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TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 301700 TO 311700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHengeri.

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri, NYARUTOVU (GS 7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894). TEAM LIAISED WITH AFRICAN HUMANITARIAN ACTION IN TARE.

3.D. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF KANAMA (GS 2713), KARAMBO (GS 3309), KABAYA (GS 5006) AND SATINSYI (GS 5800). TEAM LIAISED WITH BOURGMESTRE IN GASEKE (GS 5004) AND INVESTIGATED SITUATION OF RETURNEES RECENTLY SETTLED IN AREAS SATINSYI AND GASEKE.

3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED TOGETHER WITH UNHCR AREA OF GISENYI, RUHengeri, KINIGI (GS 5440), POSTE BISOKE (GS 4439) AND MUHINGO (GS 4730). TEAM INVESTIGATED MEDICAL SITUATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF MEDICAL SUPPORT IN POSTE BISOKE AREA. TEAM CONTINUED TO INVESTIGATE COMPLAINTS OF POPULATION IN KAGANO AREA (GS 5841) REFERENCE TUNBATT REPORT.

3.F. ONE MILOB TEAM LIAISED WITH THE RPA ON THE 30 JAN 95 REGARDING THE DETENTION OF MR INNOCENT, A FOREMAN EMPLOYED WITH CARE INTERNATIONAL, GISENYI. HE WAS DETAINED FOR QUESTIONING REGARDING HIS COUSIN WHO IT IS BELIEVED PLAYED AN ACTIVE ROLE IN THE GENOCIDE. THE COUSIN IS PRESENTLY ABSCONDING.

3.G. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF CURUGUSI (GS 6609), KURULI (GS 6607), KASHANGO (GS 6404) AND NYABINONI (GS 6404) TO CONFIRM MINE SITUATION. DESPITE ONE MINE INCIDENT AT GR 661081 IN DEC THERE ARE NO MINE FIELDS IN THIS AREA. TEAM LIAISED WITH RPA BRIG OPS OFFR IN RUHengeri TO EXCHANGE MINE INFO REGARDING US DEMINING TEAM.

4. NTR

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS 210.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 61.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1032 AND 1012 AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 28

LEAVE/CTO: 3 CAPT AGRELLO
 MAJ BEYER
 MAJ MACZKA
 MAJ MCCOMBER

HOSPITALIZED: CAPT CHAENGANI

DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 291700 TO 301700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGERI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGERI.

3.C ONE TEAM PATROLLED KANAMA (2511), NYAMYUMBA (2106), KIVUMU (2303) AND BUHOKO (2002). THE TEAM LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND THE LOCAL POPULATION. THE TEAM WAS ALSO TASKED TO CHECK THE PRISON REGISTER AT THE NYAMYUMBA TO ENSURE THAT A PROPER RECORD OF THE PEOPLE BEING ARRESTED IS BEING MAINTAINED. THE TEAM ALSO LIAISED WITH THE MSF(H) AT KIVUMU.

3.D ONE TEAM CARRIED OUT JOINT PATROLLING AND INVESTIGATION WITH HUMAN RIGHTS TEAM IN THE AREA OF RWERERE (2722) AND EXAMINED SOME MASS GRAVES IN THE AREA.

3.E ONE MILOB TEAM ESCORTED A BROWN AND ROOTS CONVOY FROM KIGALI TO GISENYI AND BACK. THE CONVOY CONSISTED OF FOUR TRUCKS. THE CARGO COMPRISED OF FOOD AND FUEL ESSENTIALLY.

3.F ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED GISENYI, RUHENGERI, NYARUTOVU (7718), TARE (9109) AND SHYORONGI (9894). THEY LIAISED WITH THE AFRICAN HUMANITARIAN AID AT TARE.

3.G THE CHIEF OF THE MISSION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, MR BILL CLARENCE, VISITED THIS HQ TODAY. HE WAS BRIEFED ON THE CURRENT GENERAL SITUATION PREVAILING IN SECTOR 5.

3.H ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED THE AREA OF RUHENGERI, CYANIKA (7152), KIDAHU (7247), BUTARO (8243), KIRAMBO (8335) AND BUSOKA (7223). THE TEAM HAS BEEN SPECIALLY TASKED TO LIAISE WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES, LOCAL POPULACE AND THE MEDICAL AUTHORITIES WITH THE SPECIFIC PURPOSE OF GETTING MAXIMUM INFORMATION ON THE MINES IN THE AREA.

4. THE PROVISIONAL RESULT OF REGISTRATION IN REFUGEECAMPS IN ZAIRE AROUND GOMA IS OF 729000 PERSONS. UNHCR WILL CONTINUE TO COLLECT NAMES AND PERSONAL DATA OF REFUGEES.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS 206. THE REASON FOR THE LOW NUMBER IS THAT NO ORGANIZED TRANSPORT TOOK PLACE. RETURNEES ARE WAITING FOR TRANSPORT IN THE CAMPS.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 49.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1032 AND 1012 AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 29

LEAVE/CTO: 3 CAPT AGRELLO
 MAJ BEYER
 MAJ MACZKA

HOSPITALISED: CAPT CHAENGNI

DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 281700 TO 291700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.

3.C. MILOBS ASSISTED TO EVACUATE VICTIMS OF TRAFFIC ACCIDENT IN RUHENGARI AT 282300 JAN 95. TWO RPA VEHICLES HAD A HEAD TO HEAD COLLISION IN RUHENGARI TOWN. ONE DRIVER WAS SERIOUSLY INJURED. MILOBS ASSISTED TO SEPERATE THE VEHICLES AND TO CLEAR THE TRAFFIC.

3.D. ONE HELICOPTER WITH UNAMIR MEDICAL TEAM WAS ON STAND BY FOR MEDEVAC OF UNHCR PERSONAL CONCERNING INCIDENTS DURING R REGISTRATION IN REFUGEECAMPS IN GOMA AREA.

4. NTR

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS 111. THE REASON FOR THE LOW NUMBER IS THAT NO ORGANIZED TRANSPORT TOOK PLACE. RETURNEES ARE WAITING FOR TRANSPORT IN THE CAMPS.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 36.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1032 AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 32

LEAVE/CTO: 3 CAPT AGRELLO

MAJ BEYER

MAJ MACZKA

HOSPITALISED: CAPT CHAENGANI

DEFICIENCY: 7

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 261700 TO 271700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.

3.C ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI NKUMBA (GS 6739),RUHOMBO (GS 7534),TABA (GS 7827),NYAMGULI (GS 8722) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND THE LOCAL POPULATION.

3.D THE INTRA SECTOR ROTATION OF MILOBS IN THE SECTOR WAS CARRIED OUT BETWEEN GISENYI AND RUHENGARI.A TOTAL OF 04 MILOBS WERE ROTATED WITHIN THE SECTOR.

3.E A TEAM FROM THE LOGISTICAL COORDINATION CELL FROM KIGALI ARRIVED AT THIS LOCATION TO INSPECT THE BOATS HELD WITH THE TUNBAT.A MILOB TEAM ASSISTED TRANSPORTATION OF THE TEAM TO THE TUNBAT LOCATION AS THE TUNBAT EXPRESSED THEIR INABILITY TO DO SO DUE TO SHORTAGE OF VEHICLES.

4.A THE HUMANITARIAN TEAM ATTENDED A CONFERENCE WITH SENIOR UNHCR OFFICERS AND RPA LOCAL COMMANDERS TO DISCUSS CONTINGENCY PLANS FOR THE HANDLING OF A MASS RETURN OF REFUGEES FROM GOMA AREA CAMPS IN THE EVENT OF AN ERUPTION OF THE VOLCANO IN ZAIRE. DRAFT PLAN WILL BE FINALIZED OVER THE NEXT WEEK AND PRESENTED AT UNHCR HQ IN KIGALI. UNHCR HAS BEEN DIRECTED TO DISCUSS NECESSARY UNAMIR ASSISTANCE WITH UNAMIR HQ OPS, LOG AND ENGR OFFICERS.

|| 4.B. HUMANITARIAN TM LDR MET AND BRIEFED UNAMIR INFO OFFR CONCERNING UNHCR/NGO AND UNAMIR COOPERATION IN THE SECTOR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS 174. THE REASON FOR THE LOW NUMBER IS THAT NO ORGANIZED TRANSPORT TOOK PLACE. RETURNEES ARE WAITING FOR TRANSPORT IN THE CAMPS.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 84.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1032 AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 32

LEAVE/CTO: 3 CAPT AGRELLO
 MAJ BEYER
 MAJ MACZKA

HOSPITALISED: CAPT CHAENGANI

DEFICIENCY: 7

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 261700 TO 271700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

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3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, BUSOGO (GS 5027), POSTE BISOKE (GS 4439), KINIGI (GS 5440) AND RUHENGARI. TEAM INVESTIGATED PROGRESS OF MEDICAL SUPPORT IN POSTE BISOKE AREA AND LIAISED WITH MSF (H) IN RUHENGARI.

3.D. TWO TEAMS PROVIDED TRANSPORT AND ESCORTED US DEMINING TEAM FROM RUHENGARI TO AREAS NORTH OF RUHENGARI. ONE OF THE TEAM WAS TASKED TO TRANSPORT THE TUNBAT ESCORT AS THE TUNBAT WAS UNABLE TO PROVIDE THE TRANSPORT FOR THE ESCORT.

3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, KANAMA (GS 2713), KARAMBO (GS 3309), KABAYA (GS 5006) AND NGORORERO (GS 6095). TEAM LIAISED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN KIBILIRA (GS 5085) AND GASEKE (GS 5104). THE TEAM WAS ALSO TASKED TO MONITOR THE CONDITION OF THE RETURNEES BEING SETTLED IN THE GENERAL AREA OF SATINSYI (5800).

3.F. THIS HQ BRIEFED SPECIAL INVESTIGATION TEAM FROM THE HUM RIGHTS ABOUT ACTUAL SITUATION IN SECTOR 5. THE TEAM WAS THEN ESCORTED BY A MILOB TEAM TO THE SITE OF VARIOUS MASS GRAVES IN THE SECTOR WHICH THE TEAM WAS INTRESTED IN MONITORING.

3.G. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI, NYARUTOVU (GS 7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894). MILOBS LIAISED WITH AFRICAN HUMANITARIAN ACTION IN TARE.

4. THE HUMANITARIAN TEAM INVESTIGATED THE REPORTS FROM THE NKULI COMMUNE (4724) ABOUT HARRASMENT OF RETURNEES IN TERMS OF THEIR HOUSING.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS 119. THE REASON FOR THE LOW NUMBER IS THAT NO ORGANIZED TRANSPORT TOOK PLACE. RETURNEES ARE WAITING FOR TRANSPORT IN THE CAMPS.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 55.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1032 AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 32

LEAVE/CTO: 3 CAPT AGRELLO
 MAJ BEYER
 MAJ MACZKA

HOSPITALISED: CAPT CHAENGANI

DEFICIENCY: 7

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 251700 TO 261700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.

3.C. MILOBS TRANSPORTED BOURGMESTRES OF KAYOVE, NYAMYUMBA, RUBAVU, RWERERE, MUTURA, KANAMA, KIBILIRA, RAMBA, SATINSYI, GASEKE, GICYE AND KARAGO BACK TO THEIR COMMUNES AFTER END OF MEETING WITH PREFECT OF GISENYI AT 251530 JAN 95. OPERATION WAS FINISHED AT 252300 JAN 95.

3.D. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHENGARI, NYARUTOVU (GS 7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894). TEAM VISITED DISPENSARY OF AFRICAN HUMANITARIAN ACTION IN SHYORONGI.

3.E. ONE TEAM CARRIED OUT NIGHT PATROL FROM 2100 TO 2300 HRS AND VISITED NGO'S LIVING IN AND AROUND GISENYI AT THEIR RESIDENCES TO ASSESS THE SECURITY CONDITIONS. THE SECURITY SITUATION WAS DEEMED TO BE SATISFACTORY.

4.A. HUM TEAM AND UNHCR MET WITH DELEGATION FROM NKULI GR 4523. THESE PERSONS STATED THAT THEIR CELLE WAS BEING TERRORIZED BY A GROUP OF MEN WHO WERE ATTACKING HUTU PEOPLE WITH BATONS. NONE OF THESE MEN HAD BEEN ATTACKED, NOR COULD THEY PROVIDE FIRST HAND KNOWLEDGE OF ANY ATTACK. THEY FURTHER STATED THAT A MAN HAD BEEN KILLED BY RPA IN THIS AREA ON NIGHT 25 JAN 95. AGAIN, NONE HAD ACTUALLY WITNESSED THIS ALLEGED EVENT. HUM TEAM AND RPA LO WILL BEGIN INVESTIGATION TOMORROW WITH AN INTERVIEW OF LOCAL RPA COMMANDER TO DETERMINE HIS VIEW OF LOCAL SITUATION AND TO CONFIRM THE ALLEGED KILLING.

4.B. BI-WEEKLY HUMANITARIAN COORD MEETING WAS HELD AT GISENYI. SEPARATE REPORT WILL FOLLOW.

4.C. HUM TEAM LDR MET WITH GOMA UNHCR, GISENYI UNHCR AND WFP TO DISCUSS TIE-IN WITH PLANNED GOMA TRANSIT CAMP SCHEDULED TO BE ESTABLISHED IN FEB 95. THIS CAMP WILL SPEED PROCESSING OF RETURNEES BY CONDUCTING MUCH OF THE SCREENING CURRENTLY DONE IN GISENYI AND WILL ALLOW FOR BETTER RE-SETTLEMENT PLANNING.

4.D. HUM TEAM LDR MET WITH UNHCR KIGALI REP TO ASSIST IN PREPARATION OF GISENYI AND RUHENGERI COMMUNE IP'S. IT IS PLANNED BY UNHCR TO DISTRIBUTE INFO ON COMMUNES TO POTENTIAL RETURNEES IN THE GOMA CAMPS AS A MEANS OF BOLSTERING CONFIDENCE.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS 643. 471 OF MENTIONED NUMBER WERE BROUGHT WITH AN ORGANIZED TRANSPORT FROM UNHCR TO GISENYI FROM KIBUMBA CAMP (NORTH OF GOMA).

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 12.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1076 AND 1032 ARE AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 33

LEAVE/CTO: 3 CAPT AGRELLO
 MAJ BEYER
 MAJ MACZKA

DEFICIENCY: 7

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 241700 TO 251700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2.A. PREFECT OF GISENYI TOGETHER WITH REPRESENTATIVE OF MINISTRE OF REHABILITATION BRIEFED ALL BOURGMESTRES OF GISENYI PREFECTURE IN CONFERENCE HALL HOTEL MERIDIEN. REPRESENTATIVES OF UNHCR, HUM RIGHTS, NGO'S AND MILOB SECT COMD A L S O ATTENDED. THE AGENDA OF THE CONFERENCE WAS THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONCEPT OF THE OPEN RELIEF CENTERS IN THE GISENYI PREFECTURE.

2.B. RPA CARRIED OUT TEST FIRING WITH 20 MM ANTI AIRCRAFT GUN ON ROAD FROM GISENYI ALONG LAC KIVU (GS 1811) FROM 1245 TO 1315 HRS.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.

3.C. ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUBAVU (GS 2313) AND KAYOVE (GS 2892). MILOBS PICKED UP BOURGMESTRES OF KAYOVE, KANAMA (GS 2713) AND NYAMYUMBA (GS 2106) FOR THE MEETING MENTIONED IN PARA 2.A.

3.D. ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, KANAMA (GS 2713), RWERERE (GS 3223) AND MUTURA (GS 2723). TEAM PICKED UP BOURGMESTRES OF RWERERE AND MUTURA TO MEETING IN GISENYI.

3.E. ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, MUKAMIRA (GS 4521) AND NGORORERO (GS 6095). TEAM PICKED UP BOURGMESTRES OF KIBILIRA (GS 5984), RAMBA (GS 4993) AND SATINSKY (GS 5900).

3.F. UNHCR AND MILOBS PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, MUKAMIRA (GS 4521) AND KABAYA (GS 5006). TEAM PICKED UP BOURGMESTRES OF GASEKE (GS 5104), GICIYE (GS 5112) AND KARAGO (GS 4612).

3.G. SECTOR COMD BRIEFED AUSTRALIAN DELEGATION OF POLITICIANS (SENATOR LOOSLEY, SENATOR MCGIBBON, MP MR. HALVARSON AND

MR.PRICE, MRS. MOORES OF AUSTRALIAN HIGH COMMISSION IN NAIROBI AND COL HURFORD) IN THIS HQ ABOUT ACTUAL SITUATION IN SECTOR 5. THE VISITORS WERE ALSO CONDUCTED TO THE CARE DAY CENTER AND WERE EXPLAINED THE SYSTEM OF PROCESSING THE RETURNEES ONCE THE REACHED RWANDA.

3.F. ONE TEAM PATROLLED RUHENGARI, NKULI (GS 4624) AND MUKINGO (GS 5160). MILOBS VISITED LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN MENTIONED COMMUNES.

4. NTR

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS 141.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 69.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1076 AND 1032 ARE AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 35

LEAVE/CTO: 1 CAPT AGRELLO

DEFICIENCY: 7

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 231700 TO 241700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGERI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA. TEAM CONTINUED PATROL TO KIDAHU (GS 7247), BUTARO (GS 8243), KIRAMBO (GS 8243) AND BUSHOKA (GS 7223).

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, BUSOGO(4926), RUKOMO (4934), KARIBA(4023), BIGOGWE(3520) AND KANAMA(2712).

3.D. ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED AREAS OF GISENYI, MUKAMIRA(4521), KARAGO(4516), GICEYE(5111), GASEKE(5004), RAMBA(4893) AND SATINSKI(5800) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL POPULACE. THE TEAM ALSO VISITED THE MSF(B) CLINIC AT KABAYA.

3.E. ONE MILOB TEAM PATROLLED GISENYI AND ITS ADJOINING AREAS ON THE NI 23/24 JAN 95 AND LIAISED WITH ALL THE NGOS AT THEIR RESIDENCE.

3.F. MILOBS CARRIED OUT PATROL WITH HR TO INVESTIGATE MASS GRAVE IN MARERU (314187). AROUND 200 PERS ARE BURIED EAST OF MILK FACTORY.

4. ONE MILOB HUMANITARIAN TEAM ASSISTED UNHCR TO TRANSPORT RELIEF MATERIAL TO THE NEWLY OPENED ORPHANAGE AT MUTURA.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 449. 250 RETURNEES WERE TRANSPORTED FROM UNHCR AND IOM FROM CAMP MUGUNGA (15 KM WEST OF GOMA) TO GISENYI.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS OF 17.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1076 AND 1032 ARE AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 34

LEAVE/CTO: 2 MAJ ANNAN
CAPT AGRELLO

DEFICIENCY: 7

7.B. NEW MILOB SECTOR COMD LTCOL ESSIEEN ARRIVED IN THIS LOC.

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 221700 TO 231700 JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM.
- 1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.
2. NTR.
- 3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.
- 3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGIERI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA. TEAM CONTINUED PATROL TO KIDAHU (GS 7247), BUTARO (GS 8243), KIRAMBO (GS 8243) AND BUSHOKA (GS 7223).
- 3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHENGIERI, NYARUTOVU (GS 7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).
- 3.D. ONE TEAM INVESTIGATED CATTLE RUSTLING INCIDENT IN BYAHI (GS 1917) AND CARRIED OUT PATROL TO RUBAVU (GS 2313) AND KAYOVE (GS 2892). IN NI 21/22 JAN 15 ARMED INFILTRATORS CROSSED THE BORDER FROM ZAIRE AND TOOK AWAY CATTLE FROM BYAHI. ONE CIVILIAN WAS KILLED AND ONE INJURED. IN NI 22/23 JAN RPA AMBUSHED INFILTRATORS IN MUFUMBA (GS 2422). ONE BANDIT WAS KILLED IN THE FIREFIGHT AND ONE RPA SOLDIER WAS INJURED. RPA SEIZED ONE AK 47.
- 3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHENGIERI, KINIGI (GS 5440) AND POSTE BISOKE (GS 4439). TEAM INVESTIGATED HEALTH SITUATION IN THIS AREA AND WILL PROVIDE NGO'S WITH MEDICAL ASSESSMENT. TEAM HANDED OVER GRENADE WHICH WAS FOUND IN NYABITSINDE (GS 5042) TO RPA.
4. REFERENCE 3.E.: 20 CIVILIANS HAVE DIED FROM DYSENTERY AND MALARIA IN BISATE AREA (GS 4539). MILOBS INFORMED MSF (H) AT KINIGI AND RUHENGIERI. A FOLLOW UP ASSESSMENT OF THE MEDICAL NEEDS WILL BE CONDUCTED BY MSF (H) ON 24 JAN 95 AND WILL SENT A MOBILE TEAM IN VARIOUS AREAS.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 474. 178 RETURNEES WERE TRANSPORTED FROM UNHCR AND IOM FROM CAMP MUGUNGA (15 KM WEST OF GOMA) TO GISENYI.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS OF 60.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1076, 1032 AND 428 ARE AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 34

LEAVE/CTO: 2 MAJ ANNAN
CAPT AGRELLO

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 211700 TO 221700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2.A. NTR.

2.B. RPA CONDUCTED TESTFIRING WITH 20 MM ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN SOUTH OF GISENYI AT ROAD ALONG LAC KIVU (GS 1810) BETWEEN 1200 AND 1400 HRS.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. SECT COMD AND UNHCR REPRESENTATIVE BRIEFED DELEGATION LEAD BY UN COORDINATOR OF SECURITY MR V. SEVAN AND UNNY DELEGATION IN THIS HQ. VISITERS CONTINUED WITH VISIT OF CARE WAY STATION IN GISENYI AND TOUR TO GOMA AND REFUGEE CAMPS ON ZAIRIAN SIDE.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 180.

5.B. 3 RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 21 JAN 95 AND 2 RETURNEES ON 22 JAN 95.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1076, 1032 AND 428 ARE AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 31

LEAVE/CTO: 3 MAJ TAIF
CAPT MODIBO
MAJ ANNAN

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT

FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI

SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 201700 TO 211700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF KABAYA(GS 2943),KARAMBO (GS 3309),KABAYA(GS 5006),NGORORERO(GS 6095) AND RAMBA (GS 4893) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AT THE COMMUNE OFFICE AT RAMBA AND KARAMBO.

3.D ONE TEAM PATROLLED GISENY,RABUVA(GS 2313) AND KAYOVE(GS 2892) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND THE RPA.

3.E THE MEDIA TEAM FROM UNAMIR HQ VISITED THIS LOCATION ON 21 JAN 95.THE TEAM WAS BRIEFED BY THE SECTOR COMMANDER AND WAS UPDATED ON THE LATEST SITUATION IN THE SECTOR AOR.THE TEAM WAS CONDUCTED TO THE CARE CENTER AT GISENYI WHERE THEY WERE

BRIEFED BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF UNHCR AND CARE. THE TEAM WAS ALSO SHOWN THE LAYOUT OF THE CENTER. HOWEVER IT WOULD BE PERTINENT TO MENTION HERE THAT ON SATURDAYS DUE TO VARIOUS REASONS THE ACTIVITY AT THE REFUGEE STAGING AREAS IS AT LOW EBB. THEREFORE IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT MEDIA VISITS BE SCHEDULED ON WEEKDAYS. THE SECTOR COMD RECOMMENDED TO THE TEAM THAT TO GET EXCELLENT MEDIA COVERAGE THE TEAM LINK UP WITH THE MILOBS FOR A 24 H PERIOD WHICH WOULD INCLUDE MOVING OUT ON A PATROL WITH A MILOB TEAM.

3.F ONE TEAM PATROLLED POSTE BISOKE(449393), KARISOKE RESEARCH CENTER(GS 428360) AND ZAIRIAN BORDER(GS 410368) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL POPULACE.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 179.

5.B. 18 RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 20 JAN 95.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1002, 1032 AND 428 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 31

LEAVE/CTO: 4 MAJ TAIF
CAPT MODIBO
MAJ MSOMELO
MAJ ANNAN

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT

FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI

SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 191700 TO 201700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGERI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. THE JOINT INVESTIGATION INTO THE ALLEGE KILLING OF 18 CIVILIANS ON THE ILE OF NYAMIRUNDI (GS 2097) ON THE 16 JAN 95 CONTINUED ON THE 20 JAN 95. THE INITIAL INVESTIGATION REVEALS THAT A TOTAL OF 4 CIVILIANS WERE ACTUALLY KILLED IN THE INCIDENT BY THE RPA.

3.D ONE TEAM PATROLLED MUTURA(3223) AND RWERERE(2722) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AT THE MUTURA AND RWERERE COMMUNE OFFICE.

3.E ONE TEAM OF MILOBS PATROLLED KANAMA(2812) AND KIVUMU(2303) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AT THE KANAMA COMMUNE

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 181700 TO 191700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. THE JOINT INVESTIGATION INTO THE ALLEGE KILLING OF 18 CIVILIANS ON THE ILE OF NYAMIRUNDI (GS 2097) ON THE 16 JAN 95 CONTINUED ON THE 19 JAN 95. THE INITIAL INVESTIGATION REVEALS THAT A TOTAL OF 4 CIVILIANS WERE ACTUALLY KILLED IN THE INCIDENT BY THE RPA.

3.D A CONFERENCE WAS HELD AT THIS HQ WITH THE RPA BATTALION COMD ON 19 JAN 95 AT 1000H. THE BRIGADE COMD WHO WAS SCHEDULED TO ATTEND THE SAME COULD NOT DO SO DUE TO EXIGENCIES OF SERVICE. A DETAILED REPORT ON THE SAME WILL BE FORWARDED SEPERATLY.

3.E ONE TEAM PATROLLED THE AREA RUHENGARI AND KINIGI(5440) AND LIAISED WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AT THE KINIGI COMMUNE OFFICE.

3.F ONE TEAM OF MILOBS INTERVIEWED A GROUP OF RETURNEES AT THE CARE STATION AT GISENYI AFTER THEY HAD CROSSED OVER FROM ZAIRE. THE REFUGEES REPORTED THAT THE CONDITIONS AT THE CAMPS WERE VERY BAD AND THE SECURITY CONDITIONS WERE NOT SATISFACTORY. THESE PEOPLE HAD TO SLIP OUT OF THE CAMPS DURING THE NIGHT AS THE INTERHAMWE RESORTED TO KILLING ANY PERSONS TRYING TO RETURN TO RWANDA. THEY ALSO REPORTED THAT THE ZAIREN

ETHNIC GROUP HUNDE WERE ATTACKING THE REFUGEES ADDING TO THERE WOES.

3.G ONE TEAM OF MILOBS CARRIED OUT A NIGHT PATROL ON NI 18/19 JAN 95 AND VISITED ALL NGOS LIVING IN AND AROUND GISENY AT THIER RESIDENCES TO ASSESS THE SECURITY CONDITIONS.THE SECURITY SITUATION WAS DEEMED TO BE SATISFACTORY.

3.H ONE TEAM OF MILOBS PATROLLED ALONG. ROAD GISENY, RUHENGIERI, NYARUTOVU(GS 7718), TARE(GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI(GS 9894).

3.J NINE IDPS WHO FLED FROM THEIR HOMES IN KIGALI SECTOR SINCE SEP 94 FOR SECURITY REASONS REPORTED AT TUNNBAT HQ TO ENQUIRE ON THE POSSIBILTY OF GOING BACK TO THIER HOMES.THE CASE IS BEING TAKEN UP BY THE UNHCR.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 324. FREQUENT INFLUX OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE BY BOAT IN AREAS WEST OF KAYOVE WAS REPORTED. EXACT NUMBERS HAVE TO BE INVESTIGATED.

5.B. 03 RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 17 JAN 95 AND 18 JAN 95 RESPECTIVELY.

6. VEH UNAMIR 803, 1002, 1032 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 31

LEAVE/CTO: 6 MAJ TAIF
CAPT MODIBO
CAPT MILED
CAPT M'RABET
MAJ MSOMELO
MAJ ANNAN

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 171700 TO 181700 JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ AND THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES AT THE COMMUNE OFFICE AT RABUVA.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. A JOINT INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY A MILOB TEAM AND HUMAN RIGHTS TEAM INTO THE ALLEGED KILLING OF 18 CIVILIANS ON THE ILE OF NYAMIRUNDI (GS 2097) ON THE 16 JAN 95.

3.D. A CONFERENCE WAS HELD AT THE UNHCR OFFICE AT GISENYI. THE AGENDA WAS TO DISCUSS THE MODALITIES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE OPEN RELIEF CENTRES (ORC) IN THE GOMA CORRIDOR SO AS ASSIST THE RETURNEES TO SETTLE DOWN IN THEIR COMMUNES OF RESIDENCE AT THE EARLIEST. THE SECTOR COMMANDER, OPS OFFICER AND THE HUMANITARIAN OFFICER ATTENDED ALONG WITH REPS OF VARIOUS NGO GROUPS. IT WAS DECIDED THAT TO ENSURE SUCCESSFUL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME THE FIRST STEP WOULD BE TO INTEGRATE THE PREFECTS AND THE BOURG MESTRE INTO THE SCHEME OF THINGS BY HOLDING A JOINT CONFERENCE LATER THIS WEEK. THE NGOS ALSO REQUESTED THE UNAMIR IF IT WAS POSSIBLE TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE IN THE FORM OF TRANSPORT SUPPORT TO ASSIST IN DELIVERY OF FOOD AND OTHER HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE. DETAILS WILL FOLLOW SUBSEQUENTLY.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 299. FREQUENT INFLUX OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE BY BOAT IN AREAS WEST OF KAYOVE WAS REPORTED. EXACT NUMBERS HAVE TO BE INVESTIGATED.

5.B. 189 RETURNEES AND 31 RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 17 JAN 95 AND 18 JAN 95 RESPECTIVELY.

5.C. CIVILIANS IN KAYOVE AREA COMPLAINED THAT COLLECTED MONEY FOR CURRENCY CHANGE WAS NOT RETURNED. THE BOURGMESTRE AND HIS ASSISTANT WERE ARRESTED ON 05 JAN 95 WITH 27 MILLION FRANCS RWANDESE.

6. VEH UNAMIR 803, 1231, 1002, 1032 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 31

LEAVE/CTO: 6 MAJ TAIF
 CAPT MODIBO
 CAPT MILED
 CAPT M'RABET
 MAJ MSOMELO
 CAPT AGRELLO

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 161700 TO 171700 B JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM. ALLEGED KILLING OF 18 CIVILIANS ON ILE OF NYAMIRUNDI (GS 2097) ON 16 JAN 95. CIVILIANS IN GISHWATI (GS 5895) STATED THAT RPA SOLDERS KILLED PEOPLE WHO RETURNED FROM ZAIRE TO MENTIONED ISLE. RPA APPEARS TO BE CONCERNED WITH ANY BOAT TRAFFIC ON LAC KIVU SINCE CYANGUGU INCIDENT. INVESTIGATION WILL BE CARRIED OUT.
- 1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.
2. NTR.
- 3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.
- 3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGERI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.
- 3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, KANAMA (GS 2713), KARAMBO (GS 3309), KABAYA (GS 5006), NGORORERO (GS 6095) AND BULINGA (GS 6779). TEAM LIAISED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN GICYE (GS 5110) AND VISITED MSF HOSPITAL IN RUCANU (GS 5704). AT 162000 JAN 95 MR. HITIYAREMYE WAS ATTACKED WITH A GRENADE BY TWO PERSONS AT SHYIRA (GS 5913). NO CASUALTIES.
- 3.D. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUBAVU (GS 2313) AND KAYOVE (GS 2892). TEAM VISITED WITH LOCAL DISPENSARY IN GISHIWATI (GS 2495) AND LIAISED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN KAYOVE. POPULATION COMPLAINS ABOUT INSECURITY IN AREAS WEST OF KAYOVE.
- 3.E. THIS HQ ORGANIZED JOINT HELICOPTER PATROL WITH UNHCR, HR, PIO AND MILOBS. TEAM LIAISED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN KAYENZI (GS 3470), TABA (GS 4540) AND RUTOBWE (GS 7882). SEPARATE REPORT WILL FOLLOW.
- 3.F. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BULINDA (GS 2516) TO FOLLOW INVESTIGATION CARRIED OUT ON 21 DEC 94.
- 3.G. MILOBS CARRIED OUT NIGHT PATROLS IN GISENYI AND RUHENGERI. TEAMS VISITED NGO'S IN THEIR RESIDENCES TO LOOK FOR SECURITY.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 136. FREQUENT INFLUX OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE BY BOAT IN AREAS WEST OF KAYOVE WAS REPORTED. EXACT NUMBERS HAVE TO BE INVESTIGATED.

5.B. 158 RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 17 JAN 95.

5.C. CIVILIANS IN KAYOVE AREA COMPLAINED THAT COLLECTED MONEY FOR CURRENCY CHANGE WAS NOT RETURNED. THE BOURGMESTRE AND HIS ASSISTANT WERE ARRESTED ON 05 JAN 95 WITH 27 MILLION FRANCS RWANDESE.

6. VEH UNAMIR 803, 1231, 1002, 1032 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 31

LEAVE/CTO: 3

CAPT COULIBALY
CAPT MILED
CAPT M'RABET

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 141700 TO 161700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RWERERE (GS 2722), MUTURA (GS 3223) AND KANAMA (GS 2812). TEAM INVESTIGATED ACTUAL SECURITY SITUATION IN RUTAGARA (GS 1818) AND FOUND THAT SITUATION IS CALM AND SAFE SINCE THE INCIDENTS REPORTED IN SITREP FROM 31 OCT (MASSACRE OF 36 PERS). TEAM CONTINUED TO LIAISE WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN MUTURA.

3.D. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, KANAMA (GS 2812) AND MARERU (GS 1832). TEAM LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ AND FOLLOWED INVESTIGATION CARRIED OUT ON 10 NOV 94. CIVILIANS CONFIRMED THAT MR. RUGAYI WAS KILLED FROM RPA WHEN HE RESISTED ARREST. NO INCIDENTS SINCE THE MURDER.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 229.

5.B. 12 RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 15 JAN 95.

6. VEH UNAMIR 803, 1002, 1032 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 29

LEAVE/CTO: 6 LCOL MEYER
MAJ MENON

MAJ SARKAR
CAPT COULIBALY
CAPT MILED
CAPT M'RABET

DEFICIENCY: 9

- 7.B. LTCOL AUSTDAL HANDED OVER COMMAND OF MILOB SECTOR 5 TO MAJ MCCOMBER. LTCOL AUSTDAL LEFT SECTOR 5 FOR HIS NEW APPOINTMENT IN UNAMIR FORCE HQ KIGALI.

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 141700 TO 151700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGERI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 127.

5.B. NO RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 15 JAN 95.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1002, 1032 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

6.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 29

LEAVE/CTO: 6 LCOL MEYER
MAJ MENON
MAJ SARKAR
CAPT COULIBALY
CAPT MILED
CAPT M'RABET

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 131700 TO 141700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri, NYARUTOVU (GS7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).

3.D. ONE TEAM PATROLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHengeri, KINIGI (GS 5440) POSTE BISOKE (GS 4439) AND CONTINUED WITH FOOTPATROL TO KARISOKE RESEARCH CENTER (GR 428360) AND ZAIRIAN BORDER (GR 410368). TEAM LIAISED WITH RPA IN KINIGI AND NDUBI (GS4739) AND VISITED LOCAL STAFF IN KARISOKE RESEARCH CENTER.

3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF KANAMA (GS 2913), MURARA (GS 2115) AND KAREBA (GS 4225). TEAM VISITED WITH MSF HOSPITALS IN MURARA AND KAREBA AND LIAISED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN KANAMA. SINCE INCIDENT IN NI 08/09 (KILLING OF 4 PERSONS NEAR HOSPITAL) MSF DOES NOT SUPPORT KAREBA HOSPITAL.

3.F. SEC COMD ATTENDED SEC COMD CONFERENCE IN BYUMBA.

3.G. ONE TEAM CARRIED OUT NIGHTPATROL IN GISENYI FROM 2100 13 JAN TO 2300 13 JAN 95 TO LOOK FOR THE SECURITY OF NGO'S.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS
OF 261.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 14
JAN 95 WAS 8.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1002, 1032 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR
WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

6.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 28

LEAVE/CTO: 7 LCOL MEYER
 MAJ ALAM MD
 MAJ MENON
 MAJ SARKAR
 CAPT COULIBALY
 CAPT MILED
 CAPT M'RABET

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 121700 TO 131700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2.A. NTR.

2.B. INCREASED PATROLLING OF RPA IN CITY CENTER OF RUHENGARI IN THE MORNING HOURS.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI, NYARUTOVU (GS7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).

3.D. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RWERERE (GS 2823), BORDERPOST 4 (GS 2929), MUTURA (GS 3223) AND NKULI (GS 4924). MILOBS LIAISED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN RWERERE AND NKULI AND VISITED ADRA HOSPITAL IN MUTURA.

3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUBAVU (GS 2313) AND KAYOVE (GS 2892). TEAMS LIAISED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN RUBAVU (GS 2213), NYAMYUMBA (GS 2206) AND KAYOVE. TEAM VISITED MEMISA HOSPITAL IN MURUNDA (GS 3188). TEAM FOUND THAT BOURGMESTRE OF KAYOVE (MR. JOHN BAPTIST) WAS ARRESTED ON 09 JAN 95 AFTER IRREGULARITY DURING MONEY CHANGE EXERCISE.

3.F. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI, NYAMUTERA (GS 5819), NYABIKENKE (GS 7392) AND RUTOBWE.

3.G. THIS HQ ASSISTED MR. MICHAEL GEHNEN (ATTACHE OF GERMAN REPUBLIC IN GOMA IN CHARGE OF COORDINATION OF GERMAN RELIEF ORGANIZATIONS FOR RWANDA) TO MEET THE LOCAL RPA COMD REFERENCE RETURN OF VEHICLE WHICH WAS CONFISCATED AT GISENYI BORDERPOST ON 27 NOV 94.

4.A. SEC 5B PROVIDED NGO'S WITH INFORMATION ON UNAMIR EMERGENCY PROCEDURES FOR ALERT AND EVACUATION AS WELL AS ON MINE AWARENESS. COPIES OF MINE INFORMATION WERE PASSED TO ALL NGO'S DURING MEETING.

4.B. FUEL SHORTAGE IN RUHENGERI REPORTED BY LOCAL POPULATION AND NGO'S.

5.A. UNHCR INFORMED SECTOR HQ ABOUT INCIDENT DURING ANOTHER ORGANIZED REPATRIATION CONVOY FROM CAMP KIVUMBA (NORTH OF GOMA) WITH 52 RETURNEES ON 12 DEC 94. RETURNEES WERE THROWN WITH STONES BY CAMP INHABITANTS DURING LOADING AND DEPARTURE.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 348.

5.C. NO RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 13 JAN 95. *N/L*

6. VEH UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 1005 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

5.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 28

LEAVE/CTO: 7 LCOL MEYER
 MAJ ALAM MD
 MAJ MENON
 MAJ SARKAR
 CAPT COULIBALY
 CAPT MILED
 CAPT M'RABET

DEFICIENCY: 9

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 111700 TO 121700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDER TRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2.A. NTR.

2.B. ONE RPA UNIT AGAIN DEPLOYED IN KINIGI (GS 5440) AND AREAS DIRECTION ZAIRIAN BORDER.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGIERI, KINIGI (GS 5440) AND CONTINUED WITH FOOTPATROL FROM GIFUMBA (GS 5243) TO ZAIRIAN BORDER (GR 540463). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA.

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGIERI, NYARUTOVU (GS7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).

3.D. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, BIGOGWE (GS 3620) AND KAREBA (GS 3925) TO INVESTIGATE SECURITY SITUATION IN THIS AREA.

3.E. HAC ATTENDED NGO MEETING IN GISENYI. SPECIAL REPORT ATTACHED.

3.F. SECTOR COMD BRIEFED INDBATT DET ON A FAMILIARIZATION VISIT TO GISENYI.

4. NTR

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 268.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 11 AND 12 JAN 95 WERE 11 AND ⁰⁸02 RESPECTIVELY.

6. VEH UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 487, 1005 AND 1017 ARE STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP FOR REPAIRS.

5.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 27

LEAVE/CTO: 6 LCOL MEYER
 MAJ ALAM MD
 FLT LT ESSUMAN
 MAJ MENON
 MAJ SARKAR
 CAPT COULIBALY

DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 101700 TO 111700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDERTRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2. NTR.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI, CYANIKA (GS 7152), KIDAHU (GS 7247), BUTARO (GS 8243), KIRAMBO (GS 8335) AND BUSHOKA (GS 7223). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND VISITED CLINICS IN BUTARO AND CYERU (GS 8135).

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI, NYARUTOVU (GS7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).

3.D. SEC COMD JOINED SRSG MEETING IN KIGALI.

3.E. THIS HQ WAS INFORMED FROM TUNBATT HQ THAT THEY DISCOVERED A DEAD BODY AT MUKAMIRA (GS 4721). MILOBS FOUND A PIT WITH THREE METRES IN DIAMETER AND TWO METRES DEEP. IT SEEMED TO BE A GRAVE FOR SEVERAL PERSONS WHO WERE BURIED HERE IN THE MONTH OF MAY. SECTOR HR TEAM TO FOLLOW UP.

3.F. HAC FOLLOWED INVESTIGATION INITIATED 04 JAN (SEE SITREP 04 JAN). TEAM FOUND THAT A LOCAL STUDENT WAS KILLED BY RPA AT BORDERPOST 4 (GS 2930). THE MAN WAS ATTEMPTING TO CROSS THE BORDER AND WAS ORDERED TO HALT BY A PATROL. IN A FOLLOWING STRUGGLE HE WAS SHOT AND KILLED.

4. MSF IN CYERU COMPLAINT ABOUT LACK OF MED PERS TO DIAGNOSE SICK PERSONS PROPERLY.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 313.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 11 JAN 95 WAS 69.

6. 6 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 487, 1005 STILL AT UNAMIR

WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.

5.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 28

LEAVE/CTO: 5 LCOL MEYER
 MAJ ALAM MD
 FLT LT ESSUMAN
 MAJ MENON
 MAJ SARKAR

DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 091700 TO 101700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDERTRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.

2.A. NTR.

2.B. RPA CARRIED OUT REFRESHER TRAINING AT EAST SHOOTING AREA RUHENGARI BETWEEN 1000 AND 1100 HRS WITH SMALL ARMS AND GRENADE LAUNCHERS.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI, NYARUTOVU (GS7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).

3.D. SEC COMD JOINED MEETING IN KIGALI CONCERNING DETACHMENT OF MILITARY POLICE IN GISENYI.

3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, MUTURA (GS 3223) AND MUTOVU (GS 2929) AND INVESTIGATED SECURITY SITUATION. TEAM FOUND IN MUTOVU ONE ARRESTED PERSON BECAUSE OF HAVING CHANGED TO MUCH MONEY. IN BUSUMBA (GS 2727) MR. HANYI WAS KILLED BY RPA SOLDERS FOR CHANGING TO MUCH MONEY. THE MONEY WAS TAKEN AWAY BY THE SOLDERS AFTERWARDS.

4. SECURITY MEETING WITH NGO'S TO BE HELD ON 13 JAN 95 AT 0930 HRS IN RUHENGARI.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 280.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 09 JAN 94 WAS 39. NUMBER OF REFUGEES CROSSING ON 10 JAN WAS ALSO 39.

6. 6 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487, 1005 AND 1012 STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.

DUE TO THE ALARMING VEHICLE STATE NO REGULAR PATROLLING CAN BE CARRIED OUT IN SECTOR 5.

7.A. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 29

LEAVE/CTO: 4 LCOL MEYER
 MAJ ALAM MD
 CAPT GALUFU
 FLT LT ESSUMAN

MEWON

DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 081700 TO 091700 B JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM. INVESTIGATION CONFIRMS PREVIOUS REPORTS THAT 60 COWS HAVE BEEN STOLEN OVER LAST WEEKS BY ARMED PERSONS USING GUNS AND GRENADES IN AREA OF KINEGE (GS 4637).
- 1.B. ZAIRIAN/RWANDESE BORDER IS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC EXCEPT UNAMIR PERSONNEL. NORMAL BORDERTRAFFIC BETWEEN UGANDIAN / RWANDESE BORDER AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST.
2. NTR.
- 3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.
- 3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152) AND KINIGI (GS 5540). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.
- 3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI, NYARUTOVU (GS7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).
- 3.D. MILOBS ESCORTED CANADIAN CHIEF OF DEFENCE STAFF AND ENTOURAGE FROM TUNBATT HQ TO GISENYI MILOBS HQ. SEC COMD BRIEFED VISITORS AND CONTINUED WITH A CONDUCTED TOUR OF REFUGEE RECEPTION AND HANDLING CENTRES IN GISENYI.
- 3.E. ONE MILOB TEAM ESCORTED UNHCR CONVOY FROM GISENYI TO MUKAMIRA (GS5129) AND FURTHER TO NGORORERO (GS 6095). 276 RETURNEES WERE TRANSPORTED TO THEIR VILLAGES BETWEEN MUKAMIRA AND NGORORERO.
- 3.F. MILOBS PROVIDED TRANSPORT FOR PREFECT OF RUHENGARI TO KIDAHU (GS 7348) AND RUHONDO (GS 6929).
4. NTR.
- 5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 186.
- 5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST ON 08 JAN 94 WAS 03. NUMBER OF REFUGEES CROSSING ON 09 JAN TO BE PROVIDED IN SITREP OF 10 JAN.
- 5.C. LOCAL POPULATION IN AREAS OF KINEGE (GS4637), RWAMAHORO (GS 4836) AND NYAMULIMIWA (GS 4835) COMPLAINT ABOUT LACK OF

SECURITY AND ROBBERY.

6. 5 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487, 1005 STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.

7.A. UNCIVPOL OFFICE NOW ESTABLISHED IN RUHENGARI AND CO-LOCATED WITH MILOB SUB-SECTOR HQ IN MUHABURA HOTEL. CURRENT STR OF PERS IS 3.

7.B. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 29

LEAVE/CTO: 4 LCOL MEYER
MAJ NDLOVU
CAPT PORTELA
CAPT GALUFU

DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 071700 TO 081700 B JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM.
- 1.B. ZAIRIAN BORDERPOST GISENYI/GOMA WAS REOPENED FOR ALL TRAFFIC IN BOTH DIRECTIONS AT 1200HR. THE UGANDIAN/RWANDESE BORDER WAS ALSO OPERATIONAL TODAY.
2. NTR.
- 3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.
- 3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.
4. NTR.
- 5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE AT GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 110.
- 5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS OF 5.
6. 4 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487 STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.
7. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43
PRESENT: 29
LEAVE/CTO: 4 LCOL MEYER
MAJ NDLOVU
CAPT PORTELA
CAPT GALUFU
DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 061700 TO 071700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM.

1.B. BORDERPOST GISENYI/GOMA WAS OPEN FOR ALL TRAFFIC IN BOTH DIRECTIONS BETWEEN 1200 AND 1700 HRS.

2.A. NTR

2.B. RPA BRIG COMD VISITED GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST TO DISCUSS WITH UNHCR SITUATION OF RETURNEES WAITING TO ENTER RWANDA. RETURNEES WERE ALLOWED TO ENTER RWANDA BUT HAVE TO STAY IN A HOLDING AREA IN GISENYI BECAUSE OF CURRENCY EXCHANGE REASONS.

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHENGARI AND KINIGI (GS 5540) TO INVESTIGATE CATTLE RUSTLING IN AREAS WEST OF KINIGI. TEAM FOUND THAT 8 COWS WERE TAKEN AWAY BY UNIFORMED PERSONS NEAR KINIGI (GS 5540).

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHENGARI, NYARUTOVU (GS 7718), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894).

3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.

3.D. ONE TEAM CONTINUED INVESTIGATION IN MUTURA (GS 3323) AND MUTOVU (GS 2929) AREAS REFERENCE ALLEGED KILLING REPORTED PER SITREP OF 5 JAN 95. TEAM WAS ALSO INFORMED ABOUT ANOTHER KILLING OF ONE CIVILIAN NEAR MUTURA. PERSON WAS SHOT WHEN HE TRIED TO PREVENT A GROUP OF ARMED UNIFORMED PERSONS FROM STEALING HIS CATTLE.

3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGARI.

4. NTR

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE ON GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 201.

5.B. NO RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BECAUSE OF CLOSED BORDERPOST. BORDER SUPPOSED TO BE RE-OPENED TOMORROW.

6. 4 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487 STILL AT UNAMIR
WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.

7. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 27

LEAVE/CTO: 5 LCOL MEYER
MAJ NDLOVU
CAPT CHAENGANI
CAPT PORTELA
CAPT GALUFU

DEFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 051700 TO 061700 B JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM. LOCALS IN AREAS OF GIFUMBA (GS 5243), NYABITSINDE (GS 5042), BANNISIGU (GS 4638) AND BISATE (GS 4640) NORTHWEST OF RUHENGERI COMPLAINT TO PATROL ABOUT FREQUENT CATTLE RUSTLING BY UNIDENTIFIED PEOPLE FROM ZAIRE. MILOBS CONTINUE TO INVESTIGATE.
- 1.B. MAIN BORDERPOST GISENYI/GOMA PARTIALLY OPEN FOR ENTRY OF REFUGEES AND EXIT OF EXPATRIATE STAFF AND OTHER FOREIGNERS BUT NOT FOR ROUTINE TRAFFIC. RETURNEES WHO SPENT THE NI 05/06 IN THE NEUTRAL AREA BETWEEN THE BORDERPOSTS WERE ALLOWED TO ENTER.
- 2.A. CURRENCY CHANGE OPERATION CONTINUED IN COMMUNES THROUGHOUT THE WHOLE SECTOR.
- 2.B. RPA ESCORTED CURRENCY EXCHANGE TEAMS TO COMMUNES AND HAD STRONG PRESENCE AT MONEY EXCHANGE POINTS.
- 3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHENGERI AND KINIGI (GS 5540) AND CONTINUED FOOTPATROL FROM GIFUMBA (GR 528435) TO ZAIRIAN BORDER (GR 540463).
- 3.B. THIS HQ ARRANGED AIR EVACUATION OF 11 SICK CHILDREN FROM KIBUYE TO NYUNDO ORPHANAGE (GS 2513).
- 3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.
- 3.D. ONE TEAM CONTINUED INVESTIGATION IN MUTURA (GS 3323) AND MUTOVU (GS2929) AREAS REFERENCE ALLEGED KILLING. DUE TO THE ABSENCE OF LOCAL RPA COMD INVESTIGATION COULD NOT BE CLOSED. HAT TM LDR DISCUSSED THE INCIDENT, AND OTHER RECENT INCIDENTS, WITH LOCAL RPA COMD. THE RPA IS AWARE OF THE KILLINGS AND IS AT THIS TIME CONDUCTING THEIR OWN INVESTIGATION.
- 3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGERI, CYANIKA (GS 7152) KIDAHU (GS 7247), BUTARO (GS8243), KIRAMBO (GS 8335) AND BUSHOKA (GS 7223). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST CYANIKA AND NGO'S IN RUHENGERI.
- 3.F. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGERI, NYAMUTERA (6019) AND RETURNED TO NYAKINAMA (GS 6027) TO ASSIST LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN MONEY TRANSFER OPERATIONS.

4. HAT TM MET WITH LOCAL RPA COMD. RPA EXPLAINED THAT HE HAD NOW RECIEVED DIRECTION FROM KIGALI THAT RETURNING REFUGEES WOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO RETAIN "OLD" RWANDAN CURRENCY AND THAT IT WOULD BE CONFISCATED AT THE BORDER. OVER PAST TWO DAYS THE RPA HAD TAKEN MONEY FROM REFUGEES, EXCHANGED IT FOR NEW TYPE CURRENCY, AND RETURNED IT TO REFUGEES. THIS NEW POLICY IS A SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN POLICY AND WILL LIKELY CAUSE SOME PROBLEMS.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES FROM ZAIRE ON GISENYI/GOMA BORDERPOST WAS OF 195. 40 REFUGEES ARE STILL IN THE NEUTRIAL AREA BETWEEN THE BORDERPOSTS.

5.B. NO RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BECAUSE OF CLOSED BORDERPOST.

6. 4 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487 STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.

7. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 27

LEAVE/CTO: 6 LCOL MEYER
MAJ NDLOVU
CAPT KUSHAMBA
CAPT CHAENGANI
CAPT PORTELA
CAPT GALUFU

EXCUSE DUTY:1 CAPT MARAH

DEFFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 041700 TO 051700 B JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM.
- 1.B. BORDER POSTS RWANDA/ZAIRE REMAINED CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC BECAUSE OF CURRENCY NOTE CHANGE EXERCISE.
2. NTR
- 3.A. MILOB TEAMS PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI, RUHengeri, NYARUTOVU (GS 7718), MUSASA (GS8498), TARE (GS 9109) AND SHYORONGI (GS 9894). TEAM LIAISED WITH SPANISH HOSPITAL IN MUSASA.
- 3.B. ONE TEAM ESCORTED CONVOY OF TRUCKS WITH ORPHANS FROM MUBUGA SOUTH OF KIBUYE TO GISENYI. CONVOY ARRIVED AT 042230 DEC IN ORPHANAGE NYUNDO (GS 2511). 11 SICK CHILDREN (AGE BETWEEN 1,5 AND 5 YEARS) STILL REMAIN IN KIBUYE AS THEY ARE IN A CRITICAL MEDICAL CONDITION TO TRAVEL BY ROAD. AIR EVACUATION WILL BE ORGANIZED FOR TOMORROW.
- 3.C. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS AND LIAISED WITH TUNBATT HQ.
- 3.D. ONE TEAM CARRIED OUT JOINT INVESTIGATION WITH HR-TEAM IN MUTURA AREA (GS 3323) REFERENCE ALLEGED KILLING . SPECIAL REPORT ATTACHED.
- 3.E. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHengeri AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST AND NGO'S IN RUHengeri.
- 3.F. DCMO VISITED THIS HQ AND WAS BRIEFED FROM SEC COMD ABOUT ACTUAL SITUATION IN SEC-5.
4. NTR.
- 5.A. 598 RETURNEES ARE WAITING IN THE NOMEN'S LAND BETWEEN ZAIRE AND RWANDA AT GISENYI BORDERPOST. THE RWANDESE BORDER REMAINS CLOSED BUT NGO'S ARE TAKING CARE OF THEM. RETURNEES ARE COMING FROM CAMPS MUGUNGA, KATALE AND KAYINDO NORTH OF GOMA.
- 5.B. NO RETURNEES FROM UGANDA AT CYANIKA BECAUSE OF CLOSED BORDERPOST.
- 5.C. CURRENCY CHANGE EXERCISE CONTINUED THROUGHOUT SECTOR.

6. 4 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487 STILL AT UNAMIR
WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.

7. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 25

LEAVE/CTO: 7 LCOL MEYER
MAJ NDLOVU
CAPT KUSHAMBA
CAPT CHAENGANI
CAPT PORTELA
CAPT GALUFU
MAJ RS ADU

EXCUSE DUTY:1 CAPT MARAH

DEFFICIENCY: 10

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 031700 TO 041700 B JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM. AT 1600HR THIS HQ RECEIVED INFO ABOUT A KILLING IN MUTURA AREA A FEW HOURS EARLIER. MILOB TEAM DESPATCHED TO INVESTIGATE.
- 1.B. BORDER POSTS RWANDA/ZAIRE REMAINED CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC BECAUSE OF EXERCISE MENTIONED ABOVE.
2. BETWEEN 2245 AND 2315 RPA FIRED SEVERAL VOLLEYS OF ARTY INTO LAKE IN WESTERLY DIRECTION. ACTION PROBABLY AIMED AT WARDING OFF ANY BOATS HEADING TOWARDS GISENYI SHORES WITH HORDES OF OLD CURRENCY NOTES.
- 3.A. MILOB TEAMS CONTINUED TO MONITOR EXCHANGE EXERCISE AND ON STAND-BY FOR OTHER DUTIES.
- 3.B. ONE TEAM ESCORTED CONVOY OF TRUCKS WITH ORPHANS FROM MUBUGA SOUTH OF KIBUYE TO GISENYI. ARMED ESCORT WAS PROVIDED BY FRAFBATT TO GITARAMA AND BY TUNBATT FROM GITARAMA TO GISENYI. CONVOY EXPECTED TO REACH GISENYI 2200HRS DATE.
- 3.C. ONE TEAM ESCORTED B & R CONVOY FROM KIGALI TO RUHENGARI, BUSOGO AND GISENYI.
4. ABOUT 75 RETURNEES CONVERGED AT CARE, MUTURA NEAR TUNBATT HQ LOC, TO REQUEST TRANSPORTATION BACK TO GISENYI FOR RECEPTION PACKAGE USUALLY ISSUED TO RETURNEES. MENTIONED RETURNEES HAD ENTERED THE COUNTRY AT VARIOUS TIMES IN PRIVATE VEHICLES AND THEREFORE DID NOT GO THROUGH NORMAL ARRIVAL FORMALITIES. UNHCR WAS INFORMED TO PROVIDE NEC TRANSPORT. MEANWHILE ABOUT 75 MORE IN SIMILAR SITUATION EXPECTED TO SHOW UP SHORTLY.
- 5.A. CURRENCY CHANGE EXERCISE CONTINUED THROUGHOUT SECTOR.
- 5.B. 16 REFUGEES WERE ALLOWED TO CROSS OVER INTO RWANDA AT GISENYI GRANDE BARRIER. UNHCR ALSO REPORTED 94 RETURNEES TEMPORARILY HELD UP IN NO-MANSLAND BETWEEN GOMA AND GISENYI PREVIOUS DAY 03 JAN, WERE ALLOWED IN LATER SAME DAY. CYANIKA BORDER POST - NIL
- 5.C. AT 1600HRS UNHCR REPORTED THAT CARE STAFF ON BOARD BOAT ON LAKE KIVU FELL OVER AND NOW MISSING SOMEWHERE BETWEEN NORTHERN TIP OF ISLE IJWI AND ZAIRE . MSG PASSED ON TO FHQ FOR AIR SEARCH AND RESCUE.

TO : MILOB GP HQ (OPS)
INFO : HQ UNAMIR KIGALI (DCOS OPS)
TUNBATT
FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI
SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 021700 TO 031700 B JAN 95

- 1.A. CALM. CURRENCY CHANGE EXERCISE PROCEEDED THROUGHOUT SECTOR WITHOUT ANY PROBLEMS. MOST SHOPS AND BUSINESSES WERE CLOSED FOR THE DAY AS TRADERS REFUSED TO ACCEPT OLD NOTES. RPA REQUEST FOR JOINT PATROL ON LAKE BETWEEN GISENYI AND KIBUYE COULD NOT TAKE PLACE BECAUSE NO INSTR WERE RECEIVED FROM FHQ.
- 1.B. BORDER POSTS RWANDA/ZAIRE WERE CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC BECAUSE OF EXERCISE MENTIONED ABOVE. CLOSURE LIKELY TO CONTINUE THROUGHOUT 04 DEC 95.
2. NTR.
- 3.A. SIX MILOB TEAMS TOGETHER WITH CANADIAN DET FROM KIGALI ASSISTED PREFECTURES AND LOCAL RPA TO DISTR NEW CURRENCY NOTES TO COMMUNES. MILOBS CONTINUED TO MONITOR EXERCISE THROUGHOUT THE DAY.
- 3.B. ONE TEAM ESCORTED UNHCR/MIN OF REHAB OFFICIALS TO KIBUYE FOR ORPHANS EVACUATION EXERCISE. ORPHANS WILL BE BROUGHT TO ORPHANAGE NEAR GISENYI 04 JAN 95. EXERCISE BEING CO-ORD WITH MILOB SECTOR 4B.
4. NTR.
5. NO MOVEMENT ACROSS THE BORDER DURING PERIOD, THEREFORE REFUGEE RETURNS NIL.
6. 4 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487 STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.
- 7A. SECT COMD COMMENTS. THIS HQ IS CONCERNED OVER THE CONDUCT OF THE CURRENCY EXCHANGE EXERCISE. THE FIRST TIME WE BECAME AWARE OF THE SITUATION AT ALL WAS LATE ON 2 JAN 95 WHEN SEC COMD HAD VISIT FROM LOCAL RPA BN COMD REQ HELP WITH DIST OF CURRENCY. AT 2300 FIVE UNAMIR VEHS SHOWED UP IN GISENYI CARRYING \$5MILLION US EQUIVALENT IN RWANDAN FRANCS. CLARIFICATION WAS REQUESTED FROM KIGALI. NO ONE COULD GIVE US ANY INFORMATION. MORNING OF 3 JAN WAS VERY CONFUSED. WE ARRANGED FOR THE FIVE UNAMIR (CDN CON) VEHS TO BE USED IN GISENYI WHILE THIS HQ SENT 4 MILOB VEHS TO RUHENGARI. TUNBAT WAS ALSO UNAWARE OF EXERCISE BUT WAS ABLE TO DISPATCH 2 PATROL TEAMS WITH TWO VEHICLES EACH TO CONDUCT JOINT PATROLS WITH RPA. RPA BDE COMD WAS UNDER THE IMPRESSION THAT HELICOPTER WAS TO BE USED IN SUPPORT OF DISTRIBUTION TO MORE REMOTE COMMUNES. INFORMATION COULD NOT BE OBTAINED ON HELICOPTER SCHEDULE EVEN AFTER SEVERAL ATTEMPTS. THIS HQ FEELS STRONGLY THAT THE FIELD COMMANDERS SHOULD HAVE BEEN INCLUDED IN THE PLANNING. WE LOOKED DISORGANIZED AND UNPREPARED TO SUPPORT THE DISTRIBUTION OPS DUE TO NOT ONLY A LACK OF INFORMATION BUT NO INFORMATION AT ALL.

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FROM : SECTOR-5 MILOB HQ, GISENYI

SUBJECT : SITREP COVERING PERIOD 311700 B DEC 94 TO 011700 B JAN 95

1.A. CALM. NEW YEAR WAS USHERED IN WITH A WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES INCLUDING ENTERTAINMENT IN PUBLIC HOUSES. IN GISENYI, FOR ABOUT 30 MIN SLDERS IN NEAR-BY BARRACKS FIRED SEVERAL SMALL ARMS, HMGS AND SOME GRENADES. THIS CAUSED MUCH ALARM AMONG MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC EXCEPT THOSE IN THE DISCOS.

1.B. BORDERPOSTS RWANDA/ZAIRE REMAINED CLOSED TO UNAMIR PERSONNEL.

2. NTR.

3. PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT AS FOLLS:

3.A. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF GISENYI AND BORDERPOSTS.

3.B. ONE TEAM PATROLLED AREA OF RUHENGARI AND CYANIKA (GS 7152). MILOBS LIAISED WITH NGO'S IN RUHENGARI AND IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT BORDERPOST.

3.C. ONE TEAM WAS ON 24HR STAND-BY AT TUNBATT HQ FOR LIAISON DUTIES.

4. NTR.

5.A. NUMBER OF RETURNEES ENTERING RWANDA VIA BORDERPOSTS 1, 2 AND 3 WAS 18.

5.B. NUMBER OF RETURNEES ENTERING RWANDA AT CYANIKA BORDERPOST WAS 05.

6. 4 SECTOR VEHS UNAMIR 1002, 1032, 428, 487 STILL AT UNAMIR WORKSHOP KIGALI AWAITING SPARES/REPAIRS.

7. AUTHORIZED STRENGTH: 43

PRESENT: 21

LEAVE/CTO: 10 LCOL AUSTDAL
LCOL MEYER
MAJ MUNYANDUKI
MAJ SOUVOROV
CAPT KUSHAMBA
CAPT CHAENGANI
CAPT TURGEON
CAPT PORTELA
CAPT WEISSENBOCK
MAJ RS ADU

EXCUSE DUTY:1 CAPT MARAH

DEFFICIENCY: 10