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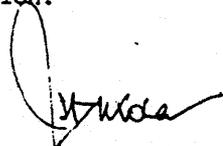
FROM: CMO

DATE: 17 JUN 94.

SUBJ: INVESTIGATION REPORT OF THE NYAMIRAMBO KILLINGS

1. Attached please find subject above.
2. For your info and nec action.

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UNAMIR - MINUAR

KIGALI MILOB SECTOR HEADQUARTERS

From: Kigali Milob Sector  
To: Milob Gp HQ

16 Jun 94

INCREP NO 6 - INVESTIGATION REPORT ON NYAMIRAMBO KILLINGS

Ref:

A: Your ltr no MILOB/A /6431.0 dt 12 Jun 94.

1. In compliance to your directive vide ref A, Team Ldr of Team 12 of this Sector was detailed to carryout investigation into the alleged killings in NYAMIRAMBO area. The Team interviewed one Father OTTO MAYER of Nyamirambo Catholic Church. According to the Father on 16 June 94 at about 1530 hrs a group of Militias went to the Church with two big trucks. At that time about 260 displaced persons were taking refuge in the premises of the Church. Among them 90% were of TUTSI origin. Father Mayer sensing danger, went to the RGF personnel who were located nearby for help but they declined to help. Then he went to some Gendarmerie for help. The Gendarmerie despatched a Capt with 7 persons.

2. The Militias were trying to segregate some people when the Gendarmerie arrived. The Capt had some arguments with the Militias but in the end they forced to leave. It is alleged that the RGF personnel gave their tacit approval to the Militias that is why they did not want to confront them. *Who left, the Gendarmerie?*

3. Subsequently the Militias were able to take away 170 persons. It was reported by Father Mayer that they were taken to a place where a big hole was dug and they were killed and buried in the hole. This was also reported to the Team by JELARDEN - a woman whose husband is now in Burundi ( please ref to our INCREP NO 5 ). Three of her children were killed in the early days of the war.

4. JELARDEN also reported that on 14 Jun 94 at about 1430 hrs another 87 persons were killed and buried in holes in NYAMIRAMBO area. Some of those were not yet dead when they were buried and she could hear their cries for help. She informed that NYAMIRAMBO area is now fully under the control of the Militias and they do not listen to anyone and that they do not listen to anyone.

5. She also reported that even now every day about 2 or 3 families are being killed in NYAMIRAMBO area.

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6. JELARDEN's brother called MENOURE, who had escaped to Hotel Mille Collines earlier, gave a sketch of the area of NYAMIRAMBO where the holes were dug about one and half months earlier. And now the people were being killed and buried in those holes. The sketch in original is att to this report please.

7. MENOURE and JELARDIN gave a list of Militias, which is given below, who they said were involved in the killings. The \* marked ones are said to be the most dangerous.

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- a. EURESTE. \*
  - b. ZUZU. \*
  - c. NYIRAMANA. \* - he visited Hotel Mille Collines.
  - d. ANGGLMG.
  - e. KIGINGI. \*
  - f. NYAHINJA. \*
  - g. SIMBA. \*
  - h. FIDELE.\*
  - j. YUSSUF.
  - k. EMMANUEH.
  - l. MACUHO. \*
  - m. ZUBERI.\*
  - n. MUGABO.
  - p. MASTIRO.
  - q. MAVENGE.
  - r. KAYANGE.\*
  - s. MUGESERA.
  - t. KARIM.
  - u. MUNYANTORE.\*
  - v. KARANGWA. \*
  - w. CYOTSI.
  - x. CEKERI.\*
  - y. MAMABIZI.\*
  - z. JOSEPH.
  - aa. NDAYITABI.\*
  - bb. KITONZI.\*
  - cc. RAMAZANI.
  - dd. KAREKEZI.\*
  - ee. THOMAS.\*
  - ff. KIDONDI.
  - gg. NDANDA.\*
  - hh. RIBERT.

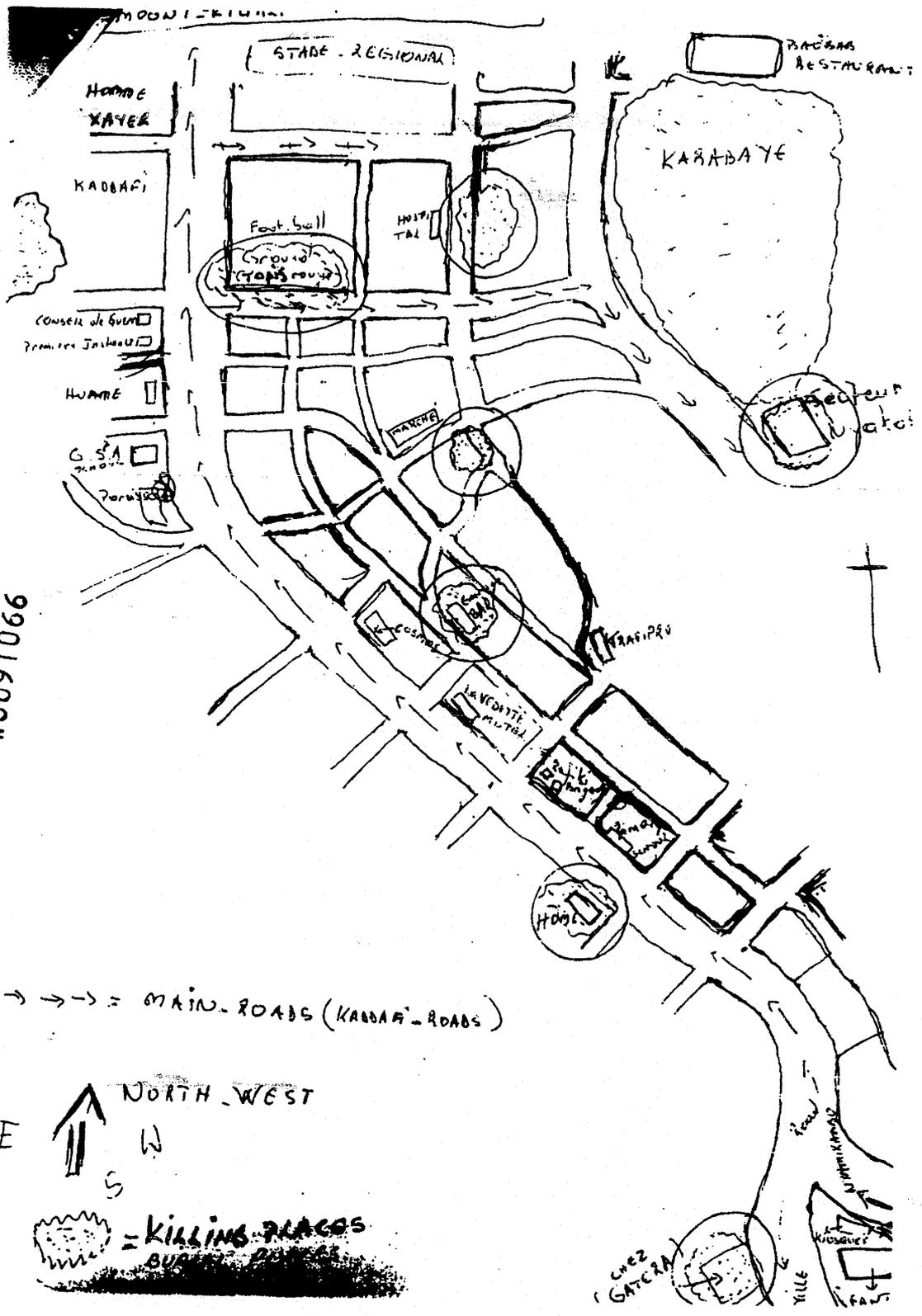
8. It was learnt that the Militias have got news that there is going to be a ceasefire soon, as such they want to kill as many TUTSIs as they can before the ceasefire.

9. Recommendation. It is recommended that to avoid any further massacres in the area, UNAMIR should send a force in the area. It is also recommended that some force be stationed in Hotel Mille Collines also.

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