCATIONS. ALREADY A LOCAL 12 YEARS OLD CATTLE HERDER LOST BOTH

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FINISHED DETONATING AN AP ON THE VUGAMBA RANGE IN SECTOR
WE ARE. WE HAVE SINCE REQUESTED THE UGANDA AUTHORITIES TO
GIVE US ANY SCANT MINEFIELD(S) INFORMATION, BUT UP TO NOW WE HAVE
HAD NO JOY. WE HAVE ALSO ASKED THE RWANDESE AUTHORITIES
THROUGH THE FORCE COMMANDER ON THE SAME SUBJECT AND WE ARE
EAGERLY AWAITING THE FEED BACK.

COMMUNICATIONS - SO FAR, THERE IS NO SERIOUS PROBLEM WITH
COMMUNICATIONS (COMMS) BY TELEPHONE, FAX ETC, BUT VOICE COMMS IS
RAATHER AN UNDER SCORE DUE TO THE HILLY NATURE OF OUR
OPERATIONAL AREA.

A. HF SETS - ONE HF SET HAS BEEN INSTALLED AT THE MISSION HQ
TO HAVE COMMS WITH KAMPALA. A NUMBER OF JEEPS HAVE HF
SETS BUT THEY ARE HARDLY SERVICABLE.

B. VHF SETS - ALL BUT SEVEN(7) JEEPS HAVE VHF SETS MOUNTED.
THE NET IS OBVIOUSLY CONTROLLED BY THE MISSION HQ. AS
EARLIER MENTIONED, BECAUSE OF THE HILLY TERRAIN, DIRECT
COMMS IS NOT POSSIBLE AND AS SUCH, A RELAY STATION IS
DEPLOYED AS AND WHEN NECESSARY. A REPEATER STATION
WILL SOON BE INSTALLED TO CIRCUMVENT THIS HICCUP. TO
AUGMENT THE VEHICLE MOUNTED SETS, A NUMBER OF WALKIE
TALKIES HAVE BEEN PROVIDED TO ACHIEVE COMMS BETWEEN
KEY MISSION AND AREA HQ STAFF.

C. AIR SUPPORT - THE INITIAL PLAN WAS FOR UNOMUR TO HAVE THREE
HELICOPTERS DEPLOYED WITH IT, BUT THIS TURNED OUT TO BE THE
REVERSE. AT THE MOMENT THE MISSION DOES NOT HAVE ANY AIR SUPPORT.

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WE ARE STILL EAGERLY AWAITING THE ARRIVAL OF A MI-17 FROM UNOSOM AS PROMISED BY FOD

21 SECURITY - THE SECURITY SITUATION IN UGANDA IN GENERAL, IS NOT CERTAIN. RIGHT FROM THE DAY THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT TOOK OVER THE REIGNS OF THE COUNTRY, ACTS OF BANDITRY AND ROBBERIES INCLUDING OTHER FATAL INCIDENTS) HAVE ESCALATED TO UNPRECEDENTED PROPORTIONS. WE WISH TO THANK THE GOOD WORK DONE BY THE TECHNICAL COMMISSION ON UNOMUR, WHICH SAW IT NOT ONLY FIT BUT NECESSARY TO REQUEST THE HOST GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE SECURITY FOR UNOMUR MILOBS. AT THE MOMENT, BOTH THE HQS AND EVERY MILOBS' RESIDENTIAL PLACE(S) ARE GUARDED BY THE NRA AROUND THE CLOCK. THE UN COLOURS THEMSELVES ARE ALSO AN AID TO SECURITY. IN THE SAME VEIN, THE SECURITY OF OUR DOCUMENTS IS NOT YET AS PERFECT AS ONE MIGHT DESIRE, BUT WE ARE DOING EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO IMPROVE IT.

22 LIAISON - LIAISON BETWEEN UNOMUR AND THE NRA WAS ESTABLISHED AT THE VERY EARLY STAGES OF DEPLOYMENT. AS AT NOW, THE NRA HAVE PROVIDED FIVE(5) OFFICERS AND SEVENTY (70) MILITARY POLICE SOLDIERS FROM KAMPALA TO CARRY OUT GUARD AND ESCORT DUTIES. OUR BIGGEST PROBLEM, HOWEVER, IS THAT NRA IS A TYPICAL GUERRILLA ARMY. NO EFFORT HAS BEEN PUT BY THE AUTHORITIES TO TRANSFORM IT INTO A MODERN ARMY. PROBABLY BECAUSE OF SERIOUS LOGISTICAL HANDICAPS. WE HAD TO PUT UP WITH A LOT OF PROBLEMS AS A RESULT THEREOF. SINCE FOR SECURITY AND OPERATIONAL REASONS WE ENTIRELY DEPEND ON THEM. IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE, THE MAPS WE HAVE ARE OLD AND LACK A LOT OF DETAIL. THE BORDER IS NOT CLEARLY MARKED AND THE NRA FROM KAMPALA NEITHER KNOW THE AREA NOR SPEAK THE LOCAL VERNACULAR.

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LANGUAGES - THIS OBVIOUSLY BADLY AFFECTS OUR PATROLS ALONG THE BORDER. THE MISSION HQ HAS SINCE PRODUCED AND DISTRIBUTED SOME GUIDELINES FOR NRA WHILST ON DUTY WITH UNOMUR BUT THEIR LOGISTICAL BACK UP IS BAD NEWS YET THEIR SUPPORT IN OUR OPERATIONS SO VITAL. IT HAS BECOME OBVIOUS THAT THE NRA CANNOT MEET THIS OBLIGATION IF THIS MISSION IS TO SUCCEED. SOME CONSIDERATION FOR ASSISTANCE HAVE TO BE LOOKED INTO.

23 PUBLIC RELATIONS (PR) - UP UNTIL NOW, MORE ATTENTION IS PROJECTED TO OPERATIONS WITHIN UNOMUR, BUT THE HQ IS PLANNING TO LAUNCH SOME COMMUNITY PROJECTS - AND ALREADY OUR MISSION DOCTOR AND HIS MEDICS ARE ASSISTING AT THE KABAILE AND KISOKO HOSPITALS. THERE ARE ALSO PLANS FOR MILOBS TO DONATE IN CASH OR IN KIND TO HELP THE LESS PRIVILEGED CIVILIANS AROUND. SOCIAL SOCCER GAMES HAVE BEEN ARRANGED AND THEY ARE PROVING TO BE VERY USEFUL BECAUSE THEY ARE BRINGING THE MILOBS CLOSER TO THE POPULATION.

24 MEDIA - IN EARLY NOVEMBER, THE UGANDAN DAILY, THE NEW VISION AND THE LOCAL VERNACULAR UROMURI PUBLISHED AN ARTICLE ALLEGING THAT MILOBS WERE PAYING HIGH AMOUNTS OF US DOLLARS FOR SEX WITH LOCAL WOMEN. INVESTIGATIONS WERE DONE AND THE ALLEGATION/RUMOUR WAS PROVED TO BE BASELESS. SO FAR THE SITUATION IS STEADILY STABILIZING.

(D) UNOMUR ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS

25 ADMINISTRATION - THE OVERALL ADMINISTRATION (ADMIN) OF UNOMUR RESTS WITH THE SENIOR ADMIN OFFICER (SAO) WHO IS A CIVILIAN AND PERMANENT MEMBER OF THE UN. THE MISSION CHIEF MILITARY

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PERSONNEL OFFICER (CMPO), COORDINATES THE DAY TO DAY ADMIN MATTERS AS THEY AFFECT THE MILOBS:

- A PERSONNEL - UNOMUR HAS A TOTAL OF EIGHTY TWO (82) MILOBS. ONE(1) MILOB (CANADIAN) BASED IN KAMPALA WILL SOON RETURN TO HIS PARENT MISSION UNOMOZ AT THE END OF NOVEMBER 1993. HE IS BEING REPLACED BY ANOTHER MILOB *from within. These MILOBS will be moved to UNAMOZ over the next week.*
- B LEAVE/CTO - LEAVE AND CTO HAS BEEN PLANNED TILL MARCH NEXT YEAR. PRESENTLY MILOBS ARE PROCEEDING ON LEAVE/CTO AS PLANNED, MAINTAINING THAT 25% OF THE TOTAL STRENGTH CAN BE ON LEAVE/CTO AT ANY ONE TIME. WE ALSO HAVE HAD COMPASSIONATE CASES WHERE MILOBS WERE GRANTED TIME TO GO AND ATTEND TO THEIR PROBLEMS IN THEIR HOME COUNTRIES
- C MISSION SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCES (MSA) - BOTH THE MILOBS AND CIVILIAN STAFF ARE GETTING THEIR MSA WITHOUT ANY SERIOUS DIFFICULTY. THE MISSION FINANCE OFFICERS DOING EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO MAKE FINER ARRANGEMENTS WITH LOCAL BANK AUTHORITIES. HOWEVER IT IS SAD TO MENTION THAT SINCE UNOMUR DEPLOYMENT, PRICES OF COMMODITIES, INCLUDING ACCOMMODATION RENTAL CHARGES HAVE ABRUPTLY SKYROCKETED AND IT IS BECOMING INCREASINGLY DIFFICULT TO SUBSIST. MAY BE A REVIEW ON THIS MATTER WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA
- D WELFARE - UNOMUR HAS RECENTLY ESTABLISHED A WELFARE FUND, ~~TO PROCURE DUTY FREE ITEMS AND RESELL TO MILOBS~~

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~~THE FUND ENJOYS A MEMBERSHIP OF 48 MILOBS. WE HOPE THE
NUMBER WILL INCREASE WITH THE ARRIVAL OF THE FIVE
SLOVAK OFFICERS.~~

- F MAIL - THERE ARE NO MAJOR PROBLEMS CONCERNING MAIL EXCEPT THAT DURING OUR EARLY STAGES OF DEPLOYMENT THE UGANDAN POSTS/SECURITY AUTHORITIES WERE CRUELY OPENING UP OUR MAIL THE ISSUE WAS TAKEN UP AND THE SITUATION HAS SINCE IMPROVED.
- F MEDICAL - ALL THE MILOBS AND CIVILIAN STAFF ALIKE ARE IN A VERY GOOD HEALTH CONDITION. THIS IS JUST A FORTUNATE STATE OF AFFAIRS GIVEN THE FACT THAT THE MISSION HAS EXTREMELY INADEQUATE MEDICAL FACILITIES AND THE MEDICINES THEMSELVES. AN AMBULANCE IS LIKELY TO ARRIVE FROM UNOSOM SOON. IN THE MEANTIME WE ARE MAKING DOING WITH THE LITTLE SUPPLIES WE HAVE. THE WRITER SUGGESTS THAT THIS ISSUE BE TREATED WITH THE URGENCY IT DESERVES.
- G ID CARDS - THE CMPO IS CURRENTLY WORKING ON THE ID CARDS FOR ISSUE TO ALL MILOBS.
- H MEDALS - THE MISSION CMPO HAS ALREADY FORWARDED PROPOSED DESIGNS FOR BOTH UNOMUR AND UNAMIR TO UNAMIR HQ FOR ONWARD TRANSMISSION TO NEW YORK.

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J STATIONERY - STATIONERY IS STEADILY FLOWING IN THE SITUATION IS ENCOURAGING AND WE ARE EXPECTING MORE TO BE SHIPPED IN FROM CAMBODIA

K DISCIPLINE - THE OVERALL DISCIPLINE OF THE MILOBS IS QUITE GOOD. HOWEVER, ONLY ONE(1) MILOB WAS REPATRIATED TO BOTSWANA ON THE REQUEST OF HIS GOVERNMENT. ~~THERE ARE NO OTHER KNOWN CASES OF MISCONDUCT - IT IS PLEASING~~

I MORALE - THE MORALE OF THE MILOBS IS QUITE SATISFACTORY THEY ARE QUITE MOTIVATED AND RARING TO EFFECTIVELY CARRY OUT THE MANDATE/TASK. IN THE REPORTERS VIEW, IF THE MSA IS REVIEWED, THEN THE STATE OF THE MILOBS MORALE WILL UNDOUBTEDLY IMPROVE.

26 UNOMUR LOGISTICS - THE LIMITED LOGISTICAL BACK UP TO UNOMUR HAS A DIRECT EFFECT ON THE OVERALL OPERATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS THIS IS A CRUCIAL MATTER WHICH REQUIRES THE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION BY FOD

A. TRANSPORT - THE WHOLE MISSION HAS A TOTAL OF 26 VEHICLES INCLUDING ONE TRUCK. THESE ARE SHARED AMONGST THE HQ MILOB PATROL TEAMS AND THE CIVILIAN STAFF. THIS IS UNSATISFACTORY. THE MISSION REQUIRES NOT ANYTHING LESS THAN FORTY (40) VEHICLES TO ENABLE IT TO FUNCTION EFFECTIVELY.

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B ACCOMMODATION

- (1) OFFICE - OFFICE ACCOMMODATION FOR THE WHOLE MISSION IS REASONABLY COMFORTABLE EXCEPT THAT OTHER ITEMS LIKE TELEPHONES ETC HAVE NOT YET BEEN INSTALLED YET.
- (2) MILOBS - MILOBS ARE COMFORTABLY ACCOMMODATED IN THEIR RENTED RESIDENCES, INCLUDING THOSE STAYING IN HOTELS

C FURNITURE - THE MISSION RECENTLY GOT SOME OFFICE FURNITURE FROM OTHER MISSIONS. THE MISSION CHIEF SUPPLIES OFFICER (CSO) IS DOING HIS BEST TO LOCALLY PROCURE FURNITURE FOR STATIC OPS CPS. THE SITUATION IS STEADILY TAKING SHAPE

D EQUIPMENT - WE ARE PLEASED TO REPORT THAT WE WILL SOON GET SOME EQUIPMENT SUCH AS PHOTOCOPIERS, COMPUTERS, GENERATORS AND OTHER COMMS EQUIPMENT FROM CAMBODIA

(E) CONCLUSION

27 THE ATTITUDE OF BOTH THE POPULATION AND SOME LOCAL AUTHORITIES (LIVING ALONG THE BORDER) TOWARDS UNOMUR IS RATHER HOSTILE. MAY BE THE CONTINUED DEPLOYMENT OF UNOMUR WOULD HELP UNEARTH SOMETHING ABOUT THE ALLEGED UGANDAN SUPPORT FOR RPF

28 THE UNKNOWN LOCATIONS OF MINEFIELDS IS A MAJOR SET BACK ON THE FOOT PATROL EFFORT ALONG THE BORDER

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29 THE NRA SUPPORT IS SATISFACTORY BUT FAR FROM PERFECT, SINCE BOTH OUR SECURITY AND OPERATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS DEPENDS ON THEM

30 THE MORALE OF THE MILOBS IS SOMEWHAT AFFECTED, GIVEN THE FACT THAT THE MSA IS NOT COMMENSURATE WITH THE HIGHLY INFLATED PRICES OF COMMODITIES AND ACCOMMODATION RENTALS

31 THE NON-AVAILABILITY OF AN AMBULANCE IN THE WHOLE MISSION IS A MATTER OF GREAT CONCERN.

32 IN VERY BROAD TERMS, UNOMUR OPERATIONS ARE BEING HEAVILY AFFECTED BY THE INADEQUATE LOGISTICAL BACK UP.

(F) RECOMMENDATIONS

33 IT IS RECOMMENDED

- A THAT UNOMUR CONTINUE TO OPERATE ON THE UGANDA/RWANDA BORDER
- B THAT UNAMIR HQ (FC) ACQUIRES INFORMATION FROM BOTH THE UGANDAN AND RWANDAN AUTHORITIES ABOUT THE POSSIBLE LOCATION(S) OF MINEFIELDS ALONG THE BORDER
- C THAT THE ISSUE OF NRA SUPPORT TO UNOMUR BE TACKLED FROM THE HIGHEST LEVEL

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- D THAT THE MSA BE REVIEWED
- F THAT THE OVERALL LOGISTICAL BACK UP (SUPPLY) BY FOD BE EXPEDITED, IN ORDER TO ENHANCE UNOMUR OPERATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS.

ANNEXES

- A ORGANIZATION OF UNOMUR
- B SKETCH MAP - UNOMUR DEPLOYMENT

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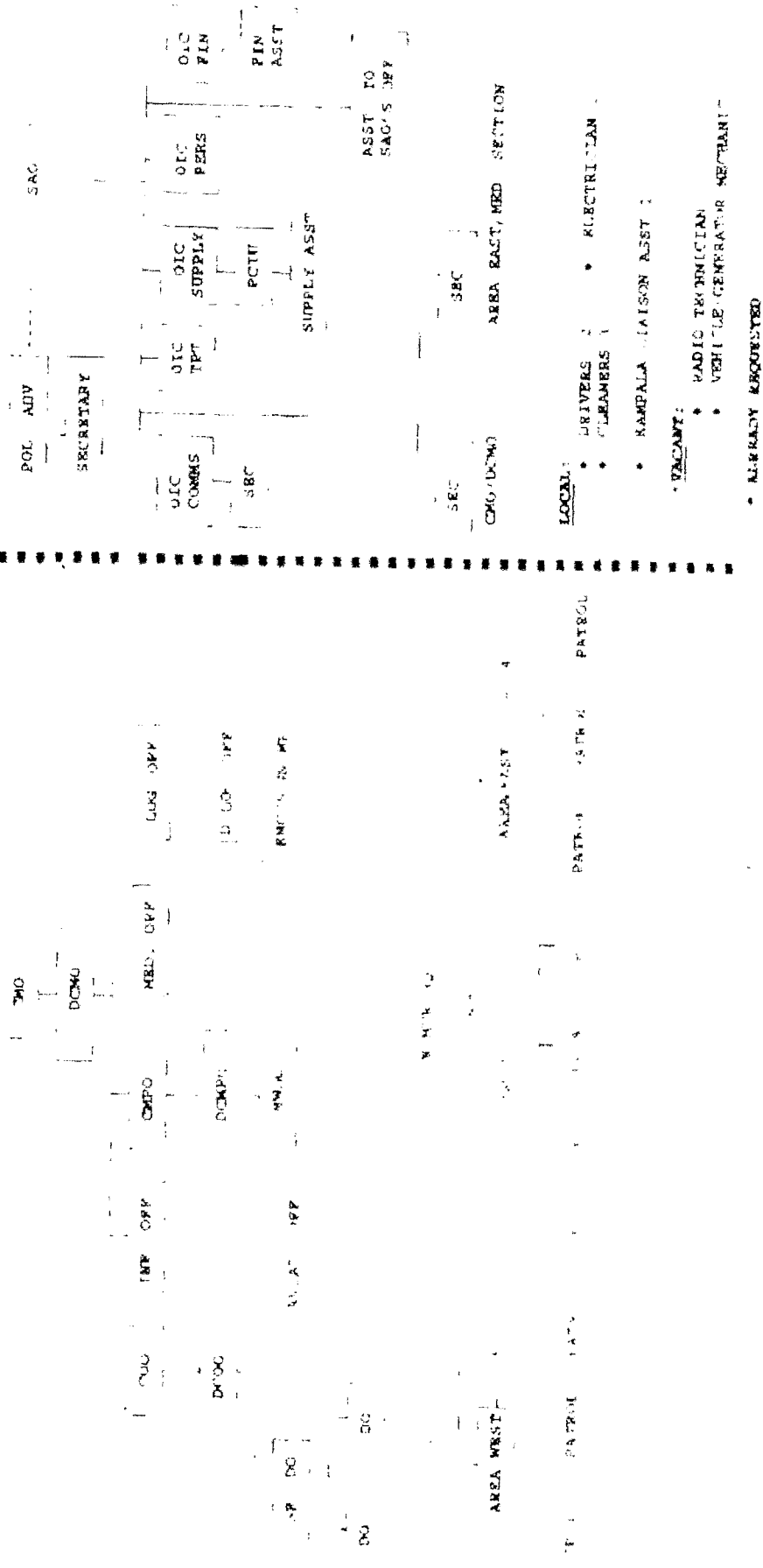
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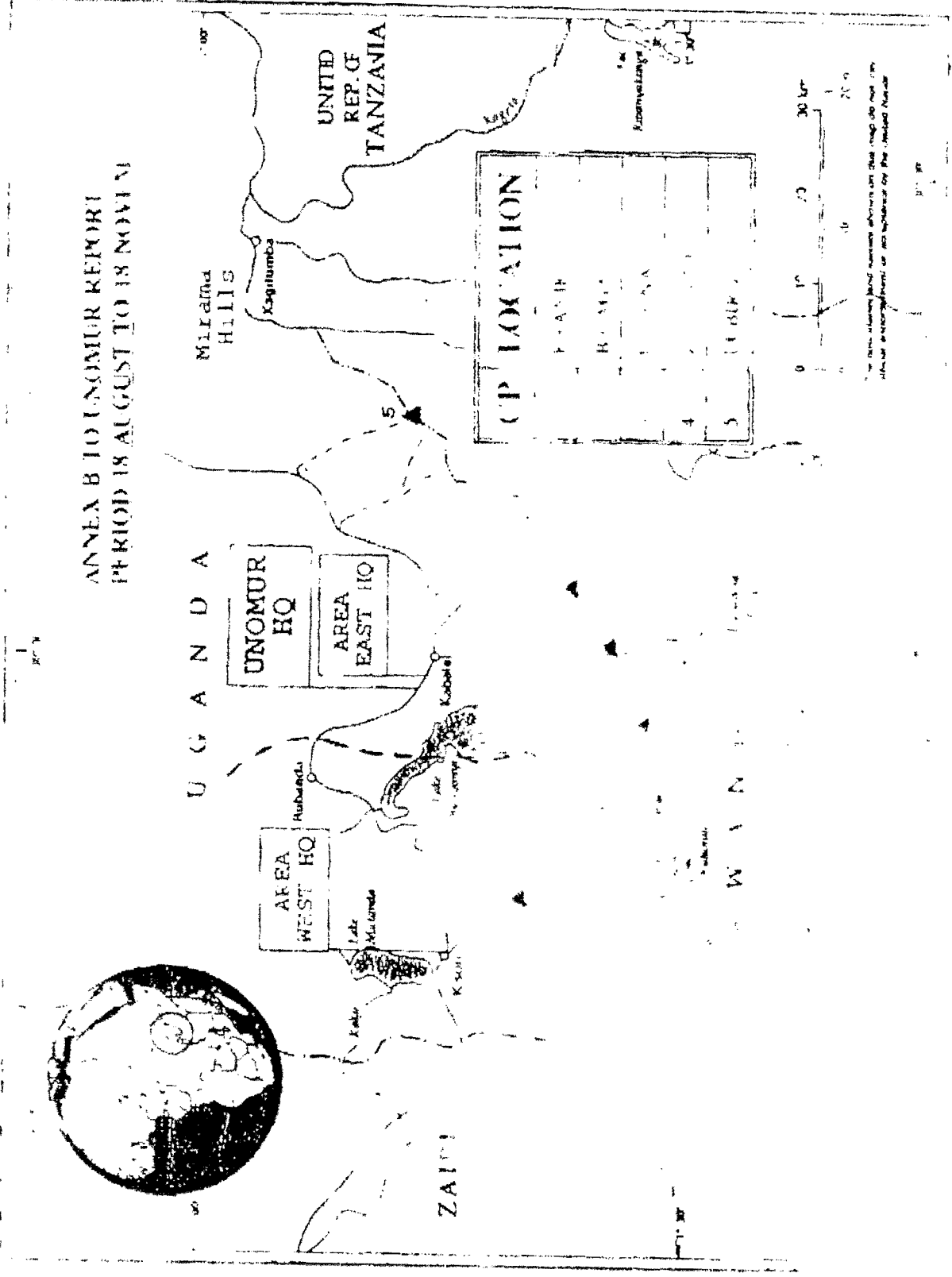
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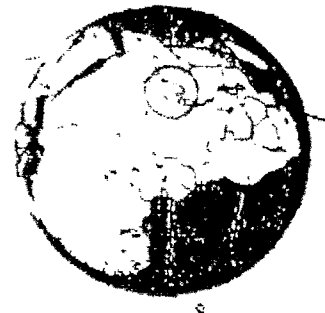
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TO: DALLAIRE, FC UNAMIR KIGALI	FROM: MATIWAZA A/CMO, UNOMUR KABALE
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SUBJECT: SITUATION REPORT FROM 16 TO 22 NOVEMBER 1993	

1. GENERAL SITUATION AND HIGHLIGHTS

THE SITUATION IN THE MISSION AREA IS CALM.

2. MILITARY(A) DEPLOYMENT(1) HQ/CP
NTR.(2) CP/OP
CYANIKA AND KATUNA ARE STILL MANNED 24 Hrs A DAY. EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO IMPROVE THE INSTALLATIONS OF BOTH OP/CPs AND WE ARE STILL WAITING FOR AN ANSWER FROM NEW YORK ABOUT THE RESOURCES FOR THE CP/OP TO BE DEPLOYED AT LUBIRIZI.(3) PATROLS

(A) SINCE THE MANNING OF CP/OP3 (KATUNA) ON A 24/7, TRAFFIC ACROSS THE BORDER HAS BEEN DRASTICALLY REDUCED. OUR OBSERVATION IS THAT MOST OF THE TRAFFIC HAS BEEN DIVERTED TO BIGAGA (CP2), KAFUNZO (CP4) AND MBALE AND

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THEIR MOVEMENT IS ONLY AT NIGHT. WE ARE CONTINUING WITH OUR NORMAL DAILY PATROLS BUT WE HAVE INCORPORATED IN OUR PROGRAMMES LIMITED NIGHT RANDOM PATROLS TO DETER THESE NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AFFECTED AREAS. WE HAD A SUCCESSFUL "FLAG MEETING" OF PATROLS FROM AREAS EAST AND WEST AT KABALE RIVER CROSSING ON 17TH NOVEMBER, ON 18TH NOVEMBER, A PATROL FROM AREA EAST HEARD SOME MACHINE GUN FIRING APPROXIMATELY 500M INSIDE RWANDA - IN THE BIGAGA AREA.

- (B) A PATROL FROM AREA EAST, COULD NOT ESTABLISH ANY POSSIBLE RPF SUPPLY POINT IN AND AROUND KABALE, AS ALLEGED BY THE RWANDESE FOREIGN MINISTER.
- (C) IN AREA EAST, FIVE LIONS STRAYED FROM THE AKAGERA NATIONAL PARK IN RWANDA, INTO UGANDA LAST WEEK. THEY WERE SEEN IN THE GENERAL AREA OF KAMWEZI AND LUBIRIZI. THE LIONS' FIRST VICTIMS WERE THREE (3) CIVILIANS FROM THE LUBIRIZI AREA. TWO (2) LIONS HAVE SINCE BEEN KILLED BY THE NRA BASED IN KAMWEZI. THE OTHER THREE (3) ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE GONE BACK TO RWANDA. OUR PATROL TEAMS HAVE, HOWEVER BEEN BRIEFED OF THE "UNWELCOME GUESTS" AND THE NECESSARY PRECAUTIONS HAVE BEEN TAKEN - PARTICULARLY ON FOOT PATROLS, WHICH COULD BE THE LIONS' EASIEST SOFT TARGETS.
- (D) THE ATTITUDE OF CIVILIANS TOWARDS OUR MILOBS IN THE BIGAGA AREA APPEARS TO BE QUITE NEGATIVE. THEY COMPLETELY SHUN THE MILOBS - AND MORE ESPECIALLY - THE RESISTANCE COUNCIL CHAIRMAN, WHO IS VERY APPREHENSIVE ABOUT OUR INCREASED PATROL ACTIVITY IN THE AREA. ALSO IN KABALE ITSELF, ON 20TH NOVEMBER THE UNOMUR SIGN POST WAS UPROOTED AND THROWN AWAY BY UNKNOWN CIVILIANS. NO IMMEDIATE CONCLUSIONS COULD BE DRAWN BUT WE ARE CAREFULLY WATCHING THE SITUATION.
- (E) THE ALLEGATION THAT THE RPF WAS AMASSING TROOPS ON THE UGANDAN SIDE OF THE BORDER

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WAS AS DIRECTED BY THE FC CAREFULLY INVESTIGATED, IN THE AREAS OF SABINYO AND GAHINGA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. THE NATIONAL PARK RANGERS THAT OUR PATROL MET COULD NOT SUBSTANTIATE THE ALLEGATION EITHER. MORE ATTENTION IS BEING TARGETED TO THE AREA AND IF TANGIBLE EVIDENCE IS FOUND YOU WILL BE INFORMED ASP.

- (F) ON 20TH NOVEMBER, THE MILOBS DEPLOYED AT CYANIKA (OP/CP 1), SIGHTED A FIXED WING AIRCRAFT BEARING MILITARY COLOURS FLYING ABOVE THE VOLCANOES, ON THE RWANDESE SIDE FROM EAST TO WEST AT APPROXIMATELY 0930HRS.

(B) PERSONNEL

(1) STRENGTH

(A) AVAILABLE
68 UNMOS.

(B) CASUALTIES
NIL

- (2) LEAVE
14 , INCLUDING ONE ON COMPASSIONATE LEAVE.

- (3) MEDICAL SITUATION
NTR

- (4) WELFARE FUND THE UNOMUR WELFARE FUND HAS A MEMBERSHIP OF FORTY-EIGHT (48) AND MORE MILOBS ARE BEING ENCOURAGED TO JOIN. THE WELFARE COMMITTEE HAS ALREADY STARTED PROCURING THE WELFARE ITEMS FROM KAMPALA. THE SHOP IS EXPECTED TO START FUNCTIONING ON 22TH NOV 93. THE RESULTS ARE ENCOURAGING.

- (5) SOCIAL GAMES FRIENDLY SOCCER GAMES HAVE BEEN ARRANGED BY BOTH AREA HQs INCLUDING THE MISSION HQ WITH LOCAL TEAMS. ON SATURDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER, UNOMUR PLAYED ACC OF KABALE AND THE RESULT WAS A DISAPPOINTING 3 - 0 IN FAVOUR OF THE HOSTS. ANOTHER GAME HAS BEEN FIXED ON 26TH NOVEMBER

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BETWEEN UNOMUR AND KCC OF KABALE. THE SOCIAL INTERACTION HAS BROUGHT THE KABALE PEOPLE AND UNOMUR MUCH CLOSER THAN BEFORE MORESO AFTER THE WIDELY PUBLICIZED UN SEX SCANDAL.

(C) RELATIONS WITH NRA

- (A) THE LONG AWAITED AND SUBSEQUENT ARRIVAL OF THE CHIEF LIAISON OFFICER HAS RELIEVED THIS HQ OF THE UNNECESSARY STRAIN WHICH WE WERE EXPERIENCING BECAUSE OF HIS EXTENDED ABSENCE FROM THE OP AREA. THE INEPT HANDLING OF ISSUES BY HIS INEXPERIENCED JUNIORS WAS SLOWLY GETTING OUT OF HAND.
- (B) DESPITE THE GOOD RELATIONS UNOMUR IS CURRENTLY ENJOYING WITH THE NRA, LIAISON OFFICERS, HAVE EXPRESSED CONCERN ABOUT UN'S SEEMING DISREGARD OF THE SOVEREIGNTY OF UGANDA BY UNAMIR CIVILIANS AND MILITARY PERSONNEL CROSSING THE BORDER INTO UGANDA WITHOUT NOTIFICATION OR SEEKING CLEARANCE FROM THE UGANDAN AUTHORITIES. UNOMUR IS DEVELOPING A SYSTEM WITH THE NRA LIAISON OFFICERS AT THE LOCAL LEVEL TO TAKE CARE OF THIS CONCERN.
- (C) THE CHIEF LIAISON OFFICER (CLO) (MAJ. ZAKYE) INFORMED UNOMUR THAT HE HAD CONDUCTED INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE ALLEGED MISCONDUCT OF UNMOS AT THE WHITE HORSE INN IN KABALE. THE WHITE HORSE INN WORKERS TOLD HIM THAT THE CONTINGENT ACCUSED OF BEING INVOLVED IN THE MISCONDUCT WAS WELL BEHAVED AND NOTHING IN THE NATURE OF WHAT IS ALLEGED IN THE PAPERS TOOK PLACE AT THEIR HOTEL. THE CLO BRIEFED THE UGANDAN ARMY COMMANDER ACCORDINGLY AND AS FAR AS THEY ARE CONCERNED IT IS A DEAD ISSUE.

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3. VIOLATIONS, INCIDENTS AND COMPLAINTS

DATE/TIME	PLACE	EVENT	REMARKS
17/11/93	NTUNGAMO (SOUTH OF MBARARA)	SOME BANYARWANDA (OLD RWANDESE REFUGEES) MOUNTED A RIOT AGAINST THE UGANDAN GOVERNMENT FOR PROHIBITING THEM FROM REGISTERING FOR THE ELECTIONS OF THE NEW CA.	IN OUR OPERATIONAL AREA, MAINLY IN KISORO KABALE AND MUKO, THERE ARE A LOT OF BANYARWANDA LIVING THERE.
17/11/93	KINANIRA (8771)	IN AREA WEST THE ZAIRE ARMY DEPLOYED A PLATOON AT THE BORDER CROSSING POINT WHERE OUR PATROLS OCCASIONALLY GO.	THE PLATOON COMMANDER ASKED THE TEAM LEADER WHY THEY WERE PATROLLING IN THAT AREA, SINCE OUR MANDATE WAS TO MONITOR THE UGANDA/RWANDA BORDER.

4. POLITICAL

NTR

5. ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

(A) WE HAVE RECEIVED FOUR MORE TOYOTA 4x4 FROM UNOSOM. THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE ARRIVAL OF A MI-17 HELICOPTER HAVE BEEN MADE WITH UNOSOM TOO. WE ARE AS ANXIOUS AS EVER TO SEE ITS ARRIVAL.

(B) SOME MEDICINE (VACCINES) WERE RECEIVED FROM UNIFIL.

6. LIAISON, CONTACTS AND MEDIA

NTR

7. OBSERVATIONS

WE ARE CONTINUING TO EXPLORE WAYS AND MEANS WE CAN USE TO ENHANCE OUR OPERATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS, IN LIGHT OF LIMITED RESOURCES. THE CALL FOR MILOBS TO BE PATIENT HAS BEEN TAKEN HEED OF AND OUR ULTIMATE GOAL TO SATISFACTORILY MAKE THIS MISSION A SUCCESS CANNOT BE OVEREMPHASIZED.

IONS OBSERVER MISSION UGANDA/RWANDA
UNOMUR

5 NOVEMBER 1993

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SUBJECT: SITUATION REPORT - FROM 02 TO 15 NOVEMBER 1993	

GENERAL SITUATION AND HIGHLIGHTS

THE SITUATION IN THE MISSION AREA IS GENERALLY CALM.

2. MILITARY

1. MOVEMENT

- (1) HQ/CP
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- (2) HQ/CP

THE FLAG HOISTING CEREMONY (HELD AT KATHUNA) ON
THE 13 NOVEMBER 1993 WAS A RESOUNDING SUCCESS AND
THE ATTENDANCE BY THE LOCAL COMMUNITIES WAS
EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD.

THE RECONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS AT KATHUNA (137)
SATISFACTORILY COMPLETE AND A TOTAL WAS REPORTED
ON 24/ AS FROM THE 19 NOVEMBER 1993.

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PATROLS ARE BEING CARRIED OUT AS USUAL. THE INTIMIDATION AND SUBSEQUENT DETENTION OF OUR TEAM BY THE ACA HAS NOT YET DETERRED NOR DISCOURAGED THE MILOBS FROM CONDUCTING FOOT PATROLS. THEY ARE HOWEVER NOW CAUTIONS OF LIMITING THEIR ACTIVITIES TO 100-200 METRES FROM THE BORDER.

VEHICLE PATROLS ARE CARRIED OUT ON EXISTING ROADS AND TRACKS ALONG THE BORDER AND IN DEPTH. MORE MOTORABLE TRACKS COULD BE OPENED BUT THIS IS HAMPERED BY THE BAD STATE OF OUR 4X4 JEeps. CONSTANT BREAKDOWNS ARE COMMON PLACE. WE HOPE TO INTENSIFY OUR PATROLS AS SOON AS ADDITIONAL VEHICLES AND HELIS ARE MADE AVAILABLE.

(D) PERSONNEL

(1) STRENGTH

(A) AVAILABLE

70 UNMOS, INCLUDING 4 SLOVAK OFFICERS THAT ARRIVED ON 13 NOVEMBER 1993

(B) CASUALTIES

NIL

(C) LEAVE

12, INCLUDING ONE ON COMPASSIONATE LEAVE

(3) TOTAL

82 UNMOS

(4) MEDICAL SITUATION

ALL UNMOS ARE HEALTHY. WE ARE WELL SUPPLIED WITH SUPPLY OF MEDICINES AND AMBULANCES.

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ONE WITH NRA

THE NRA IS BEGINNING TO UNDERSTAND AND PROBABLY APPRECIATE WHAT UNOMUR IS DOING. THE LONG ABSENCE FROM THE OPERATIONAL AREA BY THE CHIEF LIAISON OFFICER MAJOR ZAKYE, LEAVES A LOT TO BE DESIRED.

1. VIOLATIONS, INCIDENTS AND COMPLAINTS

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2. POLITICAL

NTR

3. ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

(A) THE SUPPLY OF VEHICLES AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES FOR THE MISSIONS IS ANXIOUSLY AWAITED FOR.

(B) THE LATEST INFORMATION THAT LOGISTICAL SUPPORT IS NOW WAITING CLEARANCE IN KAMPALA GIVES THE NTR HOPE.

4. LIAISON, CONTACTS AND MEDIA

ON TWO SEPARATE OCCASIONS WE HELD VERY PRIVATE MEETINGS WITH TWO LOCAL OFFICIALS IN KABAHE. THE DISTRICT ATOMAL YAMUO AND THE RESISTANCE CHAIRMAN. BOTH MEETINGS WERE HELD IN A COOL AND RELAXED ATMOSPHERE, FOLLOWING LONG PERIOD WHICH KABAHE HAD SUFFERED. WE INTEND HAVING MORE MEETINGS WITH THE LOCAL OFFICIALS ON A MORE REGULAR BASIS.

OBSERVATIONS

THE SITUATION IN OUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS STILL CALM. THE LOCAL BACK UP IS A CAUSE FOR CONCERN. WE WOULD NOT FORGET TO EMPHASIZE ITS SPEEDY SUPPLY.

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UNITED NATIONS OBSERVER MISSION UGANDA/RWANDA
UNOMUR

8 NOVEMBER 1993

TO: UNAMIR, FC KIGALI	FROM: MATIWAZA A/CMO/UNOMUR
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SUBJECT: SITUATION REPORT - FROM 01 TO 08 NOVEMBER 1993	

1. GENERAL SITUATION AND HIGHLIGHTS

THE SITUATION IN THE MISSION AREA IS GENERALLY CALM EXCEPT THE ALLEGATIONS IN TWO NEWSPAPERS OF UNMOS HAVING SEXUAL RELATIONS WITH LOCALS AND PAYING HIGH PRICES FOR SEX.

2. MILITARY(A) DEPLOYMENT

(1) HQ/CP

NTR.

(2) OP/CP

REFURBISHING OF THE OP/CP NOS 1 AND 2 (CYANIKA AND KATUNA) IS ALMOST COMPLETE. THE FORMER CP IS MANNED NOW 24 HOURS A DAY AND THE LATTER SHALL BE MANNED FOR 24 HRS FROM TUESDAY 9 NOVEMBER DESPITE SOME LOGISTICAL HICCUPS.

(3) PATROLS

WE ARE CONTINUING TO MOUNT BOTH FOOT AND MOBILE PATROLS ON THE BORDER LOOKING FOR NEW TRACKS AND

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SUSPICIOUS MOVEMENT. SNAP VEHICLE CHECKS ARE ALSO BEING DONE. WE INTEND TO CARRY OUT AERIAL PATROLS ONCE HELICOPTERS ARE MADE AVAILABLE.

(B) PERSONNEL

(1) STRENGTH

(A) AVAILABLE
66 UNMOS

(B) CASUALTIES
NIL

(2) LEAVE
11, INCLUDING ONE ON COMPASSIONATE LEAVE.(3) MEDICAL SITUATION
NTR(C) RELATIONS WITH NRA

SO FAR THE NRA HAS PROVIDED FIVE (5) OFFICERS AND SEVENTY (70) SOLDIERS FOR GUARDS AND ESCORTS. THE BIGGEST HANDICAP IS THAT THE NRA DOES NOT HAVE ADEQUATE LOGISTICS LIKE VEHICLES AND RADIO COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT. DETAILED REPORT TO FOLLOW.

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3. VIOLATIONS, INCIDENTS AND COMPLAINTS

DATE/TIME	PLACE	EVENT	REMARKS
02/11/93	VUGAMBA RANGE (4810)	MINE INCIDENT. A 12 YEAR OLD BOY STEPPED ON AN AP MINE AND LOST BOTH LEGS.	NOT ON THE TRACK USED FOR FOOT PATROLLING
03/11/93	KATUNA OP/CP	A UGANDAN TRUCK CAME FROM RWANDA AT APPROXIMATELY THE 2330. DRIVER HAD NO DOCUMENTS LIKE PASSPORT OR DRIVER'S LICENCE TRUCK WAS EMPTY AND THE DRIVER SAID THAT HE WAS COMING TO COLLECT FOOD FOR THE RPF.	TRYING TO MAKE CO-RELATIONS AMONG OTHER VEHICLES.

4. POLITICAL

THERE IS NOTHING MUCH ON THE POLITICAL SIDE EXCEPT THAT AFRICAN HEADS OF STATE/GOVERNMENT ATTENDED A PREFERENTIAL TRADE AREA (PTA) SUMMIT IN KAMPALA BETWEEN 5 AND 6 NOVEMBER 1993.

5. ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

WE ARE STILL AWAITING THE SHIPMENT OF MEDICINES AND AIRLIFTING OF AMBULANCES THE MISSION HAS REQUESTED. WE ARE INFORMED BY FOD THAT IT IS ACTIVELY PURSUING OUR REQUEST AND WE SHOULD EXPECT THE ARRIVAL OF THE MEDICINES AND AMBULANCES REQUESTED SOONEST.

6. LIAISON, CONTACTS AND MEDIA

(A) THE LOCAL VERNACULAR NEWSPAPER (THE ORUMURI) OF 01 NOV, AND THE NATIONAL NEWSPAPER THE OPPOSITION MONITOR (05 NOV) PUBLISHED ARTICLES ACCUSING UNMOs OF PAYING HIGH AMOUNTS OF US DOLLARS TO HAVE INTIMATE RELATIONS WITH LOCAL WOMEN. THIS EVENT CAUSED SOME REACTIONS FROM THE LOCAL PEOPLE (A FEW) AT KABALE.

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WHO BECAME RATHER AGGRESSIVE TO OUR PRESENCE. THE SITUATION IS LIKELY TO STABILIZE SOON.

- (B) ABOUT THE PRESS COVERAGE MADE DURING THE INCIDENT OF THE ARRESTED PATROL ON 28 OCTOBER, THE REPORTERS WERE LOCAL (FROM RPF). TILL NOW WE HAVE NOT SEEN ANY VIDEO CLIP OR PHOTOGRAPHS OF THIS COVERAGE.

7. OBSERVATIONS

THE SITUATION IN UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY IS STILL CALM, DESPITE SOME POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS AS MENTIONED ABOVE BUT FOR US TO BE MORE EFFECTIVE, A FULL COMPLIMENT OF VEHICLES, AMBULANCES, MEDICINES, HELICOPTERS AND OTHER LOGISTICAL BACK UP IS NECESSARY.

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SUBJECT: "ARTICLE ON UN KABALE PEACE KEEPERS" - KAMPALA, 5-9 NOVEMBER 1993	

1. I HAVE BEEN REQUESTED BY GEN. DALLAIRE TO TRANSMIT TO YOU THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE WHICH APPEARED IN THE UGANDAN "MONITOR" OF NOVEMBER 5-9, 1993.

2. WHEN I WAS ALERTED BY MY CONTACTS THAT THE SAID ARTICLE WAS ABOUT TO BE PUBLISHED, I IMMEDIATELY REACHED THE REPORTER AND REQUESTED AN OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND TO THE ACCUSATIONS. I AM A BIT RELIEVED THAT THE ARTICLE REFLECTED OUR POSITION ALTHOUGH MY NAME WAS MISPELLED AND MY VIEWS ON THE CTO WERE MISQUOTED.

3. BEST REGARDS.

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SUBJECT: SITUATION REPORT - FROM 25 TO 31 OCTOBER 1993	

1. GENERAL SITUATION AND HIGHLIGHTS

THE SITUATION IN THE MISSION AREA IS CALM EXCEPT THAT A UNOMUR PATROL TEAM OF 3 MILOBS AND ONE UGANDA SOLDIER/LIAISON OFFICER WAS ARRESTED AND LATER RELEASED ON THE 28 OCTOBER 1993 BY THE RPF WHO ALLEGED THAT THE TEAM HAD CROSSED THE BORDER INTO RWANDESE TERRITORY (SEE PARA. 4). THIS INCIDENT HAS ALREADY BEEN FULLY REPORTED TO HEADQUARTERS AND TO THE FORCE COMMANDER, UNAMIR.

2. MILITARY

(A) DEPLOYMENT

(1) HQ/CP

THE MAIN HQ AND THE AREA COMMAND POSTS WERE DEPLOYED ACCORDING TO THE NEW DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL.

(2) OP/CP

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REFURBISHING OF THE OP/CP NOS 1 AND 3 (CYANIKA AND KATUNA) IS ALMOST COMPLETE. THE TWO CP ARE MANNED NOW FROM 08:00 TO 23:00 AND ALSO FOLLOWING A RANDOM PATROLLING SCHEDULE DURING NIGHT TIME.

- (3) WE ARE NOW REVIEWING TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF STATIC OPS AT CHECK POINTS 4 AND 5, KAFUNZO AND RUBIRIZI RESPECTIVELY.

(4) PATROL

WE ARE CONTINUING TO MOUNT BOTH FOOT AND MOBILE PATROLS OF THE BORDER LOOKING FOR NEW TRACKS AND SUSPICIOUS MOVEMENT. WE ARE ALSO CONDUCTING IN DEPTH PATROLS WITHIN THE PARAMETERS OF OUR MANDATE.

(B) PERSONNEL

(1) STRENGTH

(A) AVAILABLE
77 UNMOS

(B) CASUALTIES
NIL

- (2) LEAVE
09, INCLUDING TWO ON COMPASSIONATE LEAVE.

- (3) MEDICAL SITUATION
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(C) RELATIONS WITH NRA

THE MP PERSONNEL PROVIDED BY THE NRA TO GUARD AND TO ESCORT THE UNOMUR MILOBS AND INSTALLATIONS IS QUITE GOOD, BUT WE HAVE PROBLEMS WHEN USING THEM AS ESCORTS ON THE PATROLS, BECAUSE THEY NEITHER KNOW THE AREA NOR THE LOCAL LANGUAGES.

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3. VIOLATIONS, INCIDENTS AND COMPLAINTS

DATE/TIME	PLACE	EVENT	REMARKS
251000, MONDAY	KISIVE [SHEET KABALE - GRID (284-537)]	PATROL FOUND A BOO- BY-TRAP.	REMOVED NEXT DAY BY THE NRA.
251400, MONDAY	CYANIKA (OP#1)	TEAM C HEARD AN EXPLOSION OF A HAND GRENADE INSIDE RWANDA	EXPLODED BY THE LOCALS.
281230 TO 281830, THURSDAY	BORDERLINE, BETWEEN BOUNDARY PILARS #24A AND 25.	FOOT PATROL OF 03 UNMOS TAKEN CAPTIVE BY RPF FOR SIX HOURS AND NEGOTIATIONS HAD TO BE INITIATED BETWEEN THE RPF AND THE UNOMUR/HQ. BEFORE THE PATROL WAS RELEASED.	RPF TOOK PHOTOGRAPHS AND HAD FULL PRESS COVERAGE - PRESUMABLY FOR THEIR PROPAGANDA PURPOSES.
291700, FRIDAY	CYANIKA (OP#1)	LOCALS REPORTED TO OUR AREA WEST/HQ THAT NRA SOLDIERS HAD STOLEN THEIR GOODS FROM THE MARKET AT CYANIKA VILLAGE. AREA CMDR DISCUSSED THE ISSUE WITH THE LOCAL DA AND THE ISSUE WAS SOLVED AMICABLY.	THIS INDICATES THE CONFIDENCE THAT THE LOCAL PEOPLE HAVE IN UN.

4. POLITICAL

WE ARE FOLLOWING VERY CLOSELY DEVELOPMENTS IN BURUNDI FOLLOWING THE RECENT INCONCLUSIVE MILITARY COUP. WE HAVE NOT NOTICED ANY DIRECT OR INDIRECT EFFECT ON OUR OPERATIONS. WE ARE CONTINUING TO MONITOR PUBLIC AND OTHER REPORTS RELATING TO DEVELOPMENTS ACROSS THE BORDER THAT MAY HAVE AN IMPACT ON OUR OPERATIONS. REGIONAL LEADERS ARE DISCUSSING THE POSSIBILITY OF PROVIDING MILITARY SUPPORT TO THE CIVILIAN GOVERNMENT THAT WAS OUSTED IN THE COUP.

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5. ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

- (A) FACILITIES FOR MEDICAL EVACUATION ARE VIRTUALLY NON-EXISTENT. WE HAVE HOWEVER BEEN INFORMED BY FOD THAT IT IS ACTIVELY PURSUING THE IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF TWO HELICOPTERS AND ONE AMBULANCE FROM UNOSOM FOR UNOMUR. WE CANNOT OVER EMPHASIZE THE NEED FOR A FULLY EQUIPPED AMBULANCE TO BE COMPLIMENTED BY HELICOPTER FOR MEDICAL EVACUATION. THE MISSION IS ALSO OPERATING WITHOUT ANY MEDICAL SUPPLIES. THESE HAVE BEEN REQUESTED FROM FOD WHICH INFORMED US THAT THEIR SHIPMENT IS IMMINENT.
- (B) THE STATE OF OUR VEHICLES IS AFFECTING OUR OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY. WE ARE HOWEVER HAPPY TO NOTE THAT FOD IS ARRANGING FOR THE IMMEDIATE AIRLIFT OF 5 VEHICLES FROM UNOSOM AND IS ALSO CONSIDERING AUTHORIZING US TO PROCURE THE REST OF OUR VEHICLES COMPLIMENT LOCALLY. IN ADDITION, A TRANSPORT OFFICER HAS ARRIVED IN KABALE AND IS INVOLVED IN EVALUATING THE STATUS OF OUR VEHICLES.
- (C) DR. KABIA THE POLITICAL ADVISOR HAS HANDED OVER TO MR. NIELSEN, THE ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES HE KINDLY AGREED TO TAKE OVER DURING THE ABSENCE OF MR. SKOLD THE SAO WHO WAS MEDICALLY EVACUATED ON 22 OCTOBER 1993.

6. LIAISON, CONTACTS AND MEDIA

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7. OBSERVATIONS

THE SITUATION IN OUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS CALM, DESPITE SOME POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS AS MENTIONED ABOVE BUT FOR US TO BE MORE EFFECTIVE, A FULL COMPLIMENT OF VEHICLES, HELICOPTERS AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT IS NECESSARY. WE APPRECIATE THE CONTINUING EFFORTS OF YOUR IMMEDIATE OFFICE AND FOD IN THIS REGARD.