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TO : FHQ

Date : 8 Apr 94

FROM : MILOB GP HQ

SUBJECT : SPECIAL SITREP FROM RPF SECTOR HQ MULINDI

PERIOD COVERED FROM 070500B TO 081000B APR 94.

1. Calm but brisk preparation for war by RPF.
2. NTR.
3. a. NTR.
b. RPF

(1) Reference SITREP of 071930B Apr 94, Gen Kagame returned today 8 Apr 94 at approximately 0100hrs and moved out again at 1035hrs.

(2) 1 x Repair/Recovery veh and one veh loaded with lorry tyres out and of MULINDI at approx 1030hrs.

(3) All Ch Pts in the Bn in the East have closed down except 2 at MUVUMBA project (GR B0844)

(4) RPF troops protecting residences of P505 and P506 reduced from 10 to 2 this morning.

(5) The Bn Comd of 101Bn info both teams that their security is no longer guaranteed.

(6) He advised them to move and join P502 at MUHAMBO.

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(7) Usual morning PT by RPF tps in the entire sector has been suspended since 7 Apr 94. No more foot movement observed instead frequent vehicular movement noticed.

(8) Troops were heard singing in various locs at night of 06/07 Apr 94 news of air crash.

(9) Troops seemed contented about general sit and ready to fight. Morale, High. However, troops disgusted about news of assassination of leading progressive politicians especially the PM.

(10) Gen Kagame is said to be deeply touched this morning by news he received from own sources about massacre of Rwandese in Kigali.

(11) CO of 7 Bn last night had requested P502 for a lift to Mulindi to attend to the General's call. Request was due to fuel shortage at the Bn. Req later cancelled as call was cancelled.

(12) No MILOB team in the West to monitor and report.

4. OWN ACTIVITIES

a. This HQ and teams have remained in own locs. Team leaders of P502 and P505 arrived this HQ at 08100B Apr 94 for a meeting with Sect Comd.

b. Sector Comd reminded RPF HQ that they are responsible for security of MILOBs. Ref para 3 of sub para 4, RPA HQ has replied that they will take appropriate action.

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c. Sector Comd arranging to meet Gen Kagame soon. meeting will enable this HQ to evaluate RPA intention and probable action.

5. OUR ASSESSMENT

a. The movement of logistics is probably to support task force earmarked for Kigali. We do not know where this TF is assembling but movement of that force is imminent depending on future developments in Kigali.

b. Llkely time of arrival Kigali is between last light and first light.



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