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 SUBJECT: RWANDA PEACEKEEPING: BRITISH TRUCKS BUT NO TROOPS

1. (U) THE FCO SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED ON JUNE 17 THAT HMG HAD INFORMED THE UN THAT BRITAIN WILL PROVIDE 50 4-TON, 4-WHEEL DRIVE TRUCKS FOR USE IN THE EXPANDED UN ASSISTANCE MISSION IN RWANDA. AN FCO OFFICIAL TOLD US THE TRUCKS, WHICH BELONG TO THE MINISTRY OF DEFENSE,

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 WILL BE READY TO LEAVE FOR RWANDA IN 4-8 WEEKS. THE UN WILL ARRANGE SHIPMENT. THE BRITISH DO NOT PLAN TO PROVIDE DRIVERS.

2. (C) AN AIDE TO FOREIGN SECRETARY HURD INFORMED US THAT THE LATTER HAD TOLD FRENCH FOREIGN SECRETARY JUPPE DURING A JUNE 16 PHONE CALL THAT HMG WOULD NOT PROVIDE TROOPS FOR A UN FORCE IN RWANDA. CROWE

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