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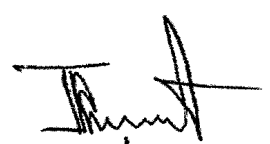
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FROM : MILOB SECTOR 4B

SITREP NO : 46

TO : MILOB GP HQ

DATE: 15 FEB 95

SUBJECT: SITREP COVERING PERIOD 141800 FEB TO 151800 B FEB 95.1. GENERAL SITUATION. CALM.2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. NTR.3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES.A. RPA.

(1) CONTINUING WITH FOOT AND MOBILE PATROLS AND MANNING OF CHECK POINTS.

(2) TRAINING IS IN PROGRESS IN KIBUYE.

B. RGF. NTR.C. OTHERS. NTR.4. OWN ACTIVITIES.

A. A PATROL WENT TO KEBITOVU (GR 3292) TODAY VIA RUTSIRO (GR 3285). THE ROUTE FROM MURUNDA TO KEBITOVU IS BARELY ACCESSABLE AND WILL BE AVOIDED IN THE FUTURE. ON RETURN THEY WENT TO VISIT THE BOURGEMEISTER IN RUTSIRO. HE WAS VERY AGITATED AND SHORT WITH THE TEAM. THIS ATTITUDE IS BECOMING MORE AND MORE PREVELANT WITH THE LOCAL OFFICIALS. THEY FEEL THEY HAVE BEEN ANSWERING THE SAME QUESTIONS ABOUT THE STATUS OF THEIR COMMUNES AND SECTEURS BUT ARE NOT GETTING ANY RESULTS.

WHILE TALKING TO THE BOURGEMEISTER THERE WAS SOME RATHER EXTENSIVE INTEROGATION GOING ON IN THE ROOM NEXT TO THE BOURGEMEISTER'S. THERE WAS A LOT OF SCREAMING AND HITTING TAKING PLACE. ONCE THEY REALISED UNAMIR WAS THERE THE BEATINGS STOPPED. FURTHER INVESTIGATION AS TO WHAT WAS HAPPENING WAS USELESS.

B. A SECOND PATROL WENT TO GACUMBI (GR 1050). EN ROUTE THEY STOPPED IN TO SEE THE BOURGEMEISTER IN RWAMATAMU. THERE THEY WERE KINDLY GIVEN A GUIDE BY THE BOUREMEISTER. UNFORTUNATELY THIS "GUIDE" WAS RPA IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES WHO WAS TOLD BY THE BOURGEMEISTER NOT TO GIVE THESE PEOPLE ANY INFORMATION. UPON ARRIVAL IN GACUMBI THE PATROL SPOKE WITH THE LOCAL RPA WHO SAID THE SITUATION IN THE AREA IS QUITE CALM. A FURTHER INVESTIGATION TO THIS AREA WITHOUT A GUIDE WILL BE DONE IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

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C. A THIRD TEAM WENT TO KALINDA TO INVESTIGATE FURTHER THE STATUS OF THE MEASLES OUTBREAK IN THE AREA. WHILE THE NUMBER OF PATIENTS BEING ADMITTED WITH MEASLES IS INCREASING, THE NUMBER OF DEATHS HAS DROPPED FROM 5/WEEK TO 3/WEEK DUE TO THE ARRIVAL OF MEDICINES.

5. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES. THE HOSPITAL IN RUTSIRO, THAT IS RUN BY CARITAS, IS STILL IN DESPERATE SHAPE. THEY ARE SHORT OF ESSENTIALS LIKE MATTRESSES AND BLANKETS. THEIR MEDICAL SITUATION IS EQUALLY AS BAD.

THE BOURGEMEISTER IN BWAKIRA SAID THAT HE WAS WORRIED ABOUT THE NEXT CROP HARVEST BECAUSE THE SOIL IN HIS COMMUNE IS VERY ROCKY AND THEY HAVE NOT RECEIVED A LOT OF SEEDS.

6. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

7. LOGISTICS. UNAMIR VEH'S 1278 AND 1080 ARE STILL IN THE WORKSHOP AWAITING MAINTENANCE. VEH 1082 IS IN NEED OF NEW TIRES. APPARENTLY THERE ARE NOT ANY IN THE WORKSHOP TO KIGALI.

8. MISCELLANEOUS

A. STRENGTH RETURNS.

(1)	POSTED STRENGTH((MILOBS)	-	28
(2)	ON CTO/LEAVE	-	06
(3)	SICK/HOSPITAL ADMISSION	-	00
(4)	ON DUTY IN KIGALI	-	04
(5)	POSTED BUT NOT YET REPORTED	-	02
(6)	AWAITING REPATRIATION AT END OF TOUR	-	00
(7)	PRESENT IN SECTOR	-	16

B. CIVILPOL.

(1)	POSTED STRENGTH	-	04
(2)	ON CTO/LEAVE	-	02
(3)	ON DUTY IN KIGALI	-	00
(4)	SICK/HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS	-	00
(5)	PRESENT IN SECTOR	-	02

TOTAL = 36