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KABALO TOWN PLAN LOCATION OF BOMBS

HOSPITAL

MAIN ROAD

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BOMB NO 6

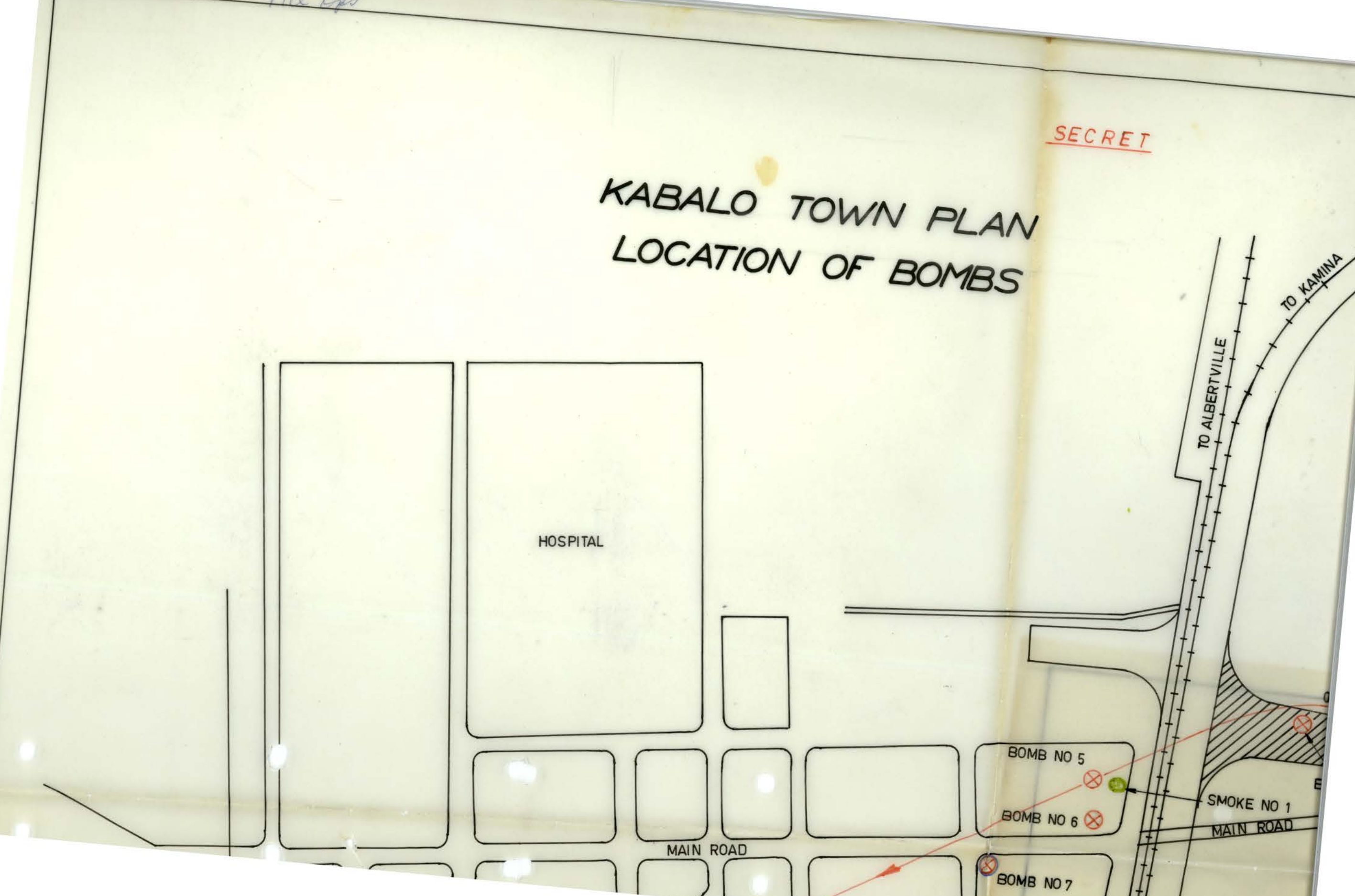
BOMB NO 7

SMOKE NO 1

MAIN ROAD

TO ALBERTVILLE

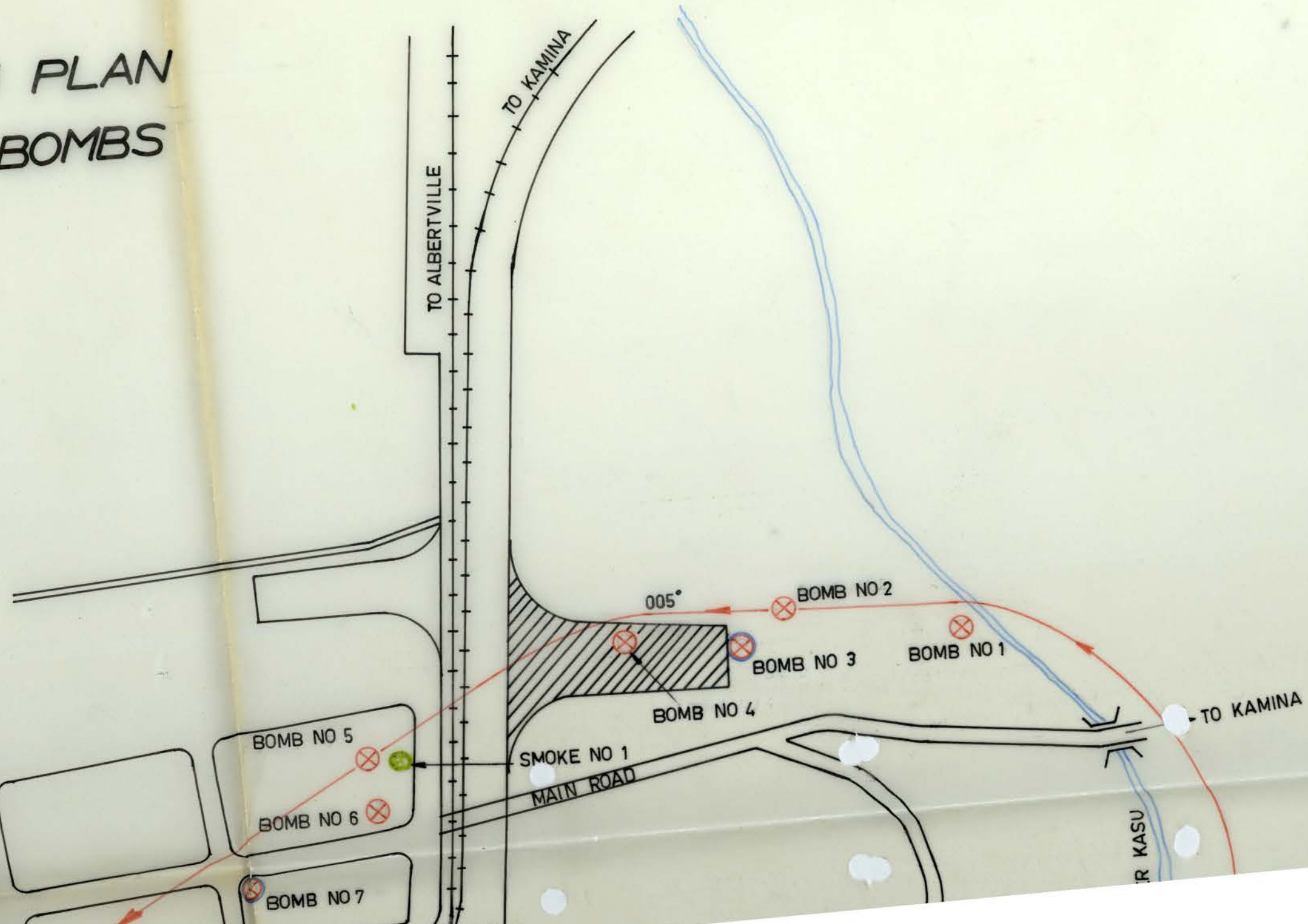
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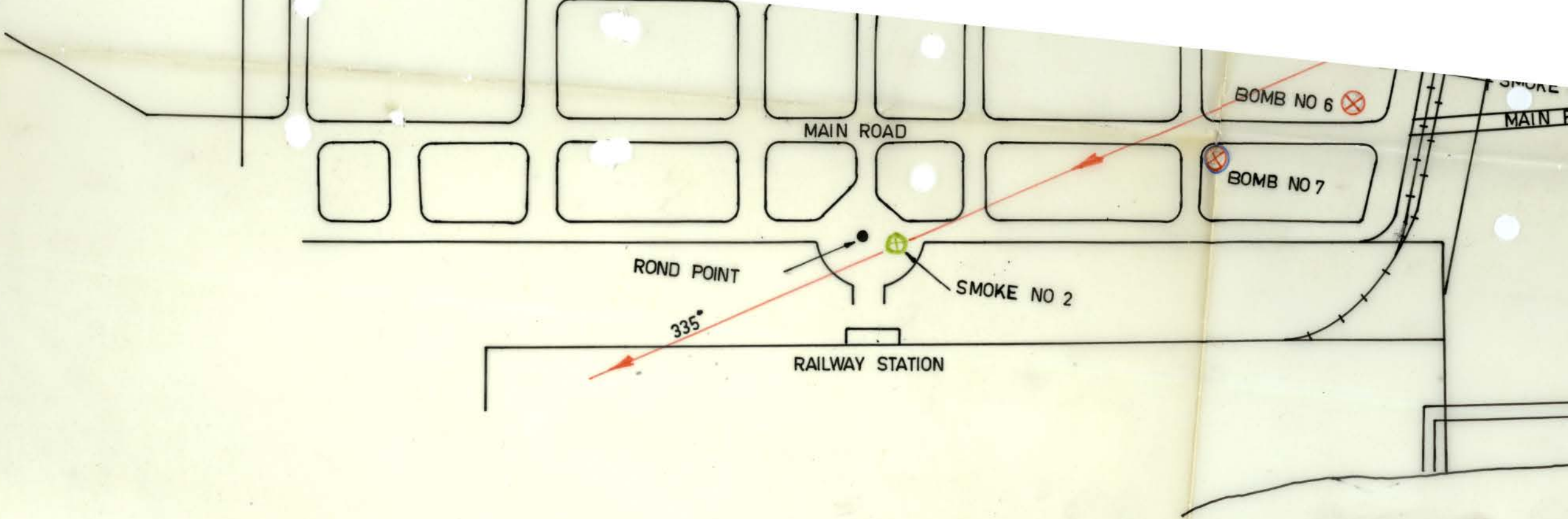


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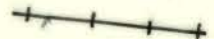




TOWN PLAN LOCATION OF BOMBS

TRACE 'P'





LEGEND

-  BOMB
-  SMOKE GRENADE
-  AC DIRECTION
-  RLY LINE
-  RIVER
-  UNEXPLODED BOMB
-  ROND POINT
-  POLICE QUARTERS

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SCALE 1 CM TO 5000 CM 1/5000

BOMB NO 2

WIDTH 5 METRES

DEPTH 110 CM

ANGLE 140° DIRECTION FROM THE UNEXPLODED BOMB NO 3

AT A DISTANCE ABOUT 35 METRES

GROUND: SWAMPY

BOMB NO 3

UNEXPLODED BOMB

DIAMETER CA 20 CM

BOMB STILL IN GROUND

GROUND: SWAMPY

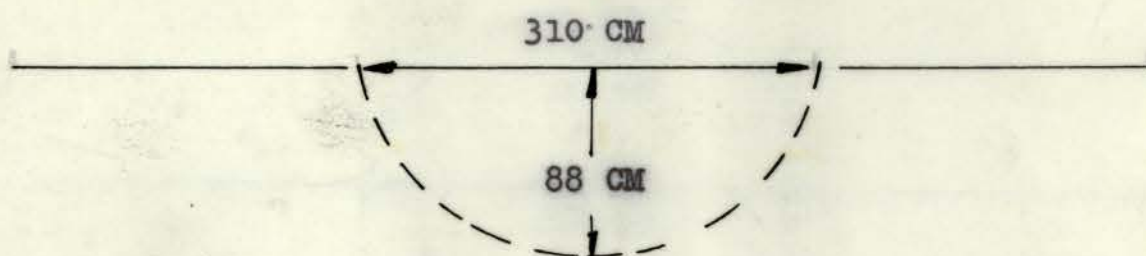
BOMB NO 4

DEPTH 70 CM

WIDTH 200 CM

MAIN DIRECTION OF BLOW - 30° , 240°

BOMB NO 5



DIAMETER 310 CM
DEPTH 88 CM
ANGLE 95° FROM BOMB NO 6
GROUND: SOFT SAND SOIL

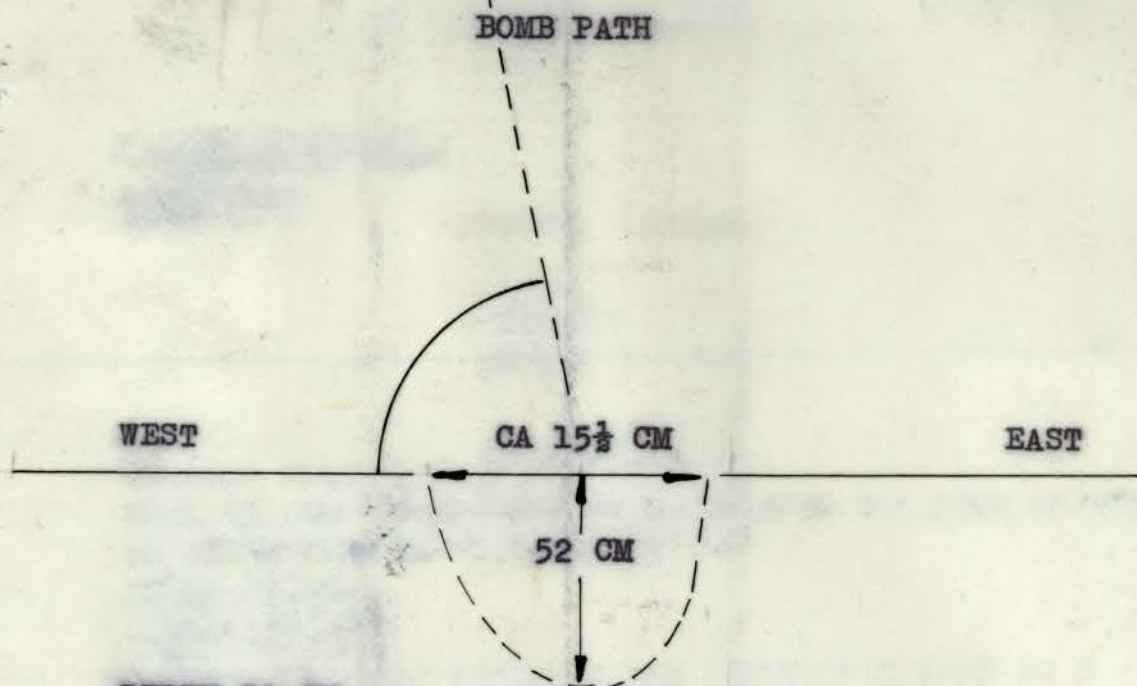
BOMB NO 6



WIDTH 180 CM
DEPTH 55 CM
NO SHOWN DIRECTION OF THE BLOWN
MOST OF THE BLAST APPEARS TO BE EAST AND WEST DIRECTIONS
GROUND: MEDIUM HARD SAND SOIL

BOMB NO 7

(UNEXPLODED BOMB)



DEPTH 52 CM
DIAMETER CA 15 1/2 CM
SURFACE DIAMETER AFTER BEING TOUCHED 41 CM

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November 1962

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Main happenings on the Katangese side.
according to intercepts.

4th of Nov 62. There seem to have been going operations in the BAUDOUINVILLE sector. A message was intercepted at 0900 hrs on the 4th from 36A MOBA (little town just outside BAUDOUINVILLE) to 38A ELIZABETHVILLE stating: "We are informing you that the ANC has already started fighting with us since the 1st of November. We are still engaged in the fighting."

The message does not tell us anything as to where this fighting has taken place or any further details. It is however, reasonable to believe that it must have been in the area NORTH of KAPONA, possibly on the crossroads from MUKATO (on the main road between A'ville and KAPONA) and westwards towards KINSUKULU.

A Katangese operators conversation (the message does not tell between which stations, though) on the same date reveals that the ANC with a strength of 1000 men have attacked the KAT SEND in the KONGOLO sector on the road to LUBUNDA about 60 kms WEST of Kongo

5th of November.

Operations apparently still are going on in the BAUDOUINVILLE sector. A message intercepted at 0630 hrs from 36A MOBA to 38A E'VILLE asking for supply of petrol for vehicles also mentions that they are still under operations at that end. Ciphertext messages going out from main HQ in E'ville to MITWABA (where the 21st Bn KATSEND has its COMMAND POST) and KONGOLO most probably contain operational instructions. (We have not been

able to break the cipher, unfortunately.)

6th of November.

At 2200 hrs on this date a FLASH message from 28 KONGOLO to 384 E'ville states that the ANC is attacking and the location is 7 km from KONGOLO. Situation is described as grave and reinforcements are required. The message-writing originator is JUPITER (obviously the KAT SECTOR COMD in KONGOLO) and the recipient SATURN (apparently an operations officer at main HQ, E'ville).

7th of November.

An operators conversation between 134 DIZOLO and 384 E'ville was intercepted at 0600 hrs revealing that the situation was very grave at KONGOLO. The ANC were at a distance of 2 kms from KONGOLO, fighting still going on.

At 0830 hrs this date a message was intercepted originating from the GROUPEMENT commander in E'ville and instructing the SECTOR commander at Jadotville to open the airfield, and take away the drums barring the runways. The background for this measure was to let airplanes come down and refill there.

At 0915 hrs a message from 17 Jadotville to 82 MITWABA, originator SECTOR commander at Jadotville for action commander 21 Bn in MITWABA was intercepted. The message alerted the 21 Bn KAT & W referring to previously issued orders. It was also requested to get the GROUPE MOBILE ready. All companies in the area were to be informed of this pronto.

Apparently the Katangese feared an attack in this

area as well.

8th of November.

At 1715 hrs a message was intercepted from 34 KOLWEZI to 38 E'ville, originator COMMANDER BRIGADE 34 for action: Major MBAYO, CHEF ETAT MAJOR MILIKAT et CHEF de CABINET at 38 E'ville. The message said that according to latest information the pilots had just returned and they said that LT COL KIMWANGA (KATANGESE sector commander in KONGOLO) must be informed that he had to come to KOLWEZI on the 8-11-62, as he must leave 9-11-62 for KONGOLO early in the morning. His presence would do good, and without him nothing would be well. —

It appears that the Lt col at this time was in E'ville conferring with the president, because in the evening this date (the message bears the DTO 081950-13 nov 62) he sends back a "classical" message full of pater, where he urges the forces at KONGOLO to be at good spirits "because on the 9th the Lt col will return with POWERFUL THINGS." The situation at KONGOLO seems to be that MBIZA (small village situated on the EAST bank of ^{along the railroad} the LUALABA river, roughly 15 kms SOUTH of KONGOLO) has fallen in the SOUTH, pressure (possibly from the NORTH?) is towards KILUBI and from the EAST towards LENSWE. The airport defence is scant (only 20 men). Kongolo demanded 1 coy reinforcement. At this date the ONVC sector C at KAMINA reported radar detection of flights

had taken place. Katangese airplanes (as it was not ours) were moving in the early morning hours - around 0400 hrs.

9th of November.

Messages originating from KAMINA and MITWABA indicate that the Katangese forces in these areas have been alerted. Units are in position. At 1320 hrs a message is intercepted from a radio station called LUSAKA-3, positioned at LENGWE, where they are asking the president of KATANGA to send a plane urgently as MIBULULA is in peril. They say they are obliged to ask for this plane. The answer to this request is prompt since E'ville answers back at 1400 hrs that they will come immediately. The airport is to be cleared. (Possibly the one at LENGWE or KAREN-
GA)

A possibility that ONUC planes in this vicinity might be interfered with is indicated in a message intercepted at 18³⁰ hrs. The message is from 38 E'ville to 28 KONGOLO, DTO 091730-13 nov 62. Originator G-2 at 38, action: Commander sector at 28. Text: "We inform you that the enemies will get plane for bringing in reinforcements. That plane belongs to UNO. It is better to make efforts that those enemies should not enter in." Signed originator.

12th of November

There appear to have been many wounded at LENGWE. Airplane is being requested (and supplied) to evacuate the casualties from

LENGWE. Message to this effect was intercepted at 0915 hrs. On the same date a deciphered telegram received at 2200 hrs states that 2 Europeans and 4 Africans have been killed on the ANC-side in the recent operations at LENGWE.

13th of November.

Situation at KONGOLO this date seems to be calm, an operators conversation to that effect was intercepted at 1700 hrs.

Apparently reinforcements and supplies were flown in to KONGOLO. Messages indicating this were received at 1000 hrs and 1015 hrs. A plane called GROSSBEAK and a DOVE had landed in the area.

14th of November.

Apparently the ANC has been pressed back from the LENGWE area again. A deciphered message intercepted at 1100 hrs from the radio station RENGO 1 at LENGWE to 384 E'ville reads: "We are asking for rations for the KAT BEND. They are suffering from hunger. We are also asking for clothes and medicines. Everything was looted. Soldiers are coming back."

15th of November.

A message was intercepted at 0905 hrs from the radio station RENGO 6, LENGWE to 384 E'ville.

In deciphered version the message reads:

"Nos positions ète LENGWE, MAKUTANO, ville KASANGA et MBULULA."

It seems as if the ANC may have broken into the KONGOLO area since messages intercepted

at 10⁰⁰ hrs from 38A ELIZABETHVILLE to RENGO 1
LENGWE and at 10¹⁵ hrs from 38A ELIZABETH-
VILLE to RENGO 6, LENGWE both concern in-
formations of the exact locations of the local
positions. Both messages are in cipher.

16th of Nov.

Nothing particular.

17th of Nov.

On this date an important message is inter-
cepted ^{at 0930 hrs} which shows that the KATANGESE have
units of white personnel. Secondly the names
of 2 mercenaries are revealed. The message
is from JUPITER (apparently code name for the
sector comd at KONGOLO, Lt Col KIMWANGA) to
SATURN (some operations officer) at 38A Eville.
In its deciphered version the message reads:

" PROMESSE FAIT ENVOYER UNE CIE DES
BLANC POUR CAPITAINE WAUTIE. INFO
MAJOR DE CLARY INSISTE SUR L'URGENCE. "

(Promise is made to send one company of whites
for captain Wautie. Please inform major de
CLARY to insist on the urgency.)

The person WAUTIE probably is the same as
captain R. WAUTHIER - a Belgian who has
previously been repatriated by ONUC from
Eville the 8th of Sept 1961. Major MICHEL
VIDAL DE CLARY is a well known French

mercenary mentioned in the Security Council's last report on mercenaries and at present apparently keeping a position in Tshombe's CABINET MILITAIRE as some kind of an adviser on the use of mercenaries (or as an operations officer, he is an experienced army officer.)

Another message ^{was} intercepted at 10⁰⁰ hrs from LENO 1 KONGOLO to 384 ELIZABETHVILLE. The message is in cipher. Contents are that the logistics situation is strained, and the Katangese soldiers are - besides being superstitious (as it is stated) - getting tired and reluctant. A colonel DRAPPER is being mentioned. He is requested to make certain purchases for them. This man most likely is a mercenary by the name of DRAPIER, a BELGIAN major who has also once been repatriated in Sept 61. He is at present at KOLWEZI apparently (possibly having arrived there from RVANDA URUNDI via Rhodesia). (The purchases that he was supposed to make may also be just another way of telling him to bring in some mercenaries, 4 to one unit and 4 to another.)

18th of Nov.

At 17³⁰ hrs a message is intercepted from the station 5 DV at LENO 1 to station RENO 1 at KONGOLO. The message bears DTG 18 1415-13 NOV 62. Text runs like this: "We are asking you to send a plane CB with reinforcements immediately. The attack is very strong now. Now it is 5 kms

from LENOUE. And at 17⁵⁵ hrs another message is intercepted from RENGO 1, KONGOLO to SATURN and ANIBAL at 38A. DTD = 181725-13 NOV 62. The message is a FLASH message and in deciphered form it reads: "DEMANDE D'URGENCE DOVE ATTAQUE TRES DURE A LENOUE." Apparently the Katangese planes are capable of frightening the ANC just by dropping bombs.

19th of Nov.

At 07⁵⁰ hrs a deciphered message from RENGO 1 at KONGOLO to SATURN 38A E'rille shows that the situation at LUSAKA 3 - another Katangese station in the KONGOLO-area - is grave. And at 08⁰⁵ hrs another message from JUPITER, KONGOLO to SATURN 38A E'rille is deciphered. Message reads: "SITUATION KONGOLO GRAVE RENFORT, JP TAVERNIER ET NAVTIE NE FAIT RIEN. N'OBEIT PAS SOUS PRIVILEGE CARTA BLANCHE. LE MANGER DEMANDE POUR KAT N'ARRIVE JAMAIS. LES SOLDATS SONT EN GENERAL FATIGUES NE VELENT SE BATTRE. DEMANDONS IMMEDIATEMENT AUTRE CIE KATANGAIS, LES VIVRES, MUNITIONS POINT 30 FAL MAUSER, ONU MORTIER 81." And at 11³⁰ hrs another message is intercepted. Its deciphered version reads: "ANC ATTAQUE LENOUE. ENVOYER RENFORT HOMMES CE JOUR MBULULA." The

request originates from JUPITER in KONGOLO to SATURN in E'ville.

22nd of Nov.

Very little seems to have happened up to this date - a possible lull in the fighting judging from messages intercepted - . But on the 22nd at 22³⁰ hrs a FLASH message from station 5 DV at LENGWE to 384 in E'ville is intercepted. The message - in its deciphered form - reads: "AVONS BIEN RECU VOTRE TLG. PAS MOYEN D'ATTAQUER KITULE, MBILA. COMBAT CONTINUE LENGWE. DEMANDONS RENFORT COMPAGNIE D'ATTAQUER MBILA, KITULE." This message indicates that plans for a counterattack, direction MBILA and from there towards KITULE was contemplated. Apparently resources are not considered sufficient to carry out such a plan.

23rd of Nov.

On this date a message is intercepted at 19³⁰ hrs, from SATURN 384, EVILLE to JUPITER, KONGOLO which in its deciphered form reads: "DEMANDONS CONFIRMATION EXACTE SUR VOTRE DIRECTION DE COMBAT."

It seems that the main HQ now wants to know what Lt Col KIMWANGA has decided to do. Other messages this date indicate shortage of food stuffs and petrol for vehicles + ammunition at KONGOLO.

24th of Nov.

A message intercepted at 08⁵⁰ hrs from 5 DV

LENGWE to 384 EVILLE, originator JUPITER at SDV, for action SATURN, COMMANDER FORCES KATANGA, and major MBAYO, CABINET MILITER. The deciphered text reads (translated for KISWAHILI): "We have sent messages, but no reply. If it becomes grave, I shall be in trouble. We are asking the general to come soon."

Apparently pressure is such, that local radio stations have to be moved, and therefore - or due to breakdowns - communications with certain sub-areas and units are not in operation. The commander wants the general's presence in the KONGOLO area.

Furthermore evacuations of certain persons are starting from KONGOLO this date. A message from EVILLE to RENGO 1, MBULULA was intercepted at 11¹⁵ hrs. Its deciphered version reads:

" PROCHAIN AVION PREVENIR AU VILLAGE KUNDU
MR MAKAYABO LUBOBO, MADAME NYOTA, MWANGE
MARCELINE ET MR LUGOMA NYEMBO QUI
SERONT RAMENES A KOLWEZI PAR ORDRE
SUPERIEUR."

25th of November.

At 10⁰⁰ hrs a message in clear from the COMMANDER IN CHIEF FT to the sector commander in KONGOLO is intercepted. The general declines the request to come to KONGOLO as "we are also on the alert" he says.

Further this date operators conversations reveal that the wireless set at KONGOLO has broken down and the local commander JUPITER has moved over to

LENGWE.

26th of November.

Nothing particular.

27th of November.

There seem to be some quarreling on the radio net between Lt Col KIMWANGA, the sector commander at KONGOLO, and SATURN - some operations officer at main HQ in Eville - . The colonel says: (in Kiswahili) "You should not regard me as a bluffing child. You say: 'Go, we shall do it accordingly'. On arriving here not a single thing is being done. And when things are getting worse you become alarmed and make fuss. After a lot of promises nothing is done. I am human, and know now that whatever you say you won't do it."

Apparently on his visit in Eville he has been promised aid of various kinds. Possibly this is not being followed up, and then quarrels start on the net.

At 0830 hrs an communication is intercepted originating from PASTEUR (a mercenary in KASONGO NIEMBOS Service at KAMINAVILLE) to RAUL 31A, the president's residence. Contents were: "Situation of MAREHEPILANI, KONGOLO is very grave. Enemies are at 3 km's distance. We are asking for one PUSH PUSH (airplane) with ammunition, and rations immediately. This plane will carry back those who have escaped from danger. Very often we are receiving contradictory informations. The enemy are trying to employ their forces in vast operations."

At 1545 hrs a deciphered message from 31 Eville to JUPITER, originator major MBAYO, action Jupiter reads:

"ORDRE PRESIKAT. COLONEL KIMWANSA DOIT REVOINDRE KONGOLO ET DOIT METTRE SES HOMMES A LA DISPOSITION DE TAMBWE TUBONGE POUR RENFORCER SA POSITION."

28th of November.

At 17⁴⁵ hrs a message from 22 KONGOLO to 31A Elizabethville is intercepted. Message reads: "Situation of 22 KONGOLO is very grave."

At 21¹⁵ hrs a message from 31A E'ville to 22 KONGOLO is intercepted. Deciphered it reads:

"ORDRE FORMEL. ENVOYER IMMEDIATEMENT RENFORTS A KONGOLO. VOUS ETES RESPONSABLE."

Apparently it is reinforcements from one end of the sector KONGOLO to the other they are hinting at.

29th of Nov 62.

At 06³⁵ hrs a message is intercepted from 21 MBULULA to SATURN 31A ELISABETHVILLE. Message reads: "Officers are asking from SATURN to send PUSH PUSH as soon as possible as the situation is grave at 21 MBULULA."

At 06⁵⁰ hrs another message from 21 MBULULA to SATURN 31A E'ville reads:

"We are urgently asking for planes to evacuate officers, women, paracommandos and some gendarmeries."

It is not completely understood why all these military individuals should be evacuated. But

apparently it is white mercenary soldiers they are talking about.

30th of Nov.

At 1130 hrs an important message is intercepted from 21 MBULULA to 31A E'ville. Originator 21, action SATURN, INFO: KOLWEZI. In its deciphered form message reads:

"KONGOLO ABANDONNE. PONT SAUTE. ETABLISSEMENT DEFENSE KATANGA. BESOIN URGENCE SEQUENCE MUNITIONS ET ALEXANDRA AVEC SON ORCHESTRE."

"Alexander with his orchestra" means the pilot ALEXANDER with the bombing planes presumably.

White mercenaries at KONGOLO probably are acting after certain directives. The following message indicating this was intercepted at 1715 hrs this date.

Originator: Commander 21 MBULULA, action: Commander in Chief at 31A. Info: Etal Major at 30 KOLWEZI.

Text: "Captain TAVERNIER did a very bad policy with the PARADOs. On Tuesday he sent away all the powerful arms to BLACK & WHITE. He said that president of KATANGA had ordered the withdrawal of all the white troops from 21 MBULULA. He sent a message to president that he had captured MBILA and LUBUNDA. All these were lies. He took away cannon 75 mm without JUPITER'S knowledge. On Thursday he sent all WHITE TROOPS and declared that all operations there were finished.

He wanted to take the PARACDOS with him to BLACK and WHITE, and sent a message to president of KATANGA that the PARACDOS and their officers had all deserted. All this is a lie. Here the PARACDOS are ready. He sent the other PARACDOS to KOLWEZI." signed ORIGINATOR.

The BLACK and WHITE referred to here is a station (and probably a unit) in the KABONGO sector, the locality is LENGÉ on the railroad between KABONGO and KATSAO, roughly 75 km NE of KABONGO.

Leopoldville, 13 November 1962

KATANGA BOMBING OPERATIONS

On the morning of 12 November 1962, two bombs were dropped at Kabalo near the railway station. The departure of the train had to be delayed 12 hours for the line to be checked. Two others were dropped in the African city. It was reported that five civilians had been killed, four civilians wounded and two ANC soldiers also wounded.

On 13 November 1962, children who were reported to have been wounded in the village of WRAYO near Mbuyuku were brought to ONUC Headquarters in Albertville. Two were wounded in the arm, one child was severely wounded in chest and head and a girl of 15 was also seriously wounded in the chest. All these casualties were admitted in the Albertville hospital. A preliminary examination of wounded children indicated that their wounds must have resulted from an explosion of some projectile.

It was reported that five other children had died during the bombing but their remains had not been taken to Albertville.

In Senterly, the ONUC doctor saw two persons, one with a gunshot wound and another with what looked like a splinter wound. These were reported to be some of the casualties from machine-gun and bomb attacks in an area 14 to 24 kilometres west of Kongolo. It was stated that 2 ANC soldiers who died as a result of these attacks had been buried away from Senterly.

The Observation Group which went to Kabalo on 14 November 1962, inspected two places where small grenades had been dropped and observed in the town itself an area where three bombs had been dropped, one of which had not exploded. The Group reported damage to windows and doors of CFL and collected one small grenade and fragments of a bomb found inside a tree trunk. Photos of different views of two craters caused by exploded bombs and of trees damaged were taken.

KONGOLO INCIDENTS

10 November 1962

(Ref: Secret No. 85)

Kat used using mercenaries and heavy weapons like mortars of 81 and 60 calibres

Masiala's stores took on 9 Nov following areas:

- 5 Mauser rifles
- 2 Sub-machine guns
- 4 Vickers
- 6 Pig Bombs
- 6 cases of 3" bombs
- 13 Telescopic lenses of 3 inches

Telephonic line cut on the road from Kongolo to Mbulula.

Kat aircrafts bombed MBILA and threw 13 bombs among which 3 not exploded.

About 50 bombs thrown near the bridge on Lukuga near Kabeya Maji north of Nyunzu.

Recce by Kat aircrafts were by 10 DC-3 and Air Brousses types.

11 November 1962

(Ref: Secret No. 86)

Heavy bombardment by 4 Kat aircrafts painted in Khaki. On 10 November bombardment started at 0730 local time in Kungubunawa the Kitale and Kaseya area until 1100 LT. Renewed attacks at 1530 till 1600 hrs same day. Another bombardment at 1900 hours and lasted through the night, in following areas: MBILA, KITALE, KASEYA and at KASALO at railway station and near hospital. Unspecified number of ANC casualties in SENTERY.

(Ref: Secret No. 89)

Kat aircrafts bombed hospital of Masaka which is on road between KASEYA MAJI AND NYUNZU. City of Kabalo also bombed.

(Ref: Secret No. 90)

Bombardment stopped at 1000 hrs 11 Nov resulting in some casualties among civilian population. At 1115 hrs a jet strafed area between Kongolo and ANC position situated at junction of road of Kaseya and Luhanda.

12 November 1962

(Ref: Secret No. 92)

CFL Director informed 2 bombs dropped on morning of 12 Nov at Kabalo near railway station at a distance of 50 and 200 metres respectively. Departure of train delayed by 12 hours.

Masiala declares areas of Kabalo, Kitale, Mbulula, Kaseya and Kabeya Maji still under bombardment from DC-3.

12 November 1962

(Ref: Secret Sp. 96)

Nasials informed 2 two-engined aircraft bombed village of MBUYU on road from Kinshasa to Nyasaba killing 5 civilians and wounding 4 civilians and 2 ANC soldiers.

In Kabalo area 2 bombs thrown over native city.

Ref: Debriefing Report
Mission Order No. 152
from Kabala 1/11 Nov.

2 Harvards found at Kabanga Air field.

13 November 1962

(Ref: Unclass No 99)

Kat gendarmerie launched ground attack on the road from Kabeya Raja to Lungew. One ANC adjutant (NCO) killed.

(Ref: Unclass 50218)

Children reported injured during bombing 12 Nov in village of MBAYO near Mbayuku brought to ONUC HQ, Aville.

2 children around 7 yrs severely wounded in arm.
1 child of 9 yrs severely wounded in chest and head
1 woman of 15 years severely wounded in chest.
All children looking bedraggled, pericardial, and with a number of other scars on body.

Mawala also said 5 other children had died during bombing.

Injured children are in A'ville hospital.

(Ref: Unclass OPS/618
from Luluabourg)

Report from doctor who visited Sentery:
Two lightly wounded. One had bomb wound and other gunshot wound, both flesh only.

Air attack was with machine guns and bombs and took place at two points: 14 kms and 24 kms west of Kongolo.

Two dead ANC were buried.

(Ref: UNCLAS 101)

Preliminary examinations of wounded children revealed multiplicity and similarity of wounds among the 4 children must have resulted by explosion of some projectile.

Age of 4 wounded children: two of 8 yrs, one of 12 years and one woman of 16 years.

14 November 1962

(Ref: Secret Sp. 103)

Observation Group visited Kabalo 14 Nov. Found 2 places where small grenades were dropped and in town where 3 bombs were dropped, one of which was blind. Photographed some fragments of projectiles.

14 November 1962

(UNOOK/1)

UN Observer Group visited Kabala 14 Nov.
One DC-3 seen at 1120Z going towards Kongolo.
Height 2500 ft above ground and about 3 miles from
railway station. ANC fired for 3 minutes.

(Ref: Secret No. 103)

Observation Group brought from Kabala:
1 small grenade
Cast iron fragments from a bomb found inside
a tree trunk and some other fragments and
explosive material handed by ANC.
Photo taken of different views of 3 craters of
exploded bombs and views of trees damaged by
fragments.
One outpatient woman.
Damage to glasses of windows and doors of CHL.

15 November 1962

(Ref: OPS 696 from Lulu)

Sentry was visited by UN officer, one doctor
from Lulu, one doctor from Kaina and 1 ANC officer.
According to WHO doctors, Capt Mulala is a
schizophrenic, and 5 wounded now at Sentry.

Following information already given confirmed:
6 wounded, evacuated to Sentry, one discharged,
and all except one were wounded in buttocks or
thighs which indicates mortar wounds. All
obsessed with aircraft action and refer to bombs.
1 piece metal only available as evidence which
could be either mortar or bomb.

2 ANC soldiers, killed on 8 and 10 Nov, buried
at Sentry. Not known what weapon killed them.

Scene of air attack is at least 20 kms on the
Kongolo side of present ANC positions and the
scene again stated to be 14 kms from Kongolo.

ANC stated 4 aircraft stationed at place called
MBULULA and 4 at Kongolo.

16 November 1962

(Ref: UNOOK 4)

Observer Group confirm there was bombing at
Kabala on Sunday 11 Nov at approx 0500Z.
1 Aircraft was used, had 2 engine, colour grey,
presumably DC-3.

7 Bombs and 2 small 36 grenade were dropped.
2 bombs mine exploded; 1 mine unexploded due
to impossible swamp dimension.

16 November 1962

(Ref: UNOGK 4) cont'd:
from A'ville

Casualties: 1 woman and 1 man were hit by bomb fragments. Woman is now an outpatient and man went to A'ville. Places of hit were at the arm and foot respectively. Only damage to glasses and window panes (broken). Some further bomb fragments were found.

5 witnesses interviewed, one was eyewitness. could not help much ~~in~~ identifying type of aircraft.

1 Mine unexploded bomb still in soft ground. Orders given not to touch.

16 November (1800Z)

(Ref: Secret No. 106 from
Ghaleb)

Masiala informed Ghaleb area of MBUYU north of KIAMBI continuously bombarded. This has caused death of 26 civilians and many wounded. Kat gendarmerie from Kiambi advanced north towards Nyunzu and crossed River Lukulu.

Masiala concerned Kat gend may proceed further north and could cut railway line between A'ville and Kabalo somewhere between Nyunzu and Nyemba.

17 November 1962

(Ref: Secret No 109)
from Ghaleb

Ghaleb interrogated on 17 Nov 2 injured ANC soldiers who claimed wounded in MBUYU 16 Nov at 0900 by fragments of bombs thrown by a small red tailed aircraft. Out of 3 bombs thrown 2 exploded and 1 was blind. At 1600 hrs same day 4 more bombs were thrown. The two soldiers confirmed 26 civilians killed and 3 ANC wounded. One of the wounded soldiers said he was injured while in process of leaving his position to rescue some wounded civilians.

Masiala said since 1600 hrs 16 Nov until 0700 hrs 17 Nov the aircraft was still bombarding this area killing 16 more civilians.

OMS doctors instructed to all all cases of wounded to see if really they have some bomb fragments. Task made difficult because of lack of x-ray facilities.

17 November 1962
(UNOGK 5) from
Albertville

ANC informed a combined infantry land air attack at KIAMBI effective 0800 17 Nov. Latest report: Katangese troop in Mbuyu which is location of 12 Battalion ANC.

19 November 1962
(Ref: Secret No. 111
from A'ville)

Masiala informed Ghaleb Katangese bombardments continued November 18 and 19 over Mbuyu area. As result air raids 6 villagers dead and 4 wounded. Masiala could give no details of aircraft responsible for bombing.

22 November 1962
(Ref: Secret Int 51 from
Sector A, A'ville)

KABEYA-MAJI (North Nyunzu) being attacked since 0800Z 22 Nov by 4 aircrafts. 3 aircrafts are of Air Brousse type with 2 engines and one single-engine. The 3 Air Brousse aircraft operating together bombing from high altitude. Single-engine aircraft attacking ANC troops with machine guns. Kat Gend also reported to have started an infantry attack against ANC at 1500 hrs 21 Nov in the area. Many bombs have been dropped on morning of 22 Nov in repeated attacks.

(Ref: Secret No. 119
from Ghaleb)

Masiala informed bombardment continued afternoon of 22 Nov between Kabeya-Maji and Lengwe. Several raids by 6 planes. Two jet fighters 2 twin-engined Cessna type and 2 DC3 type.

23 November 1962
(Ref: Secret No. 122
from Ghaleb)

of
Masiala informed Ghaleb/continuous bombardment during the day (23 Nov) over area KABEYA-MAJI, LENGWE by 2 DC-3 type aircraft and over Mbuyu Mbayo area by one aircraft. Casualties in the latter locality: 2 wounded ANC soldiers and 4 civilians killed.

Air raids accompanied by ground attacks on both fronts. ANC captured one Kat jeep and one radio type PRC-10 at Mbuyu.

Katangese have airstrips at KONOLOLO, MBULULA and LENGWE on Kongolo Nyunzu road where attacking aircrafts are based.

ONUC recce jets noticed by Masiala's men at Mbuyu Nyunzu Nyemba but not over Kabeya-Maji.

24 November 1962
(Ref: Secret No. 124)

Masiala informs Ghaleb at 0940 hrs 24 Nov that aerial bombing by 6 Kat aircrafts are still continuing on Sec Mbuyu and Nyunzu. At same time attacks by infantry of Katangese with

24 November 1962
(Ref: Secret No. 124
continued)

mortars, machine guns are going on. According to reports Kat strength is 3 Bns at Mbuyu and 2 battalions at Kabeya Maji. Kat forces well equipped with jeeps and trucks. Wounded soldiers, since ~~rxm~~ transported to A'ville, report presence of mercenaries. They report to have seen one jeep with 4 Europeans who were responsible for their injuries. ANC reports heavy losses which cannot be checked at this time.

(Ref: Secret ALBFLO 1
from Sector "A" A'ville)

Demolition team visited Kabalo 24 Nov.
1 exploded smoke grenade mark M 50 American,
dug up and 1 unexploded 50 lb bomb defused
and brought to A'ville. Both dropped 11 Nov.

News recd 2 Kat aircraft - DC-3 type or Dove -
commenced bombing of Kiambi approx 37 miles eash
Manono 0730Z 24 Nov.

Masiala insists 6 Kat aircraft based on Lengwe
and that there are 1500 mercenaries at Kansimba.

7 Kat gend captured 15-19 Nov immediate neigh-
bourhood Albertville sent to Léo 24 Nov. 62.

25 November 1962
(Ref: Secret No. 125)

Kat Airforce attacked Kiambi Mbayo area from
0600 to 0800 hrs 25 Nov. ANC has got 4 wounded
soldiers who are being evacuated to Albertville.

26 November 1962
(Ref: Secret No. 126)

Masiala informs Ghaleb at 0900 26 Nov fighting
continued in region Mbuyu. No Kat aircraft
reported. Kat ground forces attack in strength
of 2 battalions with cannon, mortars, machine
guns. 3 more wounded ANC arrived Albertville.

(Ref: Secret No. 127)

Details of Kat attack on Mbuyu: One of the 2
battalions attacking in this area is composed
strictly of mercenaries and they have taken MBUYU.
No Kat aircraft reported in this area.

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TO ONUC LEO

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SECRET UNOGK/1 GARDINER FORCE COMDR FROM SGALEB AND COMB

SEC A. MESSAGE 1 FROM UNATIONS OBSERVER GROUP KABALO 14

NOV QUOTE 1 AIRCRAFT DC3 SEEN AT 1120Z GOING TOWARDS KONGOLO:

HEIGHT 2500 FT ABOVE THE GROUND AND ABOUT 3 MILES FROM RAILWAY

STATION. AND FIRED FOR 3 MINUTES DURATION. SITUATION OTHERWISE

CALM UNQUOTE

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TO ONUC LEO
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SECRET NO 103 GARDINER FORCE COMMANDER FROM GHALEB.

REUR AL 347 FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY OF REPORT ON VISIT OF UNATIONS
OBSERVER GROUP TO KABALO 14 NOVEMBER

PARA 1 THE GROUP WAS COMPOSED OF COL NASIALA WITH 2 JUNIOR
OFFICERS OF ANC MYSELF COL KHALYD YASSIN COMMANDER SECTOR A
MAJOR DERVEN AIR BASE COMMANDER ALB

PARA 2 OBSERVATION GROUP REMAINING IN KABALO COMPOSED OF
LT RYNNING AIR OPS ALB LT ZEIN AND LT KASSEEM OF MALAYAN
SPECIAL FORCE 4 WIRELESS OPERATORS OF MSF SURGEON/LT IAK
CHATTERJEE OF ONUC HOSPITAL ALB 1 ONUC INTERPRETER AND LT
ILUNGA LIAISON OFFICER OF ANC

PARA 3 WE BROUGHT FROM KABALO 1 SMALL GRENADE, CAST IRON
FRAGMENTS FROM AYE BOMB FOUND INSIDE AYE TREE TRUNK AND SOME
OTHER FRAGMENTS AND EXPLOSIVE MATERIAL HANDED BY ANC

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PARA 4 EYE TOOK AYE FOLM CONTAINING DIFFERENT VIEWS OF 2
CRATERS OF EXPLODED BOMBS AND VIEWS OF TREES DAMAGED BY
FRAGMENTS

PARA 5 NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED WHICH WERE CAUSED BY
BOMBARDMENT EXCEPT AN OUTPATIENT WOMAN WHO WILL BE THOROUGHLY
EXAMINED AND REPORT FORWARDED

PARA 6 NO DAMAGE EXCEPT GLASSES OF WINDOWS AND DOORS OF
CFL BY ABOVE MENTIONED BOMBS

PARA 7 ANC PROVIDED TRANSPORT AND FULL COOPERATION

PARA 8 AS REQUESTED REPORT FILM AND EXHIBITS WILL BE SENT
BY FIRST AVAILABLE FLIGHT ON FRIDAY

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TO ONUC LED

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SECRET NO 102 GARDINER FORCE COMDB FROM SHALED AND COMDB SEC A

FIRST OBSERVATION GROUP TOGETHER WITH OURSELVES AND MASIALA

ARRIVED AT KABALO AT 0720Z TODAY AND RETURNED ALB AROUND 1200Z.

FROM PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION WE FOUND OUT 2 PLACES WHERE SMALL

GRENADES WERE DROPPED AND IN THE TOWN WHERE 3 BOMBS WERE DROPPED

1 OF WHICH WAS BLIND. NO SERIOUS DAMAGE TO BUILDING OR PROPERTY OR

CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED. WE WILL SEND BY FIRST AVAILABLE PLANE

FULL REPORT ON ABOVE MENTIONED FACTS WITH AYE FILM TO BE DEVELOPED

AND SOME FRAGMENTS OF PROJECTILES. THE REMAINING GROUP IN KABALO IS

PROVIDED WITH WIRELESS AND WILL CONTINUE INVESTIGATING AND WE WILL

INFORM YOU ACCORDINGLY. RECEIVED FULL COOPERATION FROM ANC WHERE

PROVIDED WITH TRANSPORT. GROUP IS ACCOMMODATED IN RAILWAY STATION IN

AYE CEL FLAT. REUR SECRET FC 1478 PLEASE CLARIFY PARA 1 QUOTE THE

FUNCTION OF THE INVESTIGATION GROUP IS TO INQUIRE INTO AND REPORT

ON ALLEGED BOMBING BY ANC AIRCRAFT UNQUOTE

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UNCLAS GARDINER FROM CHALEB. AS NO FLIGHT FROM ALBERTVILLE TO LEO
AVAILABLE TOMORROW TO TAKE REPORT ON OBSERVATION GROUP VISIT TO
KABALO PLEASE GIVE INSTRUCTIONS FOR A PLANE TO BE DIVERTED TO
PASS THROUGH HERE

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UNCLAS 101 CARDINER FROM CHALEP. FURTHER TO MY UNCLAS 38
PRELIMINARY EXAMINATIONS OF WOUNDED CHILDREN HAS REVEALED
THAT THE MULTIPLICITY AND SIMILARITY OF WOUNDS AMONG THE FOUR
CHILDREN MUST HAVE RESULTED BY EXPLOSION OF SOME PROJECTILE.
UNFORTUNATELY THE X-RAY APPARATUS HERE IS OUT OF ORDER RESULTING IN
ONLY SUPERFICIAL EXAMINATION. WE WILL TRY TO HAVE THEM THOROUGHLY
EXAMINED TOMORROW AND SEND YOU MORE DETAILS. PARA THE AGE OF
WOUNDED ARE TWO OF EIGHT YEARS ONE OF TWELVE YEARS AND ONE
WOMAN OF FIFTEEN YEARS.

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SECRET NO 100 GARDINER FROM GHAE8

REUR AV342 MASIALA HAS RECEIVED ORDERS TO HALT ALL TROOP
MOVEMENTS BUT IN CASE OF ANY KATANGESE ATTACK HE IS TO MAKE
COUNTER ATTACK. BY DOING THIS COUNTER ATTACK HIS POSITIONS ARE
MODIFIED AND THUS HE HAS TO PROCEED FURTHER AS FAR AS HE CAN
AS HE STATED IN THE MEETING WE HAD, YOUR PRESENCE IN MY OFFICE.
WHAT EYE IMPLIED BY QUOTE AIR PROTECTION UNQUOTE WAS THAT IF
ONUC RECONNAISSANCE AIRCRAFT ARE SEEN OFTEN OVER THE FRONT
LINE OF THE OPERATIONAL AREA THIS WILL PREVENT THE KATANGESE
TO HAVE SUCH AN IMPORTANT AIR ACTIVITY.

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UNCLAS CARRIER FORCE COMMANDER FROM CHARLES .. SUMMER BY SECRET
DE MONTVILLE TODAY BROUGHT TO THIS HEADQUARTERS CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN
INJURED IN SEVERAL PARTS OF THE BODY DURING SOMETIME YESTERDAY 12 NOV
IN VILLAGE OF MBOYO NEAR MONTVILLE. AMONG INJURIES SUSTAINED WERE : TWO
YOUNG CHILDREN AROUND SEVEN SEVERELY WOUNDED IN RIGHT ARM 2 AND CH-
ILD OF NINE YEARS SEVERELY WOUNDED IN CHEST AND HEAD AND 3 WOMAN OF
FIFTEEN YEARS SEVERELY WOUNDED IN CHEST

PARA ALL THESE CHILDREN WERE LOOKING REDDAGGLED PANICSTRICKEN
AND WITH AVE NUMBER OF OTHER SCARS ON THE BODY PARA
SOL MONTVILLE ALSO SAID THAT FIVE OTHER CHILDREN HAD DIED DURING
DURING IN SAID VILLAGE WOUNDED AND IN MONTVILLE HOSPITAL . WILL
FORWARD HOSPITAL REPORT

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TO ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE

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UNCLAS NO 99 GARDINER FORCE COMMANDER FROM GHALEB. FURTHER TO
OUR SECRET 85 WITH INFORMATION THAT ABOUT FIFTY BOMBS HAVE BEEN
THROWN NEAR THE BRIDGE ON THE LUKUGA NEAR KABEYA MAJI NORTH OF
NYUNZU, MASIALA RECEIVED INFORMATION TODAY THAT THE KATANGESE
GERNARMERIE HAS LAUNCHED A GROUND ATTACK ON THE ROAD FROM KABEYA
MAJI TO LENGEW. IN THIS ATTACK ONE ANC ADJUDANT (NCO) HAS BEEN
KILLED AND HAS REPULSED THIS ATTACK AND ADVANCED SIX OR SEVEN
KMS TOWARDS LENGEW. PARA MASIALA ALSO INFORMED THAT AYE PLANE HAS
BEEN HOVERING TODAY OVER KABALO AYE NUMBER OF TIMES UNTIL 1400
HOURS WITHOUT THROWING BOMBS.

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SECRET NO97 GARDINER FORCE COMMANDER FROM GHALEB AND
COMMANDER SECTOR A. REUR AV 343 WE ARE BOTH GOING TOMORROW
MORNING 0600Z TO KABALO WITH MASIALA WHO HAS RECEIVED CLEARANCE
TO LAND THERE. WE ARE INTENDING TO STAY THERE FOR ABOUT AN
HOUR AND THEN COME BACK LEAVING THERE AYE PARTY COMPOSED OF
2 MALAYAN OFFICERS 1 NORWEGIAN PILOT WITH BOMBING EXPERIENCE
4 RADIO OPERATORS AND 1 DOCTOR

PARA EVERYTHING IS READY BUT WE ARE STILL EXPECTING (1)

DEFINITE ORDERS FROM FORCE COMMANDER TO COMMANDER SECTOR 'A
INSTRUCTING HIM TO SEND AYE PARTY TO KABALO (2) INSTRUCTIONS
TO OUR REQUEST OF YESTERDAY FOR AYE MILITARY DOCTOR AT ONUC
HOSPITAL TO PROCEED WITH THE PARTY AND (3) CLEAR AND DEFINITE
INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING OUR MISSION THERE

PARA PLEASE SEE THAT THESE REQUESTS ARE FULFILLED SOONEST
POSSIBLE TO ALLOW US TO LEAVE TOMORROW MORNING

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UNCLAS OPS/618. FOR GARDINER. REPORT BY BM AND DOCTER. FIRST.

INFORMANT AT SENTERY WAS CAPT MULULO WHO CLAIMED

TO HAVE BEEN IN THE ACTION. THE TWO LIGHTLY WOUNDED WERE ONLY

OTHERS WHO HAD BEEN THERE. ONE HAD BOMB WOUND CMM OTHER

GUNSHOT WOUND CMM BOTH FLESH ONLY. NEITHER DESCRIBED ACTION

AS ONLY CONCERN WAS THEIR WOUND. SECOND. AIR ATTACK WAS WITH

MACHINE GUNS AND BOMBS AND TOOK PLACE AT TWO POINT 14 KMS AND

24 KMS WEST OF KONGOLO . THIS IS ABOUT 180 KMS FROM SENTERY.

ATTACK WAS DIRECTED AT ANC AND NO CICILIAN CASUALTIES WERE

REPORTED BY ANC CAPT. THIRD. TWO DEAD ANC WERE BURIED. IT IS NOT

KNOWN WHETHER CASUALTIES WERE FROM GROUND OR AIR .

ACTION. ANC CAPT CONSIDERED VERY FEW CASUALTIES THROUGH OUT

WHOLE OPERATION AND CATEGORICALLY STATED NONE LEFT BETWEEN

FORWARD TROOPS AND SENTERY

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AND SEC COMD

PC/1 478 OF 13 NOVEMBER 62 FOR MR CHALIER FROM FORCE COMD REF YOUR
SECRET NO 97 AND SUBSEQUENTLY NA'S CONVERSATION ON 13B THIS MORNING
PARA 1. THE FUNCTION OF THE INVESTIGATION GROUP IS TO INQUIRE INTO AND
REPORT ON ALLIED BOMBINGS BY ANG AIRCRAFT.

PARA 2. THE INVESTIGATION GROUP SHOULD VISIT SELECTED AREA OR AREAS
AND REPORT UPON

- a. CASUALTIES
- b. DAMAGE TO BUILDINGS AND PROPERTY
- c. EXAMINE BOMB CRATERS, TAKING DIMENSIONS OF SAME
- d. COLLECT BOMB FRAGMENTS TO HELP IN IDENTIFICATION OF TYPE AND
BOMBS USED
- e. INTERVIEW WITNESSES
- f. WHERE POSSIBLE PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE SHOULD BE OBTAINED

PARA 3. THE REPORT OF THIS FIRST INVESTIGATION GROUP IS NEEDED URGENTLY.
SO SAVE TIME PROBLEMS OF ~~PERSONS~~ ACCOMMODATION AND TPT ARE BEING LEFT TO
ANG. THE INVESTIGATION GROUP SHOULD RETURN TO AVILLE WITHOUT DELAY AS SOON
AS SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE HAS BEEN COLLECTED AND FORWARD SAME TO ONUC LHO
BY QUICKEST MEANS.

PARA 4. ANOTHER INVESTIGATION TEAM WILL PROCEED LATER TO KARALO AND WILL
REMAIN THERE FOR SOME TIME. COMPLETE ORDERS FOR LATER GROUPS WILL BE

CANLED 14 NOVEMBER.
cc. Mr. Gardiner
Dep. P.C.,
COS, N.Ops, N.Info

/cc

KG Lt. Secy.
Lt. Col. Mattinson
Force Commander
13.11.1962

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SECRET OP3896 FOR FORCE COMD GARDINER COS CHIEF OF MIL
OPS AND MIL INFO. SITREP NO 449. PERIOD COVERED 141600Z TO
151600Z.

SENTERY. VISITED BY UN OFFICER 1 DR FROM LULU 1 DR FROM KASINDA
1 ANC OFFICER. CAPT MULALA, WHO DR3 SAY IS A SCHIZOPRENIC, AND
5 WOUNDED NOW AT SENTERY. CONFIRM INFORMATION ALREADY GIVEN
IN SITREP 446 AND OP3681. IN ALL THERE HAVE BEEN 6 WOUNDED
EVACUATED TO SENTERY, 1 SINCE DISCHARGED AND ALL EXCEPT 1
WERE WOUNDED IN BUTTOCKS OR THIGHS WHICH INDICATES MORTAR
WOUNDS. HOWEVER ALL OBSESSED WITH AIRCRAFT ACTION AND REFER
TO BOMBS. 1 PIECE METAL ONLY AVAILABLE AS EVIDENCE WHICH
COULD BE EITHER MORTAR OR BOMB. 2 DEAD ANC, KILLED ON 8 AND 10
NOV, BURIED AT SENTERY. NOT KNOWN WHAT WEAPON KILLED THEM.
THERE ARE NO WOUNDED AT KABINDA AND NEVER HAVE BEEN. THE SCENE
OF THE AIR ATTACK IS AT LEAST 20 KMS ON THE KONGOLO SIDE OF
PRESENT ANC POSITIONS AND THE SCENE AGAIN STATED TO BE 14 KMS
FROM KONGOLO. ANC STATED THAT 4 AIRCRAFT ARE STATIONED AT
PLACE CALLED MBULULA AND 4 AT KONGOLO. AFTER CONTINUAL
QUESTIONING IT WAS STATED AIRCRAFT WERE SINGLE ENGINED BUT
THIS IS UNRELIABLE. INVESTIGATORS THINK THAT IT WAS NOT KNOWN
AND ANSWER WAS GIVEN FOR SAKE OF AN ANSWER. ANC STATED THAT
ALL AIRCRAFT WHETHER ONU OR KATANGESE WILL BE SHOT AT BY ANC TPS.

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WHILST INVESTIGATION WAS TAKING PLACE AN ONUC 3 TON VEHICLE
DRIVEN BY GENDARMERIE OR ANC AND CARRYING A COW WENT THROUGH
SENTERY. IMPOSSIBLE TO GET NUMBER OR STOP VEHICLE. ON INQUIRY
IT WAS STATED THAT VEHICLE WAS 1 OF THOSE LENT BY ONU TO
DIRECTOIRE AT KABINDA, WHICH ARE PARKED NEXT TO ANC CAMP THERE.
IT WOULD APPEAR THAT ANC ARE USING ONU TRANSPORT.
NO KNOWLEDGE OF CIVILIAN CASUALTIES FROM AIR ATTACK.
WHO VEHICLE BELONGING TO FORMER SENTERY DOCTOR RECOVERED.
TSHIKAPA. PATROL VISITED KAMONIA 32 MILES DISTANT AND
DELIVERED MEDICAL STORES. MISSIONARIES DO NOT MIND IF ONU LEAVES
AREA.

DIMBELENSE. SIERRA LEONE PATROL PASSED HERE AND PATROLLING
AREA FOR NEXT 2 DAYS.

LULU. NON LULUAS MUST OBTAIN RESIDENCE PERMIT FROM PREMIER
BOURGMEISTER BEFORE ACCEPTANCE IN HOTELS. 1 ONU LOCALLY
EMPLOYED ALREADY AFFECTED AS HIS PERMIT IS 15 DAYS ONLY
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REFERENCE YOUR SECRET NO 90.

MARSIALA'S REQUEST IS NOT IN KEEPING WITH THE PROMISES WHICH PRIME MINISTER HAS MADE TO ONUC AND TO DE BUNCHE DURING HIS VISIT. SECOREN HAS REQUESTED ADGULA AND TSHOMBE TO HALT ALL TROOP MOVEMENTS. INTERVENTION OF ONUC IS TO PREVENT INDISCRIMINATE KILLING FROM THE AIR BY KATANGHESE PLANES. UNITED NATIONS IS ^{NOT} TO BE EXPECTED TO PROVIDE COVER FOR CONGOLESE MILITARY OPERATIONS CONTRARY TO INSTRUCTIONS OF SECOREN AND THE PROMISES OF CONGOLESE GOVT. MOREOVER, THE PRESENCE OF OUR INVESTIGATION GROUP IN KABALO IS BASED ON ASSUMPTION THAT IT WILL STOP ALL MILITARY AND AIR OPERATIONS IN THIS TROUBLED AREA. EYE HAVE DISCUSSED THESE POINTS WITH CONGOLESE AUTHORITIES. IF ~~MMMMMM~~ MARSIALA HAS INSTRUCTIONS TO CONTRARY, PLEASE LET ME KNOW.

HKG/ln
1635 Hrs LT

T.O.R.

BY :

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Drafted by :

Authorized : R K Gardiner

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SECRET NO 96 GARDINER FORCE COMMANDER FROM CHALEB AND
SECTOR A COMMANDER. NASIALA INFORMS THAT 2 TWO-ENGINE AIR-
CRAFTS HAVE BOMBARDED VILLAGE OF MBUYU ON THE ROAD FROM KIAMBU
TO NYEMBA KILLING 5 CIVILIANS AND WOUNDING 4 CIVILIANS AND 2 ANC
SOLDIERS.

PARA IN KABALO AREA 2 BOMBS HAVE BEEN THROWN OVER THE NATIVE
CITY.

PARA BOTH ATTACKS HAVE BEEN CARRIED OUT AROUND 1700 HOURS.
PARA NASIALA THINKS THAT ONUC AIR RECCE AT LOW ALTITUDE AT
LEAST TWICE AYE DAY WILL PREVENT KATANGESE TO USE THEIR AIR-
CRAFTS IN THESE AREAS AND HE POINTED OUT THAT HIS TROOPS ARE
WELCOMING THESE RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS BY UNATIONS. THIS THERE
IS NO DANGER THAT ONUC AIRCRAFT SHOULD BE SHOT AT BY THE ANC.

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SECRET NO 95

GARDINER FORCE COMMANDER FROM GHALEB

MASIALA IS REQUESTING THE FOLLOWING SPARE PARTS WHICH ARE
TOTALLY MISSING HERE FOR BEDFORD TRUCKS 53-55

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THESE SPARE PARTS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE 9 BEDFORD TRUCKS LYING
IDLE OUT OF THE 19 THAT WAS DELIVERED TO THEM BY ONUC DURING AUG.

MASIALA ALSO REQUESTS FOLLOWING SPARE PARTS FOR THE LANDROVERS
53-55 IN HIS POSSESSION

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FM ONUC ALB

TO ONUC LEO

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S E C R E T NO 94 GARDINER FORCE COMDB FROM GHALEB AND COMDR
SEC A REUR AV341 AND YOUR FC1474 MASIALA HAS BEEN INFORMED
THAT UN OBSERVERS ARE GOING TO KABALO BUT AS HIS COMMUNICATION
WITH ANC HQ IN LEO IS NOT VERY RAPID HE REQUESTS THAT MR
GARDINER SHOULD CONTACT GENERAL MOBUTU WHO WILL ISSUE THE
ORDERS TO MASIALA ON THIS SUBJECT. WHEN HE RECEIVES SAID
ORDERS HE WILL TAKE NECESSARY MEASURES THAT HIS MEN IN KABALO
WILL BE INFORMED AND HE WILL CONFIRM THIS TO US. HE THINKS
THAT ABOUT 4 HOURS ARE NEEDED FOR HIM TO SEND INSTRUCTIONS
TO KABALO AND RECEIVE CONFIRMATION. MASIALA DECLARES THAT
THE AREAS OF KABALO KITULE MBILA KASEYA AND KABEYA MAJI ARE
STILL UNDER BOMBARDMENT FROM DC 3 AIRCRAFT

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UNCLAS OPS/57B TOP AIR COMMANDER. EVACUATION OF WOUNDED. AT SENTRY
ARE THREE SLIGHTLY WOUNDED, AND, ONE OF WHICH IS SELF INFLICTED
NO EVACUATION IS NECESSARY. IT IS BELIEVED A FEW WOUNDED HAVE
ALREADY COME BY ROAD TO KABINDA. AND CAPTAIN AND SENTRY ADMINISTRATOR
BOTH ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN NO WOUNDED NEED OR HELP ANYWHERE

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TO ONUC LEO

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S E C R E T NO 92 GARDINER FORCE COMDR FROM GHALEB.

MR BRUART DIRECTOR OF CFL INFORMED ME THAT 2 BOMBS HAVE BEEN
DROPPED THIS MORNING AT KABALO NEAR THE RAILWAY STATION AT AYE
DISTANCE OF 50 AND 200 METRES RESPECTIVELY. CFL WAS THUS
OBLIGED TO DELAY DEPARTURE OF TRAIN FROM 8 AM TO 8 PM AS
MOST OF THE PASSENGERS HAVE FLED IN THE BUSH. DIRECT
COMMUNICATION BY CFL TELEPHONE HAS BEEN CUT SO HE IS SENDING
DRAISINE TO ASCERTAIN THAT NO DAMAGE HAS BEEN CAUSED TO THE
TRACK TO AVOID ANY ACCIDENT TO THE TRAIN LEAVING TONIGHT.
ON ARRIVAL OF TRAIN HE WILL INTERROGATE EYEWITNESSES AND
GIVE US FURTHER DETAILS ON MATTER

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TO ONJC LEO

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SECRET NO 90 GARDINER FORCE COMDR FROM GHALEB
AND COMDR SEC A. FURTHER TO MY SECRET 86 AND 89 MASIALA
INFORMED ME THAT BOMBARDMENT WHICH WAS CARRIED OUT SINCE
YESTERDAY ON KABALO AREA STOPPED AT 1600 TODAY RESULTING
IN SOME CASUALTIES AMONG CIVILIAN POPULATION. AT 1115
HOURS A JET AIRCRAFT WAS HOVERING OVER KITULE KABALO
AREA STRAFING THE AREA BETWEEN KONGOLO AND THE ANC
POSITION SITUATED AT THE JUNCTION OF THE ROAD OF THE
KASEYA AND LUBUNDA. NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED AND
ANC TROOPS AT FIRST THOUGHT THAT IT WAS AN UNATIONS
FIGHTER GIVING THEM AIR COVER. AS DIRECT CONTACT BETWEEN
ANC POSITION IN KASEYA AREA AND KABALO HAS NOT YET BEEN
REESTABLISHED THIS INFORMATION CAME FROM KASEYA TO
KONGOLO THROUGH ANC KEE POSITIONS IN MBILA. MASIALA IS
EXTREMELY EAGER TO CAPTURE KONGOLO TO REESTABLISH
COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN ALB AND THE REST OF THE CONGO
THROUGH THIS BOTTLE-NECK. HE CONFIRMED THAT ON 8 NOV
THE ADVANCED POSITION OF THE ANC TROOPS WERE ONLY 2 KMS

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FROM KONGOLO BUT AFTER THE INTERVENTION OF KATANGESE
AIRFORCE THEY HAVE BEEN COMPELLED TO WITHDRAW TO AROUND
10 KMS FROM KONGOLO. HE REQUESTS ANY HELP FROM UNATIONS
TO ASSIST HIM TO TAKE KONGOLO AS HE CANNOT SEND MORE
REINFORCEMENTS TO THIS AREA. HE BELIEVES THAT IF ONUC
AIRCRAFT COULD FROM TIME TO TIME COVER OVER THE ANC
POSITIONS IN THIS AREA THIS COULD REINFORCE MORAL OF
HIS TROOPS WHICH HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT UNATIONS IS
GIVING THEM AIR PROTECTION

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SECRET FC/1474. FOR SEC CMD FROM FORCE COMMANDER

PARA 1. PREPARE (3) OFFICERS AND (1) DOCTOR TO BE SENT TO
KABALO AS MEMBERS OF A SPECIAL OBSERVER GROUP FOR FACT FINDING.
STAND BY AND AWAIT FINAL ORDER.

PARA 2. INFORM COL MARIALA SO THAT HE WILL WARN HIS PEOPLE
IN AREA OF UN OBSERVERS GOING TO KABALO. CONFIRM TO THIS HQ
THAT HE HAS ISSUED THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

PARA 3. INFORM COL MARIALA SO THAT HE WILL ALSO MAKE READY
ON HIS PART (3) OFFICERS WHO WILL ACCOMPANY UN GROUP.

PARA 4. NOTE THIS SPECIAL OBSERVER GROUP HAS NO CONNECTION
WITH OBSERVER GROUP FOR USE IN IMPLEMENTATION OF CEASE FIRE
AGREEMENT.

cc: Mr. Gardiner
Air Commander
COS
Chief Mil Ops
Chief Mil Info

T.O.R.

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BY :

Drafted by : LT COL MATTISON
Authorized : FORCE COMDR
Date : 11 NOV 62

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DATE: 11 November 1962

NUMBER: AV- 339

REFERENCE YOUR SECRET NO 85. HIGH ALTITUDE
RECONNAISSANCE BY FIGHTER PLANES WAS ORDERED FOR SATURDAY
AND SUNDAY. TSHOMBE HAS BEEN INFORMED OF THESE STEPS TAKEN
BY ONUC. SINCE THE ANC IN KISUKULU AND MBUYU ARE NOT IN
TOUCH WITH A'VILLE, WE HAVE REFRAINED FROM LOW ALTITUDE
RECONNAISSANCE BY HELICOPTERS. AIR COMMODORE HAS THE SITUATION
IN HAND AND WILL COMMUNICATE OBSERVATIONS MADE.

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cc: Force Commander
Air Commodore

T. C. R.

BY :

Drafted by : R K Gardiner

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To : GHALES ALBERTVILLE
 From : GARDINER LEOPOLDVILLE
 Date : 11 November 1962
 No. : AV-341

Re your 85, 86, 89.

- 1) Doctor is on his way by air to Senty to give aid to victims of Katangese bombing.
- 2) Authority is being sought from New York to send ONUC observer group consisting of a doctor, three ONUC military personnel and representatives of ANC Albertville Command to Kabalo tomorrow 12 November.
- 3) Intensive reconnaissance to check on reports already in operation.
- 4) An announcement on Katangese offensive air operations will be made soon after clearance with New York.
- 5) Further announcement will declare action which ONUC is to take against Katangese plans.

PN 111125Z
FM ONUC ALB
TO ONUC LEO
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SECRET HQ 89 GARDINER FORCE COMOR FROM GHALED.
FURTHER TO MY SECRET 85 AND 86 CHIEF OF POLICE CAME TO
SAY THAT HE HAS RECEIVED INFORMATION ON TELEPHONE FROM
ADMINISTRATOR OF NYUNZU THAT KATANGESE AIRCRAFT HAS
BOMBARDED HOSPITAL OF MABAMBA WHICH IS ON THE ROAD
BETWEEN KADEYA MAJI AND NYUNZU, HE CONFIRMED THAT
CITY OF KABALO HAS ALSO BEEN BOMBARDED

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BE IN ERROR, SERVICE WILL BE SENT UPON REQUEST

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TO ONUC LFO

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S E C R E T N086 GARDINER FORCE COMMANDER FROM GHALEB
AND COMDR SEC A. MASIALA INFORMED THAT OWING TO HEAVY
BOMBARDMENT THEY HAD TO UNDERGO BY 4 KATANGESE PLANES
PAINTED IN KHAKI IT SEEMS THAT NO ACTIVITIES COULD BE UNDER-
TAKEN BY HIS MEN IN THE KONGOLO AREA AND SPECIALLY AT THE
JUNCTION OF THE ROADS OF KASEYA AND LUBUNDA. THE
BOMBARDMENT BY THESE 4 PLANES STARTED YESTERDAY AT 0730
LOCAL TIME TILL 1100 IN THE KITULE AND KASEYA AREA. THEN
THESE PLANES RENEWED THEIR ATTACKS AT 1530 TILL 1600 HOURS
THE BOMBARDMENT STARTED AGAIN AT 1900 HOURS AND THROUGH
THE NIGHT AND IT SEEMS THAT IT IS STILL GOING ON MAINLY
IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS. MBILA KITULE KASEYA AND AT
KABALO AT THE RAILWAY STATION AND NEAR HOSPITAL. NO
CONTACT HAS BEEN POSSIBLE DIRECTLY WITH KASEYA AREA AND
ONLY INFORMATION HAS COME ~~MA~~ FROM KABALO. IN KABALO THESE

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BOMBARDMENTS HAVE RESULTED IN MANY CASUALTIES SPECIALLY CIVILIANS. HE ADDED THAT NEVER MEN UNDER HIS COMMAND HAD BEEN SUBJECT TO SUCH HEAVY BOMBARDMENTS. HE AGAIN REQUESTED FOR AN ONUC RECCE IN THE AREA OF THE ROAD OF NYEMBA NYUNZU AND KIAMBI AND IN THE AREA OF KONUOLO ITSELF. HE GAVE INSTRUCTIONS TO HIS TROOPS IN THE DIFFERENT SECTORS THAT SUCH AIR RECCES WILL BE UNDERTAKEN BY UNATIONS AIRCRAFT. AS THERE IS AYE LOT OF ANC CASUALTIES PRESENTLY IN SENTERY HE REQUESTS THAT EITHER AYE DOCTOR BE SENT THERE OR SOME UNATIONS AIRCRAFT TO EVACUATE WOUNDED. THE AIRSTRIP THERE CAN RECEIVE DC3 TYPE AIRCRAFT. IF ANY FURTHER INFO COMES TO HAND WILL LET YOU KNOW SOONEST POSSIBLE

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TO ONUC LEO
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SECRET NOSS GARDINER FORCE COMMANDER FROM GHAEZ
AND COMMANDER SECTOR A MARBIALA INFORMED THAT THE LATEST
INFORMATION CONCERNING MILITARY ACTIVITY OF 9 NOVEMBER
WHICH HAS REACHED HIM TODAY IS THAT HIS TROOPS PROGRESSING
FROM KASEYA HAS REACHED JUNCTION OF ROADS OF KASEYA AND
LUBB DA AROUND 10 KMS FROM KONGOLO. HE STATED THAT
KATANGESE GENDARMERIE ARE USING AYE LOT OF MERCENARIES
AND HEAVY WEAPONS IN THIS OPERATION LIKE MORTARS OF 81
AND 60 CALIBRES. HIS MEN HAVE NOT TAKEN ANY PRISONERS
BUT SOME ARMS WHICH ARE AS FOLLOWS. 5 MAUSER RIFLES,
2 SUBMACHINE GUNS, 4 VIGNERONS, 6 BIG BOMBS, 6 CASES OF
3 INCH BOMBS, 13 TELESCOPIC LENSES OF 3 INCHES
BARA IN KITULE AREA THE VILLAGE OF MBILA NEAR JTC ROAD
FROM KABALO TO KONGOLO HAS BEEN TAKEN BY HIS MEN AFTER
THE RIVER LUFUKUTA HAS BEEN CROSSED AND THE TELEPHONIC
LINE HAS BEEN CUT ON THE ROAD FROM KONGOLO TO MBULULA
PARA AIR ACTIVITIES (1) KATANGESE AIRCRAFTS HAVE BOMBARDED
MBILA AND THROWN 19 BOMBS AMONG KIEN KIXIX WHICH 3 HAVE
NOT EXPLODED. ABOUT 50 BOMBS HAVE BEEN THROWN NEAR THE

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BRIDGE ON THE LUKUGA NEAR KABEYA MAJI NORTH OF NYUNZU

(2) RECONNAISSANCE BY KATANGESE AIRCRAFTS HAVE BEEN MADE ON THE KABEYA AND LUBUNDA AREA AND ALSO ON THE REAS OF NYEMBA KABELO. THESE ATTACKS AND RECONNAISSANCES ARE CARRIED OUT BY SOME 10 AIRCRAFTS OF THE DC-3 AND AIR ROUSSE TYPES.

PARA MARSIALA HAS BEEN INFORMED BY US THAT KATANGESE GENDARMERIE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTION TO STANDBY IN THE KIAMBI AREA PARA HE SAYS THAT HE HAS LOST CONTACT WITH ANC TROOPS WHICH ARE IN THE KISUKULU AND MBUYU AREAS ON THE JUNCTION OF THE ROAD OF NYEMBA NYUNZU AND KIAMBI. HE REQUESTS THAT AN AIR RECCE SHOULD BE MADE IN THIS AREA (1) TO HAVE SOME INFORMATION ON THE MOVEMENTS AND POSITIONS OF THE KATANGESE AND (2) TO HAVE SOME INFORMATION OF ANC WHO APPARENTLY ARE NOT ABLE TO COMMUNICATE WITH ALB. HE REQUESTS ALSO THAT RECCE SHOULD BE UNDERTAKEN BY OUR HELICOPTERS HERE OR ANY OTHER AIRCRAFT ON THE NYEMBA AREA AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AS HE FEARS THAT KATANGESE GENDARMERIE IS SENDING AYE PATROL COMING FROM THE NORTH FROM LENGWE AREA. IF MARSIALAS REQUEST IS GRANTED FOR RECCE ON THIS AREA PLEASE INFORM US IMMEDIATELY

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PARA HE REQUESTS ALSO THAT WHEN AIR RECCE IS UNDERTAKEN BY ONJC
AIRCRAFT THAT IT SHOULD BE WITHOUT CIRCLING THE AREA TOO MUCH
TO AVOID ATTRACTING ATTENTION OF KATANGESE WHICH WILL SUSPECT
THAT SOME ANC ARE IN THE AREA STOPENDALL

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1. HAVE RECEIVED FOLLOWING CABLE FROM BUNCHE : QUOTE (N17901) HAS THERE BEEN ANY CONFIRMATION THAT ANC HAS OCCUPIED KONGOLO OR HAS LAUNCHED ATTACK ON IT ? UNQUOTE.
2. ADJULA CALLED ME TO SAY THAT ACCORDING TO INFORMATION GIVEN TO HIM BY MINISTRY OF DEFENCE KATANGESE GENDARMERIE HAVE CARRIED OUT EXTENSIVE KONGOLO BOMBING IN AND AROUND KONGOLO. HE SAID THAT HE HAD BEEN ASSURED BY ONUC THAT ITS AIRCRAFT WOULD BE CARRYING ON RECONNAISSANCE OF THE AREA AND ATTEMPT TO INTERCEPT ANY KATANGESE AIRCRAFT PROCEEDING TOWARDS KONGOLO AREA. HE ADDED THAT ONUC HAD GIVEN HIM NO INFORMATION THAT ANY KATANGESE AIRCRAFT WERE HEADING TOWARDS KONGOLO UNTIL RECEIPT OF INFORMATION BY HIM THIS MORNING OF BOMBING BY THEM.
3. IN VIEW OF BUNCHE'S CABLE SHOULD WE CABLE HIM INFORMATION GIVEN BY ADJULA.
4. THE FORCE COMMANDER HAS NO INFORMATION.

cc: French Desk.

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T.O.R.

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CHALEB FROM GARDINER

WE HAVE RECEIVED REPORTS WHICH SEEM FAIRLY RELIABLE THAT THE
KATANGUESE AIR FORCE HAS BEEN BOMBING AEC TROOPS IN THE KONGOLO
SECTOR. IN ACCORDANCE OUR STANDING INSTRUCTIONS, ORDERS HAVE
BEEN ISSUED FOR RECONNAISSANCE IN THAT AREA. WE HOPE THAT
THE KATANGUESE AUTHORITIES WILL TAKE NOTE AND AVOID ANY UNPLEASANT
INCIDENTS.

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