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FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITREP COVERING PERIOD 270600Z MAR TO 280600Z MAR 94.

1. GEN SITUATION. THE SITUATION OBSERVED TO BE CALM SINCE THE LAST SET UP OF THE BBTG FAILED.

2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT NOT YET INSTALLED. NEGOTIATIONS ONGOING. THE SRSG MET WITH THE DEAN OF THE DIPLOMATIC CROPS, THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FACILITATOR AND AMBASSADOR OF THE OVERSEAS COUNTRIES TO THE ARUSHA PEACE PROCESS, TO EXAMINE THE REASONS WHICH ARE STILL PREVENTING THE INSTALLATION OF THE TRANSITIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

A. RGE. NTR.

B. RRY. NTR.

C. OTHERS. ON 272100 MAR 94, ONE GRENADE EXPLODED 300 METERS NORTH OF PREMATURE. PATROL WENT TO THE SPOT AND FOUND NOTHING. NO BODY WAS INJURED DUE TO THE EXPLOSION. CIVPOL IS INVESTIGATING THE MATTER.

4. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

A. FORCE EQ. NTR.

B. UNOMUR. UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS REPORTED TO BE CALM. THE CITIZENS OF KABALE STARTED CASTING THEIR VOTES FROM 0700 HRS. NO INCIDENTS TOOK PLACE. ON 280850 MAR 94 OUTGOING SENEGALESE CONTINGENT WAS SEEN OFF DURING AN OFFICIAL "MEDAL PARADE" WITH PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATE. SECTOR KABALE AND KISORO CARRIED OUT PTLs IN OWN AOR. NRA HAS WITHDRAWN THEIR TROOPS FROM FOLLOWING CAMPS.

(1) NKURUNGURU (SQ6751)

(2) CHAHAFY (SQ7351)

(3) LUGENDABARE (SQ7649)

THE REASONS FOR WITHDRAWING OF NRA TROOPS FROM THE CAMPS NOT KNOWN BUT THE REASON MAY BE FOR THE PROTECTIONS OF THE POLLING STATIONS. TOTAL 32 VEHICLES OF ICRC HAS CROSSED THE BORDER THROUGH KATUNA AND WENT TO RWANDA. THEY WERE CARRYING FOOD STUFFS AND MEDICINES. BORDER CROSSINGS AT GATUNA:

DATE	FROM UGANDA INTO RWANDA	FROM RWANDA INTO UGANDA
27 MAR	07 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER CARRYING 15 PASSENGERS (AGED BETWEEN 25 TO 40 YEARS). NOTHING SIGNIFICANT COULD BE FOUND OUT.	03 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER CARRYING 14 PASSENGERS (AGED BETWEEN 25 TO 40 YEARS). NOTHING SIGNIFICANT COULD BE FOUND OUT.

C. DMZ:

(1) GENERAL SITUATION OBSERVED TO BE CALM. COMD 194 BN OF RGF NEAR NYACATARE INFORMED TEAM P AT 261900 MAR 94 THAT BETWEEN 0100 HRS TO 0200 HRS SOME UNIDENTIFIED PERS IN CIVIL CLOTHES AND RPF UNIFORMS ATTACKED VILLAGES AT GR (B309473) AND GR (B310476). AFTER INVESTIGATIONS IT WAS REVEALED THAT THE ATTACKERS FIRED RANDOMLY AND ENTERED INTO THE HOUSES OF THE INHABITANTS DEMANDING MONEY. THOSE PEOPLES WERE LAST OBSERVED AT GR (B309473) AND WERE MOVING TO THE EAST OF THAT LOCATIONS. RGF EXCHANGED FIRE WITH THEM. THERE WAS NO CASUALTIES. RPF AT RUKOMO (B2546) DENY ABOUT THEIR INVOLVEMENT IN THIS ISSUE. INVESTIGATIONS ONGOING. ON 27 MAR 94 AT 2000 HRS ABOUT 130 ADULTS AND 152 CHILDREN WITH THEIR BELONGINGS ARRIVED AT BYUBAT PTL BASE AT KINIGI. THEY FLED FROM THEIR HOMES IN AND AROUND KABWENDEI GR (A5442) DUE TO ALLEGED HARASSMENT AND SEIZURE OF THEIR FOOD STUFFS BY RPF FROM THAT AREA. A LETTER HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE RPF TO CLARIFY THE SITUATION.

(2) TEAM A CARRIED OUT PTLs FROM NKUMBA TO KINIGI - GATETE AND GAZIZA. TEAM B CONDUCTED SHORT DISTANCE PTLs FROM NKUMBA TO RUHOMBO - KALIGGORERA AND MUSEKERA. TEAM D CARRIED OUT MEDIUM RANGE PTLs FROM BYUMBA TO BWISEGI (B1727) - NYARURAMA (B1822) - BUKAMBA (B1319) AND RUKOMO JUNC (B11200. TEAM P CARRIED OUT INVESTIGATIONS AS REPORTED IN PARA 1.

(3) BYUBAT A, B AND C COYS CONDUCTED MOBILE AND FOOT PTLs WITHIN THEIR AORs.

(4) FORCE ENGR COY PROVIDED SECURITY AT NGONDORÉ.

D. MILOP:

(1) RGF SECTOR. ROUTINE PATROLS CARRIED OUT. NO INCIDENT REPORTED.

(2) RPF SECTOR NTR.

(3) SOUTHERN SECTOR. ON 26 MAR 94 FROM 0900 HRS TO 1500 HRS THERE WAS A CONFERENCE HELD BETWEEN CDR, MRND AND MDR AT ITUSE HOTEL IN CYANGUGU. THE TOPIC OF THIS CONFERENCE WAS A COALITION BETWEEN THIS PARTIES. NO INCIDENTS REPORTED.

E. KIGALI SECTOR

(1) RUTBAT CARRIED OUT 4 FOOT PATROLS, 27 VEHICLES PATROLS AND 3 CHECKS POINTS DUTIES. EMPLOYED TWO APCs FOR THE SECURITY OF CND COMPLEX. 5 SECTIONS ESCORTED VIPs. 2 SECTIONS ESCORTED RPF PERSONNEL. KIBAT CARRIED OUT 3 FOOT PATROLS, 23 VEHICLES PATROLS AND 4 CHECK POINTS DUTIES. PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE KIGALI AIRPORT. ALSO PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE RESIDENCE OF MR. NGULINZIRA BONIFACE AND MR. NGANGO. BYUBAT GOLF PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE FORCE HQ AND KIGALI SECTOR HQ. ALSO PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE RESIDENCE OF SRSG, PM, PM DESIGNATE, MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, MINISTER OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT. TUNISIAN COY CARRIED OUT 2 FOOT PATROLS, 5 VEHICLES PATROLS AND PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE CND COMPLEX. SECTOR KIGALI PROVIDED 3 UNMO ESCORTS, 2 FOR PRF, 1 FOR GENDARMERIE. PROVIDED 7 ARMED ESCORTS, 1 FOR PRIME MINISTER, 1 FOR SRSG, 1 FOR PRIME MINISTER DESIGNATE, 1 FOR THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND 3 FOR RPF.

(2) ON 27 MAR 94 TOTAL 93 PERSONNEL ARRIVED AT KIGALI AIRPORT FROM BELGIUM AS A PART OF ROTATION OF KIBAT.

5. UNCIYPOL. GENERAL SITUATION OBSERVED TO BE CALM. ON 27 MAR 94 A LOCAL BOY WAS BEATEN BY UNKNOWN PERSONS NEAR THE CND. HE WAS SERIOUSLY INJURED AND BROUGHT TO THE KING FAISAL HOSPITAL FOR TREATMENT. CIVPOL AND PMT IS INVESTIGATING THE MATTER.

6. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES. NTR.

7. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

8. LOGISTICS. LOG COY PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE UNAMIR WORKSHOP AND UNAMIR SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATION WAREHOUSE. DRY, FRESH AND FROZEN FOOD WERE ISSUED TO THE VARIOUS COMPONENTS OF UNAMIR AS USUAL. 4 PERSONNEL ARE DEPLOYED AT BYUMBA TO SUPPLY FOODS TO THE UNITS LOCATED THERE.

9. MISC. NTR.