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FROM : GHANBATT HQ (KIBUNGO)
TO : UNAMIR HQ (KIGALI)
(INFO : FAC HQ (BUTARE))
251510Z APR 95
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INCRP HQ 60 PD DEATH OF IDPS PD TWO IDPS MALE AND FEMALE DIED AT
ABOUT 241850Z APR 95 AT NGENDA COMMUNE OFFICE PREMISES PD CAUSE OF
DEATH SUSPECTED TO BE SUFFOCATION AND FATIGUE PD NAMES WITHHELD BY
RPA PD BODIES BURIED THIS MORNING PD MILLOS AND HR INFO///

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FROM. ETHIOBATT /M.O/

TO. FSA SECTOR TAC HQ /BUTARE/

INFO. FSA COORDINATOR UNAMIR HQ /KIGALI/

DTG. 031448 APR 95.

SEC CLASSIFICATION. UNCLAS

PRECEDENCE. IMMEDIATE

SUBJECT. CONCERNING MR CHARLES KAAMAGA

THE PATIENT ,MR CHARLES KAAMAGA,HIS GENERAL CONDITION
BECOMES WORSE (DETERIORATED MENTAL STATUS).i.e-BECOMES DISTURBANT
AND AGRESSIVE ,AND WE ARE PLANNING TO SEND HIM TO FSA SECTOR TAC
HQ BUTARE ON 04 APR 95.

Dr.GENANEW A.

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FROM : MILOB SECTOR 4C CYANGUGU
TO : MILOB GP HQ KIGALI
INFO : UNAMIR TAC HQ BUTARE
SECT 4C MILOB

SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING NO : 005 FROM 021800 TO 031800 APR 95.

1. GEN SIT. SITUATION. LESS CALM TO TENSE. AT NIGHT THE LOCAL POPULATION OF KIRAMBO COMMUNE GRID 0444 LEAVE THEIR HOME TO SEEK REFUGEE IN THE COMMUNE OFFICE.

A. AT 1900 HRS 2 APR 95 LIBANJE ATANASE CAME TO NGOMA GRID 9637 FROM IJWI ISLAND TO COLLECT HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN. RPA ARRESTED HIM AND USED A MACHETE TO INTERROGATE HIM. WHEN RPA LEFT THE MAN WAS SUFFERING DEEP CUTS TO THE HEAD, HANDS AND LEGS. HIS NEIGHBORES CARRIED HIM TO THE NYAMASHEKE HOSPITAL, WERE HE STILL IS.

B. AROUND 1930 BERNARD NYNYAMBIBI AN EX CONSEILLER OF NTENYI AND NOW ACTING AS BURGOMASTER OF GISHOMA WAS SHOT AT HIS RESIDENCE BY ARMED PERS DRESSED IN UNIFORMED AFTER HE CAME BACK FROM A WEDDING CEREMONY. HIS DAUGHTER AND HER HUSBAND MR LAMBERT GOT KILLED ON THE 31 MAR SEE SITREP. IT IS TO BELIEVE THAT THE FAMILY IS TARGETED. MR NYNYAMBIBI WAS APPARENTLY PART OF A POLITICAL GP BEFORE THE WAR. HE WAS HUTU.

C. IN NYAKABUYE GRID 9116 AT 2300 HRS ON THE 02 APR FOUR BANDITS ARMED WITH STRICKS ATTACKED SOME HOUSES. THEY WERE LATER ARRESTED BY THE COMMUNAL POLICE. THEIR NAMES ARE NGICISHYTI, NSEMJYIMVA, MPORAMA AND MUJYAMBERE.

D. IN KAMEMBE AT 1900 ON 02 APR 95 JONATHAN KAYUUKA 33 YEARS OLD FORMER EMPLOYEE OF RWANDESE GOV BEFORE THE WAR (HUTU) AND NOW WORKING FOR MDM WAS STOP IN FRONT OF THE MAMEMBE MARKET FOR INTERROGATION. HE PRESENTED HIS PAPERS AS REQUESTED AND WAS ASKED TO FOLLOW THE PATROL TO THE GENDARMERIE. HE WALKED WITH THEM BUT AFTER FEW METERS HE ALLEGEDLY STARTED RUNNING. SO THE PATROL FIRED 4 ROUNDS AND SHOT HIM DEAD ON THE SPOT.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES.

A. RPA. THE RPA DO NOT SEEN THE DEPLOY MORE EFFORT IN TRYING TO CONTROL THE SIT SINCE THE LAST FEW WEEKS.

RGF. IT IS FIRMLY BELIEVED THAT RGF ARE BEHIND MOST OF THE RECENT CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES.

C. OTHER.

3. CIVIL AFFAIRS. IN MOST OF THE COMMUNES IN THE BURGOMASTER ARE HOLDING SECURITY MEETING TO BRIEF AND REASSURE THE POPULATION.

4. OWN ACTIVITIES.

A. EACH TEAMS WERE INVOLVED IN INVESTIGATION IN INCIDENT.

B. THIS HQ ATTENDED A SECURITY MEETING WITH ETHIOBATT AND

4. OWN ACTIVITIES.

A. EACH TEAMS WERE INVOLVED IN INVESTIGATION IN INCIDENT.

B. THIS HQ ATTENDED A SECURITY MEETING WITH ETHIOBATT AND THE DIFFERENT UN AGENCIES AND NGO. ETHIOBATT CONFIRMED THAT THEY HAVE NO PROBLEM IN ACCOMPLISHING THEIR MANDATE OF PROTECTING UNAMIR ASSETS AND UN/NGO AGENCIES.

5. HUMANITARIAN.

6. LOGISTICS. FOR LOG OFFR, PLEASE FORWARD TO ETHIOBATT AN OTHER COPY OF THE LETTER TASKING THEN TO PROVIDE US WITH OIL CHANGE SERVICE AND SEND US A COPY AS WELL.

7. MISC. FOR SOO, WOULD YOU CLARIFY WHAT IS EXPECTED FROM NGO'S DURING VISIT OF MAJ GEN DEWIN (RUS).

SECTOR STR (INCL CIVPOL)

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FROM : GHANBATT HQ (KIBUNGO)

TO : UNAMIR HQ (OPS)

INFO : UNAMIR TAC HQ (BUTARE)

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INCREP NO 47 PD AT ABOUT 022130B APR 95 CMM A LOCAL REPORTED TO OWN
TPS AT RILIMA GR 2561 OF THE MURDER OF ONE NTEZILIZAZA ALPHONES AGED
29 YRS AT A PLACE 6 KM FROM RILIMA TOWARDS KABUKUBA GR 2069 PD HE WAS
ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN SHOT BY UNIFORMED PERS PD REASONS FOR MURDER
UNKNOWN PD DECEASED WAS KNOWN TO BE WORKING FOR THE LOCAL AUTH LOCAL
AUTH IN RILIMA PD MILOBS AND LOCAL AUTH INFO AND INVESTIGATIONS
COMMENCED PD FURTHER DETAILS TO BE COMM LATER///

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FROM: TAC HQ BUTARE

TO : UNAMIR HQ KIGALI

DATE: 03 APR 95

UNLAS OPS 665

SUBJECT: INCIDENT REPORT

1. SENBATT REPORTED THIS MORNING THAT AT ABOUT 031130 HRS APR 95 , FIRING WAS HEARD BY GUARDS ON DUTY COMING FROM A DIRECTION EAST OF THE SENBATT LOG BASE IN BUTARE (IT MAY BE ASSUMED THAT THE FIRING CAME FROM THE BUTARE PRISON AREA). IN ALL, THREE SHOTS WERE HEARD.
2. DUTY OFFICER THIS HQ RUSHED TO THE SCENE TO INVESTIGATE CAUSE OF THE FIRING. HOWEVER, CAUSE COULD NOT BE ESTABLISHED AS RPA TROOPS ON DUTY WERE NOT PREPARED TO ANSWER ANY ENQUIRIES. IT WAS NOT POSSIBLE TO CONTACT THE RPA LO IN BUTARE AS HE WAS OUT OF TOWN.
3. IT SHOULD HOWEVER BE NOTED, THAT ON OCCASIONS WHEN SIMILAR INCIDENTS HAD OCCURRED, THE RPA EXPLANATION HAD ALWAYS BEEN THAT TROOPS ARE TESTING WEAPONS. THIS HQ IN CONJUNCTION WITH MILOBS ARE CONDUCTING FURTHER INVESTIGATIONS AND WILL COMMUNICATE FINDINGS TO YOU SOONEST.

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FROM : GHANBATT HQ (KIBUNGO)

TO : UNAMIR HQ KIGALI

INFO : TAC HQ BUTARE

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INCREP NO 48 PD ABOUT 1130 HRS DATE PTL BASE AT GISHALI GR 4788
REPORTED THE ARREST OF TWO OWN SOLDIERS BY RPA AT RUHUNDA GR 4691
NEAR GISHALI GR 4788 FOR POOR IDENTIFICATION PD ARRESTED SOLDIERS
WERE HOWEVER RELEASED AT 1300 HRS AFTER THEIR INDENTITY WAS CONFIRMED
AS UNAMIR TPS FROM GHANA BY FOUR OTHER RPA SOLDIERS INCLUDING AN OFFR
PD INVESTIGATION CONTINUES///

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TO : UNAMIR HQ (KIGALI)

INFO : TAC HQ (BUTARE)

DTG : 222013Z APR 95

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INCREP NO 59 PD REF INCREP NO 57 G/157/OPS OF 201825Z APR 95 PD AT ABOUT 221600Z APR 95 CMM GH ASST OPS OFFR AND HR TEAM PROCEEDED TO RUKIRA GR 6557 TO CARRY OUT INVESTIGATIONS PD THE TEAM WAS DENIED ENTRY BY RPA AND GENDARMERIE PD AFTER NEGOTIATIONS CMM GH ASST OPS OFFR AND ONE HR REP WERE ALLOWED ENTRY PD MILOBS INFO PD INVESTIGATION ON RPA BEHAVIOUR ON GOING////////

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A. THIS AFTERNOON AT 1700HRS 60 SHOTS WERE FIRED FROM IJWI

ISLAND TOWARDS GAFUNZO AFTERWHICH RPA ALSO FIRED 6 SHOTS.

B. YESTERDAY AT 2400HRS 5 SHOTS WERE FIRED BY UNKNOWN PERSONS.

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FROM MILOB SECTOR 4C/CYANGUGU/

TO MILOB GP HQ KIGALI

INFO TAC HQ/BUTARE/

UNAMIR HQ/KIGALI//G2//G3//HAC//

SECT 4C MILOB TEAMS/GM1/GM3/GM5/

SUBJECT SITREP NO.021 FROM 181800 APR TO 191800 APR/95

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1. GEN. SIT. REMAINS UNSTABLE WITH AN INCREASED NUMBER OF INCIDENTS DURING THE LAST TWO NIGHTS IN NYAMASHEKE AREA IN TOTAL 7 REPORTED. IN ADDITION A LETTER WAS SENT TO LOCAL POPULATION LISTING 7 NAMES TO BE KILLED FOR TREACHERY. AS LONG AS BANDITRY IS ONGOING PEOPLE IN NYAMASHEKE AREA WILL STILL SEEK PROTECTION AT MILOB HOUSE DURING NIGHTTIME. ON 18 APR/95 FROM ABOUT 1800HRS ONWARDS APPROX 40 LOCALS FROM NYAMASHEKE AREA GATHERED AT MILOR ACCOMODATION TO SPEND THE NIGHT THERE. IN THE MORNING THEY LEFT AGAIN. UVIRA BORDER CROSSING GR 0089 WAS CLOSED THE WHOLE DAY AND WAS REOPENED ON 19 APR/95 IN THE EVENING. REF THE DEVELOPMENTS IN BUGARAMA AREA SEE PARA 4-OWN ACT.

2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES:- N.T.R

3. FACTIONAL ACT.

A.R.P.A. NTR

H.RGF.NTR

C.OTHERS.

DURING THE NIGHTS ON 18 AND 19 APR/95 BETWEEN 2200 AND 0100HRS

7 (SEVEN) BIG ROBBERIES ARE REP IN GASAYO AREA GR 9941. APPROX

19 ARMED BANDITS DRESSED IN UNIFORMS ROBBED 7 HOUSES AND TOOK

ALT. HOUSEHOLD-GOODS AND LIVESTOCK. NO PERS WAS KILLED BUT SEVERAL

INJURED. THEY WERE REP TO CAME BY A LARGE ROWING BOAT WITH A

CARRYING CAPACITY OF APPROX 60 MEN.

ON 17 APR/95A GROUP LANDED AT THE SAME PLACE AND STOLE 7 CATTLES

AND MANY GOODS MEANT FOR TRADERS. BAGS OF BEANS AND COFFEE AND A

LARGE AMOUNT OF MONEY WERE STOLEN FROM A MAN WITH NAME BAINGANA.

LOCALS REP TO KNOW THESE BANDITS AMONG THEM FORMER RESIDENT OF

THIS AREA. THEY CONFIRMED THAT THIS WAS THE SAME GROUP. YESTERDAY

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NIGHT THE BANDITS LEFT THREATENING MESSAGES TO MANY FAMILIES
AND LEFT ALSO THE ABOVE MENTIONED LETTER LISTING 7 NAMES TO
BE KILLED. IT WAS TRANSLATED IN TO ENGLISH AND A COPY WILL BE
AVAILABLE. IT IS SIGNED WITH: "THE PEOPLE OF IJWI". FURTHERMORE
THEY LEFT MESSAGES, THAT ALL YOUNG MEN SHOULD READY THEMSELVES
TO COME TO IJWI FOR TRAINING. ALSO YESTERDAY A YOUNG MAN WAS
TAKEN WITH THEM AFTER ROBBING HIS HOUSE.

ON 19 APR MCOBS REP HEAVY FIRING OF AT LEAST 1 HEAVY MACHINE
GUN AND SMALL ARMS ON THE SOUTHEASTERN COAST OF IJWI. THE FIRE
WAS NOT POINTED TO THE MAINLAND AND LASTED APPROX 30 MINUTES.
A KIND OF TRAINING?

4 OWN ACT.

A) PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT IN AOR. SIT WAS FOUND NORMAL
AND CALM.

B) MILOBS MRETSUB-PREFETAND RPA CDR OF BUGUMYA GR 9116 ABOUT
INCIDENT FROM 14 APRIL 95.

SUB-PREFET (MR. MARTINMWIZERWA) STATED THAT FRGF AND THOSE
RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MASSACRES DURING THE WAR HAVE MANY SUPPORT-
TERS THROUGHOUT THE BUGARAMA COMMUNE. THESE PEOPLE ARE EITHER
RELATIVES OR THEMSELVES PARTICIPATED IN THE MASSACRES AND
HAVE ALLEDLY ARMS CACHES IN THE VILLAGES BURRIED IN THE
VILLAGES SURROUNDINGS. INTERAHAMWE OR FRGF IN ZAIRE SENT SPIES
TO RWANDA TO FIND OUT RPA LOC ,PATROL ROUTES ETC AND
TRY TO RECRUIT LOCALS ,TAKE THEM BACK THEM TO ZAIRE FOR
FURTHER TRAINING. BANDITRY ACTIVITIES ARE DONE BY THESE PEOPLE
DISCREDIT CONFUSE RPA.

RPA CDR(MAJ KAMARA) CONFIRMED THE INITIAL INCIDENT REP

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YESTERDAYHE EXPECTS MORE INCIDENTS LIKE THIS IN THE FUTURE.

THERE RUMOURS AMONG THE PEOPLE THAT CIMERWA CEMENT FACTORY

MIGHT BE A TARGET FOR AN ATTACK TO STOP ITS OPERATION

AS THE FACTORY IS BRINGING REVENUE TO THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT

AND PROVIDE JOBS FOR LOCAL PEOPLE.AT PRESENT THERE ARE APPROX

15 TO 20 RPA SOLDIERS DEPLOYED TO CIMERWA FACTORY.

C) NEW CO ETHIORATT VISITED MILOB HOUSE IN NYAMASHEKE AND

WAS GIVEN A BRIEFING ON THE CURRENT SIT.HE WAS CONCERNED

ABOUT THE INSECURITY IN THE AREA AND ABOUT THE CURRENT SIT OF

THE LOCALS GATHERING AT NIGHT IN THIS PLACE.

D)PARTICIPATION IN REPATRIATION MEETING OF HUM OFFR.INFO WAS

RECEIVED ABOUT THE ATTACK OF THE VIRARA REFUGEE CAMP NEAR

BUKAVU ON 11 APR/95 BETWEEN 2200 AND 2400HRS .AN UNKNOWN

NUMBER OF PERS ATTACKED THE CAMP RESULTING IN 47 INJURED

AND 3 DEATHS ON TRANSPORT TO HOSPITAL, SOME REFUGEES RAN
AWAY TO OTHER CAMPS. ZAIRIAN TROOPS INVESTIGATING.

TALKS AFTER THE MEETING ABOUT THIS INCIDENT LED TO 2 VERSIONS
WHICH ARE NOT CONFIRMED:

- a) ATTACK FOLLOWED A ROBBERY INSIDE THE CAMP WHICH RESULTED IN
A HUGE FIGHT BETWEEN THE INHABITANTS AND ZAIRIAN CIVIS.
- b) RPA INITIATED THE ATTACK.

NO INFO AVAILABLE ABOUT THE WEAPONS USED

5. HUMANITARIAN.

A) 14 REFUGEES AWAITING TRSP IN BUGARAMA. UNHCR INFORMED.

B) ON 18 APR/95 AT 0900HRS A REPATRIATION MEETING WAS HELD AT

FORMER UNRBO LOC WITH NGOS, HUMAN RIGHT REPR, PREFET OF CYANGUGU

AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES, CHAIRED BY UNHCR ABOUT SEC SIT, NGOS ACTIV-

ITIES AND PLANNED EXECUTION OF ORGANIZED REPATRIATIONS.

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C) REFUGEES:

CROSSING VIA RUSIZI 1 FROM ZAIRE TO RWANDA:

15 APR: 11

16 APR: 5

17 APR: 5

18 APR: 14

NYAGATARE REFUGEE CAMP:

16 APR: 6 ARR 0 DEP TOT 76

17 APR: 1 ARR 0 DEP TOT 77

18 APR: 14 ARR 0 DEP TOT 91

6. LOGISTICS.

A) VEH/STATE: WORKSHOP/ACCIDENT - 2(1070 + 1127)

B) WORKSHOP/REPAIR AND MAINT = 1(1061)

OPERATIONAL =4

TOTAL =7

B) UNAMIR 1021:STILL WAITING FOR BATTERY CHANGE AND CHECK

OF GENERATOR

UNAMIR 1077:NEEDS CHECK OF RADIO EQUIPMENT AND REPAIRS

AFTER ACCIDENT

7.MISC.

SECTOR STRENGTH.(INCL CIVPOL)

TOTAL: 28

ON DUTY:19

ON DUTY IN KIGALI:05

ON CTC:03

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MISSION POUR L'ASSISTANCE AU RWANDA

UNAMIR - MINUAR

FROM : MILOB SECTOR 4C CYANGUGU

TO : MILOB GP HQ KIGALI

INFO : UNAMIR TAC HQ BUTARE

UNAMIR HQ KIGALI//G2/G3/HAC//

SECT 4C MILOB TMS//GM1/GM3/GM5//

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SUBJ: SITREP NO 018 FROM 151800 APR TO 161800 APR 95

1. GENERAL SITUATION. THE GEN SIT REMAINS UNSTABLE WITH THE RE-OCCURRING OF BANDITRY, ROBBERY AND KILLINGS IN NYAMASHEKE AREA AFTER A SHORT PERIOD OF RELATIVELY CALMNESS DURING THE LAST WEEK AND A SERIOUS INCIDENT IN BUGARAMA AREA.

2. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES.

A. RPA. REF SITREP NO 017 PARA 1: BUGARAMA - INCIDENT

ON 14 APR 95 1930 HRS 2 MEN, 1 WOMAN AND 1 A BOY (APPROX 7 YEARS OLD) CAME TO MILOB LOC. THEY WERE AFRAID OF BEING KILLED BY RPA. NAMES: a): MR NAHIMAN ZAKAI

b): MR HABERIMAN

THEY REPORTED TO MILOBS THAT THE SAME DAY AT APPROX 1500 HRS 17 MEN WERE KILLED BY RPA IN NYABISHUNGU AREA GR 9112. ON 15 APR 95 0730 HRS 1 MAN (NAME: NIYWUZIYAREMYE PAPIAS - FRENCH SPEAKING) CAME TO MILOBS LOC AND INF'D THEM THAT ON 14 APR 95 AT 1100 - 1230 HRS 8 BANDITS ATTACKED 2 RPA SOLDIERS IN NYABISHUNGU AREA, 1 RPA SOLDIER WAS KILLED, 1 WAS WOUNDED. THAT RPA SOLDIER INF'D HIS COMRADES ABOUT THIS INCIDENT. THE SAME DAY BETWEEN 1300 AND 1530 HRS APPROX 20 RPA SOLDIERS CAME TO NYABISHUNGU AREA, TAKING 17 MEN (LOCAL CIVILIANS) FROM THE ROAD, BROUGHT THEM TO THE BANK OF RUBYIRO RIVER (IN NYABISHUNGU AREA) AND SHOT THEM ALL (IN FACT 16). ALSO HE TOLD MILOBS THAT 1 OUT OF THIS 17 WAS JUST WOUNDED MIMING DEAD AND LATER CAME TO MASHESHA HOSPITAL GR 895133. HIS NAME: NTAWUMEN NYAMUNS, AGE: 19 YEARS, FARMER FROM NYABISHUNGO.

MILOBS INVESTIGATED TO PROOF THIS STATEMENT AND FOUND THIS MAN IN MASHESHI HOSPITAL WHO TESTIFIED THIS STATEMENT AS A VICTIM. HE IS WOUNDED BY SEVERAL BULLETS IN BOTH ARMS.

AFTERWARDS MILOB TEAM WENT WITH ONE LOCAL BOY TO THE DISCRIBED PLACE OF THE ALLEGED KILLINGS AND FOUND 16 DEAD BODIES - FRESH AND W/O SMELL OF PUTREFACTION - ON THE RIVER BANK OF RIVER RUBYIRO GR 9112 APPROX 2 KMS EAST OF THE VILLAGE NYABISHUNGO.

MILOB TEAM-MEMBER TOOK PHOTOS OF THESE VICTIMS WITH HIS PRIVATE CAMERA - PHOTOS WILL BE PROVIDED AFTER BEING DEVELOPED. ALSO THEY FOUND SOME AMMUNITION OF "AK-47" - SAMPLES ARE AT THIS HQ AVAILABLE.

ON THEIR WAY BACK THEY MET 5 RPA SOLDIERS WITH 1 RPA OFFR (CAPT) AND THE BURGERMASTER OF BUGARAMA PROCEEDING IN DIRECTION OF THE KILLING GROUND. MILOBS SPOKE WITH THEM NOT MENTIONING ANYTHING ABOUT THEIR FINDINGS BUT THEY UNDERSTOOD THAT MILOBS KNEW EVERYTHING.

ON 15 APR 95 AFTERNOON 1 LOCAL MAN (NAME: NTUYIMONSO) CAME TO MILOB LOC AND INF'D THEM THAT RPA PUT 5 MEN IN PRISON - AMONG THEM THEIR VISITORS FROM THE DAY BEFORE PLUS THE MAN WHO REPORTED THE DETAILS THAT MORNING (MR NIYWUZIYAREMYE PAPIAS) PLUS 1 LOCAL (NAME: FIL BUKURU) WHO TOLD THEM SOME NAMES OF VICTIMS.

NAMES OF VICTIMS: NGARISI, PASCAL, MARC, FAIDA.

REMARKS: THE ONLY SURVIVOR AND EYEWITNESS OF THIS EVENT IS AT PRESENT AT MASHESHE HOSPITAL WITHOUT ANY PROTECTION. IT IS SUPPOSED THAT RPA DONT KNOW ABOUT HIS EXISTENCE UP TO NOW.

HUMAN RIGHT-TEAM WAS INF'D PERSONALLY ABOUT THIS FACTS AND ASKED TO STUDY POSSIBILITIES TO PROTECT THIS WITNESS AND IN ADDITION TO TAKE CARE ABOUT THE IMPRISONED PERSONS.

ALSO ETHIOBATT WAS INF'D ABOUT THIS INCIDENT AND ASKED TO INCREASE THEIR PATROLLING IN THIS AREA.

MILOBS IN BUGARAMA EXPRESSED THEIR CONCERN ABOUT THE WITHDRAWAL OF ETHIOBATT-TROOPS FROM NYABISHUNGU AREA SOME TIME AGO WITHOUT ANY INFORMATION ABOUT THE BACKGROUND.

THE NEAREST TROOPS TO THEIR LOC ARE APPROX 23 KMS AWAY WHICH MEANS A 1 HOUR DRIVE.

THERE ARE PATROLS CONDUCTED BY ETHIOBATT ABOUT TWICE A WEEK WHICH IS CONSIDERED TO BE TOO LESS BY MILOBS ON THE SPOT.

THERE WILL BE A DISCUSSION ABOUT THIS MATTER WITH CO ETHIOBATT ASAP.

CONCLUSION: IT SEEMS TO BE AN ACT OF REVENGE EXECUTED BY RPA. THERE ARE NO INFORMATIONS AVAILABLE AT THE MOMENT WHO THE BANDITS WERE AND WHERE THEY CAME FROM NOR THE REASON OF ATTACK ON THE 2 RPA SOLDIERS BY THEM.

MILOBS DID NOT CONTINUE INVESTIGATIONS AMONG CIV POPULATION IN RESPECT OF THEIR SECURITY.

HOWEVER, MILOB TEAM WAS ADVISED TO CONTACT THE BURGERMASTER OF BUGARAMA AND RPA CDR TO RECEIVE AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT ON THIS MATTER.

SINCE THIS IS THE FIRST SERIOUS INCIDENT IN THIS AREA INVOLVING BANDITS AND RPA KILLING CIVILIANS FOR A LONG TIME MILOBS WERE ALSO ADVISED TO MONITOR THIS DEVELOPMENT WITH PARTICULARLY ATTENTION.

AA. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THIS WEEK THERE ARE APPROX 15 RPA SOLDIERS DEPLOYED TO CIMERWA CEMENT FACTORY OBVIOUSLY TO PROVIDE SECURITY TO THE FACTORY AND THE PRISON NEXT TO IT. IT IS ASSUMED (NO PROOF UP TO NOW) THAT THE ABOVE MENTIONED ACT WAS EXECUTED BY THIS GROUP.

B. RGF. NTR

C. OTHER. ON 15 APR 95 AT 2000 HRS APPROX 25 PERS SHOWED UP AT MILOB LOC IN NYAMASHEKE AND SOUGHT PROTECTION BECAUSE THEY WERE AFRAID OF BEING ATTACKED DURING THE NIGHT.

AT 2200 HRS MILOBS REPORTED FIRING OF SMALL ARMS FOR ABOUT 15 MIN AND DETONATION OF 3 GRENADES IN DIR TO LAKE KIVU.

INVESTIGATIONS THIS MORNING DISCOVERED THAT BANDITS FROM THE ISLAND OF IJWI HAVE LANDED WITH 3 BOATS. 2 BOATS LANDED AT KIVUNE AREA GR 9840, 1 BOAT LANDED AT MURWA AREA GR 9841. IN KAVUNE THE BANDITS ROBBED 2 HOUSES AND STOLE ALL HOUSEHOLD-GOODS. LOCALS REP TO ETHIOBATT AND RPA. RPA DISPATCHED AN ARMED BODY TO THE SHORE. AT ABOUT 2200 HRS A SKIRMISH BETWEEN RPA AND BANDITS WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE TOOK PLACE GR 9840. 1 RPA SOLDIER WAS WOUNDED.

1 GROUP OF BANDITS ESCAPED BY BOAT TO IJWI. 1 GROUP OF BANDITS PASSED MILOB LOC IN DIR TO NYAMASHEKE. IT IS ASSUMED THAT BANDITS ARE STILL THERE HIDING IN NYAMASHEKE AREA.

ETHIOBATT FOUND 1 SMALL BOAT AT MURWA GR 9841 AT 2200 HRS .

ON 16 APR 95 0900 HRS AN ETHIOBATT PATROL PICKED UP 2 BOYS AND DETAINED THEM. THE DETAILS ARE:

A) MUCHESHIMANA SABJEMUNGU, 16 YEARS OLD

B) NACHIRETE ANACRETE, 13 YEARS OLD.

THEY WERE FOUND SWIMMING IN KIVU LAKE TOWARDS UWU AT GR 9942.

AT PRESENT THEY ARE WITH ETHIOBATT IN CUSTODY. ETHIOBATT IS WAITING FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS.

3. **CIVIL AFFAIRS.** SECCDR AND HUM OFFR ATTENDED CEREMONIES CARRIED OUT IN MBILIZI GR 821-161 IN REMEMBRANCE OF THE VICTIMS OF THE GENOCIDE. PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTERS OF INTERIOR AND JUSTICE ALSO ATTENDED DIFFERENT CEREMONIES. THEY CAME BY UN HELI BUT ONLY THE MINISTER OF INTERIOR HAD THE DEFERENCE OF ANSWERING THE SALUTE OF MILOBS BY SHAKING THEIR HANDS BUT THE OTHER MINISTERS AND THEIR ENTOURAGE IGNORED THEM. THE POPULATION INSTEAD HAD A FRIENDLY ATTITUDE TO MILOBS LIKE RPA. THE CEREMONIES WERE COLORFUL AND ATTENDED BY ABOUT 2000 PERSONS AND CARRIED OUT WITH NORMALITY. THE PROGRAM SCHEDULED FROM 0900 TO 1400 HRS WAS EXTENDED UNTILL 1645 HRS.

4. **OWN ACTIVITIES.**

A) PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT IN AREA OF RESP. SIT WAS FOUND NORMAL AND CALM (AS USUAL DURING DAYTIME).

B) CYANGUGU SUBSEC-TEAM WAS REQUESTED TO MONITOR THE ETHIOBATT ROTATION BY AEROPLANE FROM 1430 TO 1730 HRS AT KAMEMBE AERODROME WHICH IN THE END COULD NOT BE EXECUTED DUE TO A LACK IN TECHNICAL DEVICES AND THE ABSENCE OF THE AERODROME AUTHORITIES.

5. **HUMANITARIAN.** SECCDR AND HUM OFFR WILL ATTEND EASTER CELEBRATIONS ON 16 APR 95 AT 1900 HRS AT MISERICORDE ORPHANAGE. A GROUP OF 30 ORPHANS FROM THE SAME PLACE AND THEIR CHORUS PARTICIPATED IN THE MBILIZI CEREMONIES THE SAME DAY.

6. **LOGISTICS.**

A) VEH/STATE: WORKSHOP/ACCIDENT	= 2 (1070 + 1127)
WORKSHOP/REPAIR & MAINT	= 1 (1061)
OPERATIONAL	= 4
TOTAL	= 7

16/04 '95 21:34 11278
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B) UNAMIR 1021: STILL WAITING FOR BATTERY CHANGE
UNAMIR 1077: NEEDS CHECK OF RADIO EQUIPMENT AND REPAIR
AFTER ACCIDENT

7. MISC.

SECTOR STRENGTH. (INCL CIVPOL)

TOTAL: 28
ON DUTY: 24
ON DUTY IN KIGALI: 01
ON CTO: 02
YET TO REPORT: 01 (DEPLOYMENT EFF 1 MAY 95)

FROM: DUTY OFFICER KIGALI
TO : SENBATT
SUBJ : ACCIDENT

1. PRIVET FIRST REME FADRIC HAVE EXPIRED. THE OTHER INJURY
PEOPLE HAVE THE FOLLOWING INJURYS

- (1) BROKEN LEG.
- (2) CHEST INJURY.
- (3) NECK AND HEAD INJURY.
- (4) SOLT TISSUE INJURY IN THE CHEST.

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TO : SEN BATT
FROM : SOUMAGOUROU

ACCIDENT DE CIRCULATION

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LIEU : 25 KM DE KIGALI
VEHICLE : SOVAMAC N : 4428
CHIEF DE BORD : S/C ABIBOU NDIAYE
CHAUFFEUR : 1 CL PATHE POUYE
DATE : LE 15-04-95
HEURE : 10 H 45
NOMBRE BLESS : 07 DONT 01EN REANIMATION
- CAL LAMIN BA
- 1 CL FREDERIC RENE FAYE (REANIMATION)
- PATHE, POUYE
- ARONA DIOUF
- IBRAHIMA SENE
-DIOMA SHENOHOR
-DIJIBY SY

DÉGATS MATERIALS :-

- PARBRISSE CASSEE
- RETROVISAILLAGE CASSE
- BOUCHON DE RESERVOIR TORDU

EVACUATION : 10 H 55 A
HOPITAL DE NATION UNIES A(AUSMED) KIGALI
SOVAMAC NO : 4421
TOTATA (HCR) NO : 1921 UNAMIR

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Capsat + Fax - 1730h

UNAMIR

TO : SENBATT BN CO

2000.6/ADMIN/TFC

FROM : CMPO *D/R Cng*

DATE : 15 April 1995

SUBJECT : ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENT

1. We are planning to send the body of the deceased soldier to his home country tomorrow by 1400hrs.
2. You are requested to arrange one platoon for guard of honour.
3. Arrange one Chaplain.
4. Personnel/Data/History of the deceased to be read by the Admin officer.
5. Passport of the deceased to be carried.
6. One escort for the deceased to be nominated.
7. We request urgent reply on this point.
8. Best regards.

*Amendment The deceased body will
be evacuated TO DACAR ON 18 April 95
J/K
15/4/95*

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PRIORITY

FROM : 4A/ZAMBATT

TO : HQ UNAMIR/OPS

INFO : TAC HQ/BUTARE

142254 Z APR 95

OPS 532

SUBJECT : DAILY SITREP COVERING PERIOD FROM 131800 Z APR 95 TO 141800
Z APR 95

1. GENERAL SITUATION. STABLE.

2. POLITICAL SITUATION. NTR.

3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES.:

A. CONTUED WITH THEIR DAY AND NIGHT PATROLS. RPA OF RUSUZUMIRO CAMP KIVU COMMUNE GR 4004 ON 09 APR 95 ARRESTED A MAN BY NAME OF SENANI VENUST AGED 30 YEARS. WHEN HE WAS BEING LED AWAY HE ATTEMPTED TO GRAB A WEAPON FROM ONE OF THE SLDRS BUT WAS OVERPOWERED, THEREFORE DECIDED TO RUN INTO THE VALLEY BUT WAS CAUGHT AND TAKEN TO CAMP AS A SLEDGE. HE LATER DIED. THE COUNCILLOR A MR SEGESEBA LAURENTA, LOCALS AND OC RPA CAPT ALEX HAVE CONFIRMED THIS. RPA(ALPHA MOBILE FORCE) OF COY STRENGTH FM GIKONGORO WERE OBSERVED BY OWN TROOPS CONDUCTING RELIEF WITH THE OTHERS AT NSHILI GR 3996. THEIR PLATOON COMD 2LT JOHN BOSCAL CONFIRMED THE RELIEF.

B - C. NTR.

4. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES. CONTUNED WITH OUR NORMAL SECURITY DUTIES IN THE AOR. PROVIDED SECURITY FOR OF RETOUR WHERE 61 IDPS WERE REPATRIATED FROM KIBEHO. CONDUCTED CHECK POINT DUTIES AT RURAMBA GR 4717. CARRIED OUT A JOINT AERIAL RECCE OF AREA ADJOINING THE FOREST, SOUTHERN PART OF OUR SECTOR WITH MILOBES SECTOR 4A. OBSERVATIONS. VILLAGES OF MUDASOMWA, KIVU ETC APPEAR PARTIALLY OCCUPIED.

5. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES. ICRC DISTRIBUTED FOOD TO KIBEHO IDPS TODAY. OWN TROOPS AT RURAMBA TOOK TO KIGEME REFUGEE CAMP A BOY BY THE NAME OF TUWAYO MARITABU AGED 15 YEARS FROM BURUNDI PROVINCE BURUKI, COMMUNE BUYENGERO, SECTOR MUYAMBA WHO HAD REQUESTED TO BE DIRECTED TO KIGEME CLAIMS PARENTS WERE MURDERED IN OCTOBER 1993 AND REST BURNT TO DEATH.

6. CIVIL AFFAIRS. PEOPLE FROM COMMUNES CONTINUE POURING IN KIBEHO FOR RESETTLEMENT.

7. LOGISTICS. NTR.

8. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION. OWN SUB UNIT AT RUNYOMBEYI IS KEEPING A CHINESE GRENADE WHICH THEY PICKED TODAY AFTER IT WAS DISCOVERED BY ONE LOCAL BY THE NAME OF TRANO NSABILIMANA AGED 26 YEARS OF NSHILI COMMUNE SECTOR KAHIRU. REF OUR YESTERDAY 3 SITREP. ALL THE IDPS OF

6. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION. OWN BUS UNIT AT RUNYOMEYI IS KEEPING A CHINESE GRENADE WHICH THEY PICKED TODAY AFTER IT WAS DISCOVERED BY ONE LOCAL BY THE NAME OF TRANO NSABILIMANA AGED 28 YEARS OF NSHILI COMMUNE SECTOR KAHIBILO. REF OUR YESTERDAY 3 SITREP : ALL THE IDPS OF KIVUGIZA OPC BR 4912 HAVE LEFT FOR KISEHO.

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FROM : DUTY OFFICER KIGALI
TO : ALL SECTOR /TAC HQ BUTARE/MILOBS HQ

STOLEN VEH . UNAMIR 237 MINI BUS CMM CREAM WHITE COLOUR
CMM MAKE CMM HYUNDAI GRAND SALLON WAS STOLEN FROM KIGALI
ON THE MORNING OF 12 APRIL 95. IF SEEN PLEASE CONTACT
UNAMIR HQ .