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1. PLEASE FIND ATTACHED THE DAILY SITREP MENTIONED ABOVE.
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FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITREP COVERING PERIOD 050600Z APR TO 060600Z APR 94.

1. GEN SITUATION. THE GENERAL SITUATION IS OBSERVED TO BE CALM.
2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT NOT YET INSTALLED. NEGOTIATIONS ONGOING. PRIME MINISTER INFORMED FC THAT POLITICAL MILITIA INTERAHAMWE IS PLANNING TO ATTACK OF TUTSI POLITICAL OPPONENTS IN KIGALI.
3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES
 - A. RGF. NTR.
 - B. RPF. ON 05 APR 94, FROM 0600 HRS TO 0700 HRS, TOTAL TWO PLATOONS OF RPF PERSONNEL CARRIED OUT PHYSICAL TRAINING AT CND COMPLEX.
 - C. OTHERS:
 - (1) ON 051630 APR 94 MAJ KOZLOV SERGUEI, UN ID NO N705, MILOB, WAS ADMITTED IN UNAMIR HOSPITAL WITH SEVERE PHELSIPHERUM: MALARIA AND HEPATITIS. HE WAS EVACUATED TO NAIROBI HOSPITAL ON 052315 APR 94 BY BELGIAN C-130 AIRCRAFT. THE PATIENT ARRIVED WELL AT NAIROBI HOSPITAL AND IS IMPROVING.
4. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES:
 - A. FORCE HQ. ON THE WEEKLY FORCE COMMANDER'S CONFERENCE HELD ON 050900 APR 94 FC ESTABLISHED 06 JUN 94 AS A DEADLINE FOR THE MILITARY DIVISION TO BE AT STEADY STATE I.E. VEHICLES, COMMUNICATIONS, FURNITURE, COMPUTERS, SUPPLIES, CONTRACTS AND PROCEDURES. THE AIM IS TO BE FULLY OPERATIONAL FOR THE DISENGAGEMENT, DEMOBILIZATION AND INTEGRATION OF THE FORCES.
 - B. UNOMUR. UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS CALM. ROUTINE PTLS WERE CARRIED OUT. SECTOR KABALE AND KIBORO CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PTLS IN OWN AOR. THE TRUCK (UPL-536) LOADED WITH BEANS WHICH CROSSED THE BORDER DURING THE NIGHT 4/5 APR, CROSSED THE BORDER AGAIN ON 051430 APR 94 DIRECTION RWANDA WITH 10 TON OF BEANS PROBABLY FOR RPF. IT SEEMS THAT RPF IS USING THE TRUCK FOR THEIR FOOD SUPPLY. TOTAL 11 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER THROUGH GATUNA WITH 67 PASSENGERS ON 05 APR 94. FOLLOWING ARE THE DETAILS:

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	FROM UGANDA INTO RWANDA	FROM RWANDA INTO UGANDA
05 APR	05 VEHICLES (02 JREP/PICK UP, 03 TRUCK) CROSSED THE BORDER WITH 11 PASSENGERS. NOTHING SIGNIFICANT COULD BE FOUND.	06 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER WITH 56 PASSENGERS. NOTHING SIGNIFICANT COULD BE FOUND.

C. DMK. OPERATIONAL SITUATION IN DMZ REPORTED TO BE CALM. TEAM F REPORTED THAT ON 05 APR 94 FROM 10.00 HRS TO 10.10 HRS THERE WAS SPORADIC EXCHANGE OF SMALL ARMS FIRE BETWEEN RGF POSITION AT GR B258474 AND RPF POSITION AT GR B248471. BOTH SIDES BLAMED EACH OTHER FOR STARTING THE FIRING. NO CASUALTY WAS REPORTED AND NO REASON WAS GIVEN FOR THE INCIDENT. IN ANOTHER INCIDENT REPORTED BY THE SAME TEAM, A LOCAL CIVILIAN, Mr. LAURENT KABUNGA, WAS ABDUCTED FROM HIS RESIDENCE AT MUVUMBA ON THE EVENING OF 04 APR 94. RESIDENT OF THAT AREA ALLEGED THAT RPF WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS ABDUCTION. THE MONITORING TEAM IN THAT AREA COULD NOT SECURE HIS RELEASE. HOWEVER, THE TEAM DELIVERED A WRITTEN NOTE TO THE RPF CHECK POINT AT GR B248471 SEEKING THE CO-OPERATION OF RPF IN TRACING THE WHEREABOUTS OF THE VICTIM. TEAMS A, B, C, D AND F CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PTLS IN OWN AOR.

D. MILCOB: CARRIED OUT ESCORT FOR JOINT UNDP, RPF AND RGF DELEGATION TO BUTARE AND AKAGERA NATIONAL PARK.

(1) RPF SECTOR. TEAMS CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PTL. TEAMS CONFIRMED THAT THE PRESENT NUMBER OF REFUGEES IN THAT LOCATION ARE APPROX 4,000. THE REFUGEE IN THE AREA ARE SUFFERING FROM SHORTAGE OF FOOD. SECTOR IS EXPERIENCING SEVERE DIFFICULTIES IN EXECUTING PATROL DUTIES WITH NISSAN PICK UPS IN THEIR AOR IN THIS RAINY SEASON. PICKUPS ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR PATROLLING IN THE RAINY SEASON IN THE RPF SECTOR.

(2) RGF SECTOR. CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PATROLS IN RUHENGARI AND KIBUNGO. FOOT PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT IN GISENYI DUE TO SHORTAGE OF FUEL IN THAT AREA.

(3) SOUTHERN SECTOR. RGF CONTINUES TO ASSIST GENDARMERIE IN ROUTINE ID CHECKS IN TOWNS AND VILLAGES. DUE TO SHORTAGE OF FUEL IN PETROWANDA FILLING STATIONS, ONLY FOOT PATROLS WERE CARRIED OUT.

E. KIGALI SECTOR

(1) KIBAT CARRIED OUT 06 FOOT PTLS, 25 VEHICLE PTLS AND 3 CHECK POINT DUTIES. PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE KIGALI AIRPORT, RESIDENCE OF MR. NGULINZIRA BONIFACE AND MR. NGANGO. THEY ALSO PROVIDED 3 ARMED ESCORTS, 1 FOR PRIME MINISTER AND TWO FOR RPF PERSONNEL. EMPLOYED 01 SECTION FOR THE SECURITY OF NGO'S AT RUTONGO IN

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CONNECTION WITH THE DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD TO THE REFUGEES.

(2) RUTBAT CARRIED OUT 4 FOOT PTLs, 30 VEHICLE PTLs AND 2 CHECK POINT DUTIES. PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE RESIDENCE OF THE PRIME MINISTER DESIGNATE. EMPLOYED TWO APCs FOR THE SECURITY OF THE CND COMPLEX. THEY ALSO PROVIDED 5 ARMED ESCORTS, 1 FOR PM DESIGNATE, 1 FOR MR. NGANGO, 1 FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT, 1 FOR THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND 1 FOR RPF PERSONNEL. 5 SECTIONS OF MECH COY CARRIED OUT HELICOPTER TRG.

(3) BYUBAT GOLF CARRIED OUT PTLs AROUND THE RESIDENCE OF THE FC. PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE FHQ, KIGALI SECTOR HQ, RESIDENCE OF SRSG, PRIME MINISTER, MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, MINISTER OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT.

(4) TUNISIAN COY PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE CND COMPLEX. THEY ALSO CARRIED OUT 2 FOOT PTLs AND 5 VEHICLE PTLs.

(5) KIGALI SECTOR MILOB MONITOR TEAMS MONITORED 11 RGF CAMPS, 7 GENDARMERIE CAMPS AND THE RPF BN AT CND COMPLEX. KIGALI SECTOR MILOB ESCORT TEAMS PROVIDED 6 ESCORTS, 3 FOR RGF, 3 FOR RPF.

5. INCIVPOL. A FEW GRENADE EXPLOSIONS TOOK PLACE IN KIGALI CITY. ON 052030 APR 94 TWO GRENADES EXPLODED IN THE AREA OF NYAKABANDA AND KICUKIRO RESPECTIVELY. THE GRENADES WERE THROWN BY UNKNOWN PERSONS. 07 PERSONS WERE INJURED, 05 OF THEM HAD MAJOR INJURIES AND WERE EVACUATED TO KIGALI HOSPITAL. POLICE MONITORING TEAM (PMT) KICUKIRO WILL INVESTIGATE THE INCIDENT. ON 05 APR 94 TWO PERSONS TRIED TO THROW A GRENADE BUT GENDARMERIE INTERVENED AND SHOT AT THEM. ONE DIED ON THE SPOT AND THE SECOND PERSON WAS ARRESTED. PMT KACYIRU WILL MONITOR. CIVPOL GOT INFORMATION THAT ON 02 APR 94 FOUR PEOPLE WERE KILLED BY BANDITS IN BUTAMWA (SECTOR BUREMA). PMT IS INVESTIGATING. ONE RGF MILITARY PERSON WAS KILLED AND ONE WOMAN WAS HEART BY THE PEOPLE IN NYAKABANDA BECAUSE THEY WERE SUSPECTED OF THROWING GRENADES. ON 042040 APR 94 CIVPOL RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT 2 UNIDENTIFIED PERSONS WERE KILLED IN THE AREA OF GITEGA. LOCAL GENDARMERIE IS INVESTIGATING.

6. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES. NTR.

7. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

8. LOGISTICS. DISTRIBUTION OF VEHICLES AND RADIOS IS NOT YET COMPLETED. ABOUT 130 UN VEHICLES ARE WAITING FOR MEDIUM TO MAJOR REPAIRS. COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT (HANDY TALKIES) AND OFFICE ASSETS ARE STILL GROSSLY INADEQUATE. ENGR AND LOG COYS VEHICLE AND MAJOR PLANT ARE STILL MISSING AS WE ARE WAITING FOR IMPLEMENTATION.

9. MISC. NTR.

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