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- A. Z 723 Sheet 31 GIKONGORO, Ecl 1. 1:50,000.
- B. GH2/014/G(OPS) dated 25 Jan 95.

Time Zone used throughout the Instructions: BRAVO.

- 1. SITUATION. No change,
- 2. MISSION. Signal Det is to provide comm during the relief of GHANBATT by ZAMBATT in Sector 4A (s).
- 3. EXECUTION
 - a. Gen Outline. Only Radio Comm will be used throughout the relief. There will be comm over for all convoy movements from Sector 4A (s) to Sector 2. Details of any changes from current arrangements will be comm as and when the situation arises.
 - b. Frequency - No change.
 - c. Net Diagram - No change.
 - d. Coord Instrs.
 - (1) Timings - All radio stns will be opened and manned 24 hrs. Orders for closing down of stns to be comm later.
- 4. SVC SUPPORT. All contingent owned eqpt and UNAMIR eqpt on charge to GHANBATT to be evac to new loc.
- 5. COMMAND AND SIGNALS
 - a. Loc of HQs
 - (1) UNAMIR HQ - No change.
 - (2) GHANBATT HQ - No change.
 - (3) BN TAC HQ - closes down 301800B and link up with Bn HQ KIBUNGO by 311800B Jan 95.
 - b. Signals. No change.

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3000.15 (OPS)

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SUBJECT: SECURITY INSTRUCTION-OP RETOUR.

References:

- A. Z723 Sheet 40 BUTARE, Ed 1 1:50,000
- B. Z723 Sheet 31 GIKONGORO, Ed 1, 1:50,000
- C. Z723 Sheet 17 KIGALI, Ed 1, 1:50,000
- D. Z723 Sheet 23 GITARAMA Ed 1, 1:50,000
- E. Z723 Sheet 26 KIBUNGO Ed 1, 1:50000
- F. 3000.15/1/OPS dated 21 Dec 94.

1 GENERAL

a. The recent conflict in RWANDA has resulted in the displacement of approximately 3 million people from their homes. It is estimated that there are 1.1 million refugees in the areas of GOMA and BUKAVU in ZAIRE. The refugee camps in these areas are controlled by military/militia elements of the former Rwandan government which sees the continuing existence of these camps as a way of maintaining their political power base. There are an additional 1.9 million displaced persons within RWANDA. Most of these DPs are concentrated in camps in the South West of the country in Sector 4. DP camps have been used as operating bases for former government militia elements to carry out attacks within RWANDA.

b. The return of the refugees to their homes will help to break the hold that the former government has over the people in GOMA and BUKAVU, improve the security situation in the border areas and assist in the normalisation of RWANDA.

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c. The DPs need to be returned to their homes in order to reduce the power of the militia in the camps and to reduce the number of attacks that are carried out in the vicinity of the camps.

d. In order that both the refugees and DPs can return home there needs to be assurances that their home communes are safe to return to, the people need to be separated from the military and militia elements of the former regime to prevent intimidation.

e. Op RETOUR therefore is planned for the return of IDPs and refugees to their Home Communes. The initial effort of Op RETOUR will be concentrated on IDPs in the Prefecture of GIKONGORO to their Home Communes principally in the Prefectures of GITARAMA, BUTARE and South KIGALI.

2. MSN. UNAMIR to assist in provision of acceptable security environment in conjunction with resources of the RPA.

3. EXECUTION.

a. General Outline. UNAMIR will ensure provision of security in three phases supported by RPA/Officials of Government and NGOs.

(1) Phase I.

(a) The preparation of Home Communes.

(b) Information Campaign in target camps.

(c) The establishment of conditions in the camps which are conducive to voluntary vacation.

(2) Phase II.

(a) Processing of IDPs through registration, screening and searching procedures in marshalling areas.

(b) The safe movement of IDPs to ORCs/Home Communes.

(3) Phase III. Establishment of IDPs in their Home Communes.

b. Gp and Tasks.

(1) Tac HQ.

(a) Phase I.

i. Gp - No change.

ii. Tasks.

aa. Assist UNREO, UN Agencies and NGOs in coordination of Op RETOUR.

ab. Advice contributing organisations of the level of help that could be expected from formed tps.

ac. Liaise with Prefects and Bourgmestres to ensure adequate security coverage is being provided.

ad. Liaise with the RPA and work out modalities.

ae. Inform HQ UNAMIR of the progress of Open Relief Centres (ORCs).

(b) Phase II.

i. Gp - No change.

ii. Tasks.

aa. Continue the tasks of Phase 1.

ab. Assist all contributing organisations to achieve their tasks.

ac. In concert with UNREO, brief Prefects and Bourgmestres on recurring problems and seek Govt approved solutions.

ad. Increased liaison with the RPA for creation of required security environment.

(c) Phase III. No Change.

(2) ZAMBATT.

(a) Phase I.

i. Gp - No Change

ii Tasks.

aa. Prevent intimidation and harassment of IDPs in camps by extremists within Sector.

ab. Enhance confidence amongst the camp population.

ac. Encourage voluntary relocation to Home Communes.

(b) Phase II.

i. Gp - 1 x Coy.

ii. Tasks. On order:

aa. Provide security of Coy str at target camps in AOR during the period when they are to be vacated. This may include pre-registration. (see Annex A).

ab. Provide security at Marshalling area in target camps in AOR, in consultation with RPA and UNREO.

ac. Provide security to Overnight Way Stations (OWS) located within AOR (to be specified later).

ad. Provide escort of a half section str for each convoy from the IDP camps to the destination communes/Open Relief Centres (ORCs) < see Annex A>.

ae. Provide an RRF of pl str when any convoy is transiting through AOR. X

af. Assist UNHCR and other UN Agencies in organisation of Marshalling areas within AOR.

ag. Liaise with the RPA.

(c) Phase III. Gp and Tasks - No Change.

(3) GHANBATT

(a) Phase I.

i. Gp - No Change.

ii Tasks.

aa. Prevent intimidation and harassment of IDPs in camps by extremists within Sector.

ab. Enhance confidence amongst the camp population.

ac. Encourage voluntary relocation to Home Communes.

ad. Provide security of a sect strength for Home Communes/ORCs located within AOR (see Annex A).

(b) Phase II. **ae. Provide security at IDP camps loc at Kizi, Mugene, Karambi, Gushoro, Buzange with a pl size force at each camp.*

i. Gp - 1x Coy.

ii. Tasks.

aa. Provide security of coy str at target camps (See Annex A).

ab. Provide security at Marshalling area in target camps within AOR.

ac. Provide security to OWS located within AOR (to be specified later).

ad. Provide escort of a half section str for each convoy from the IDP camps to the destination communes/ORCs (Annex A).

ae. Provide an RRF of pl str when any convoy is transiting through AOR.

af. Provide security of sect str for Home Commune/ORCs located within AOR in Sector 2.

ag. Maintain a presence in target camp within AOR during the period when they are being vacated.

ah. Assist UNHCR and other UN Agencies in the organisation of marshalling areas within sector.

ai. Liaise with the RPA.

(c) Phase III. Reduce the conditions for violence in Home Communes within sector during the community reintegration process.

(4) SECTOR 3.

(a) Phase I.

i. Gp - No Change

ii Tasks.

aa. Provide security in the Home Communes in AOR. (Annex A)

~~Deleted~~ → ab. Provide security at IDP camps loc at KIZI, MUGANO, KARAMBI, BUHORO, BUSANGE with a pl size force at each camp.

ab. Provide security to OWS loc at BUTARE.

ac. Provide escort of min half sect str for each convoy from the IDP camps to the destination Communes/ORCs in RUNYINYA, GESHAMVU, KIGEMBI, NIARIZU, NTONGWE, MASANGO, MURAMA, and KIGOMA.

ad. Provide an RRF of a pl str when any DP convoy is transiting through AOR.

(b) Phase II. No change.

(c) Phase III. Provide security of sect str for Home Commune/ORCs located within AOR (Annex A).

(5) INDBATT.

(a) Phase I. Gp and Tasks - No change from present tasks.

(b) Phase II.

i. Gp - No change.

i. Provide security to OWS in KIGALI.

ii. Provide an RRF of a pl str when any

convoy is transiting through AOR.

iii. Liaise with RPA for guarding KIGALI OWS.

(c) Phase III. Be prep to rft with pl size elm in sect 2 & 3 on order.

(6) FRAFBATT.

(a) Phase I.Gp and Tasks - No change from present tasks.

(b) Phase II.

i. Gp - No change.

ii. Tasks. Be prepared to reinforce Sectors 4,3 and 2 on order.

(c) Phase III. Be prepared to reinforce Sectors 4,3 and 2 on order.

(7) ETHIOBATT.

(a) Phase I.Gp and Tasks - No change from present tasks.

(b) Phase II.

i. Gp - No change.

ii. Tasks. Be prepared to reinforce Sectors 4A, 3, and 2 on order.

(c) Phase III. No Change (As per para (7b)).

(8) TUNBATT.

(a) Phase I.Gp and Tasks - No change from present tasks.

(b) Phases II and III.

i. Gp - No change.

ii. Tasks. Be prepared to reinforce Sectors 3, 4A , and 2 on order.

(9) NICOY.

(a) Phase I.

- i. Gp - No Change
- ii Tasks - No Change.

(b) Phases II and III.

- i. Gp - No change.
- ii. Tasks. Be prepared to reinforce Sectors 2, 3, and 4A on order.

(10) MILOB GP HQ.

(a) Phase I.

- i. Gp - As deemed necessary.
- ii. Tasks - Motivate DP population in target camps to return to Home Communes / ORCs.

(b) Phase II.

- i. Gp - No Change
- ii. Tasks.
 - aa. Monitor target camps during evacuation of DPs(Annex A and B)
 - ab. Escort IDP convoys from target camps to ORCs/ Home communes in conjunction with formed troops and RPA.

(c) Phase III.

- i. Tasks.
 - aa. Assist in commune ptls.
 - ab. Monitor security situation of home communes and resettled IDPs.

(11) Force Engr Coy.

(a) Phase I.

- i. Gp - 1 Engr Coy
- ii Tasks - Assist in the prep and repair of BUSORO bridge GR 9547.

(b) Phases II and III. No change.