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

EXTREP COVERING PERIOD 280600Z MAR TO 290600Z MAR 94.

1. GEN. SITUATION. CALM. ACCORDING TO THE PRIME MINISTER'S ANNOUNCEMENTS OF FRIDAY 25 MAR 94 AFTER THE FAILED ATTEMPT OF INSTALLATION OF BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT THAT DAY, UNAMIR TOOK NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE BBTG ON MONDAY 28 MAR 94. THE POLITICAL IMPASSE NOT BEING SOLVED THIS ATTEMPT WAS OBSERVED NOT TO BE REALISTIC AND ALREADY AT 09.00 HRS THE SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS WERE CALLED OFF.

2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT NOT YET INSTALLED. NEGOTIATIONS ONGOING. ON 280900 MAR 94 SRSG HAD A MEETING WITH THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FACILITATOR, AMBASSADOR OF TANZANIA; THE AMBASSADORS OF FRANCE, BELGIUM, GERMANY, UNITED STATES, ZAIRE AND UGANDA; CHARGE DE AFFAIRS OF BURUNDI; AND THE PAPAL NUNCIO, DEAN OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS AT THE RESIDENCE OF THE AMBASSADOR OF FRANCE. HE AGAIN HAD A MEETING WITH MR. ANASTASE NDEREBEZA, CHIEF OF THE MULTILATERAL COOPERATION DIVISION, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AT 1630 HOURS AT SRSG'S RESIDENCE.

3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES:

A. RGE. NTR.

B. RPE. NTR.

C. OTHERS

(1) ON 282320 MAR 94 A GRENADE EXPLODED BETWEEN CND COMPLEX AND FORCE HQ. NO CASUALTIES REPORTED AND GENDARMERIE IS INVESTIGATING.

(2) ON 281120 TWO PERSONS WERE BEATEN BY UNIDENTIFIED INDIVIDUALS AT ROUND ABOUT MERIDIEN. THEY REPORTED TO THE KIGALI HOSPITAL FOR TREATMENT. GENDARMERIE IS INVESTIGATING.

(3) DURING THE NIGHT 28/29 MAR 94 AT KIMIHURURA ONE LOCAL CIVILIAN WAS KILLED BY SECURITY GUARD FOR FAILURE TO SHOW HIS IDENTITY CARD. GENDARMERIE AND CIVPOL ARE INVESTIGATING.

4. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

A. FORCE HQ. FC'S WEEKLY CONFERENCE WAS HELD AT 09.00 HRS. A DETAILED REVIEW WAS PRESENTED ON THE SECURITY SITUATION FOLLOWING THE FAILED INSTALLATION OF BBTG. ONE BELL 212 HELICOPTER ARRIVED IN THE MISSION AREA ON 27 MAR 94. THE PILOT AND TECHNICIAN WERE BRIEFED ON UNAMIR. THEY STARTED RECCE FLIGHTS. ALSO A/FC WENT ON MAIDEN RECCE WITH THE HELI.

B. UNOMUR. UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS REPORTED TO BE CALM. CHIEF LO OF THE NATIONAL RESISTANCE ARMY (NRA) TO UNOMUR STATED THAT UGANDA DOES NOT HAVE ANY OBJECTION

AGAINST THE CROSS BORDER FLIGHTS BY UNAMIR HELICOPTERS FROM UGANDA INTO RWANDA. HOWEVER, FLIGHTS SHOULD BE CLEARED BY RWANDESE GOVERNMENT AND RPF AND ALSO TO BE ANNOUNCED TO NRA ONE DAY IN ADVANCE. THIS WILL BE CONFIRMED IN WRITING BY THE CHIEF LO TO UNOMUR HQ. THE VOTING OF LOCALS CONTINUED TILL 28 MAR 94. THE VACATED NRA CAMPS WERE REOCCUPIED IN THE AFTERNOON ON THE SAME DAY. SECTOR KABALE AND KISORO CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PTLs IN AOR. SIX SPECIAL PTLs ARE BEING CONDUCTED ALONG THE BORDER SINCE 280230 MAR 94. BORDER CROSSINGS AT GATUNA:

DATE	FROM UGANDA INTO RWANDA	FROM RWANDA INTO UGANDA
28 MAR	02 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER CARRYING 02 PASSENGERS (AGED BETWEEN 25 TO 35 YEARS). 06 PEOPLE CROSSED THE BORDER ON FOOT. NOTHING SIGNIFICANT COULD BE FOUND OUT.	04 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER CARRYING 10 PASSENGERS (AGED BETWEEN 25 TO 35 YEARS). NOTHING SIGNIFICANT COULD BE FOUND OUT.

C. DMZ:

(1) TEAM B CARRIED OUT LONG DISTANCE PTLs IN AOR. TEAM ALSO COMMENCED INVESTIGATION INTO A REPORTED FARM LAND LITIGATION CASE BETWEEN A FAMILY AT KAMUBUGE (A7524). TEAM C CARRIED OUT LONG DISTANCE PTLs FROM TUMBA-KINIHIRA-NYAKENKE. TEAM D CARRIED OUT LONG DISTANCE PTLs IN AOR. TEAM LOCATED RPF CHECK POINT AT KANWOGA (B1237), GRID B111370 AND Y-JUNCTION (0834). TEAM E CONDUCTED PTLs IN AREA NGARAMA AND MOVED FIRST CONSIGNMENT OF PERSONAL BELONGING TO ACCOMMODATION AT NYAGIHANGA PENDING FULL DEPLOYMENT ON SUNDAY 03 APR 94. TEAM F CONDUCTED PTLs IN AREAS NYAGATARE, MIHENGO (B3247), MUVUMBA, RUKOMO (B2951) AND GRID B309473.

(2) BYUBAT A, B AND C COYS CONDUCTED MOBILE AND FOOT PTLs WITHIN THEIR AORs AND CONTINUED TO MAN PERMANENT CHECK POINTS AT GRIDS A9312 AND A8435. B COY PTLs CONFIRMED THE WITHDRAWAL OF RPF TROOPS FROM RUSHAKI (B1138) OUTSIDE DMZ. B COY PTLs ALSO INTERACTED CORDIALLY WITH THE LOCALS AND CATHOLIC PRIEST AT NYAGIHANGA (B2029).

(3) FORCE ENGR COY PROVIDED SECURITY AT NGONDORE. THEY ALSO CONTINUED REPAIR WORKS AND CONSTRUCTION OF DEFENSIVE POSITION AT NGONDORE.

D. MILOR . MILOB GP HQ COORDINATED DEPLOYMENT OF UNMOS FOR PROVISION OF SECURITY FOR THE INSTALLATION OF BBTG WHICH DID NOT MATERIALIZED.

(1) AGE SECTOR: CONDUCTED ROUTINE PTL WITHIN AOR.

(2) RPF SECTOR: TEAM F REPORTED TO HAVE RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM 194 RGF BATTALION THAT IN THE NIGHT OF 25/26 MAR SOME ARMED MEN IN RPF UNIFORM AND CIVILIAN CLOTHES HAVE ATTACKED VILLAGES AT GRID B3047 AND B3147. PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION CARRIED OUT BY TEAM F ON 27 MAR 94 REVEALED THAT THE VILLAGERS IN THESE TWO PLACES CLAIMED THE ASSAILANTS WERE FIRING RANDOMLY AND DEMANDED MONEY FROM THEM. TEAM 502 HAS BEEN TASKED TO CARRY OUT FURTHER INVESTIGATIONS. RPF AND DMZ SECTOR HQS ARE COORDINATING.

(3) SOUTHERN SECTOR. THE FAILURE IN THE INSTALLATION OF THE BBTG IS SAID TO HAVE CREATED FEAR AMONG THE PEOPLE AT BUTARE AND THEY SUSPECT THAT HOSTILITIES COULD BREAK OUT AGAIN. THE OUTCOME OF THE COALITION MEETING BETWEEN MRND, MDR AND CDR (REF OUR SITREP OF 27/28 MAR 94) WAS NOT MADE PUBLIC. TEAM 702 IS HOWEVER INVESTIGATING. MORE REFUGEES FROM BURUNDI ARE ARRIVING AT THE REFUGEE CAMPS IN THE SOUTH OF THE COUNTRY. UNHCR AND NGOS ARE PROVIDING ASSISTANCE.

**F. KIGALI SECTOR**

(1) RUTBAT CARRIED OUT 4 FOOT PATROLS, 24 VEHICLES PATROLS AND 3 CHECKS POINTS DUTIES. EMPLOYED TWO APCs FOR THE SECURITY OF CND COMPLEX. TWO SECTIONS DEPLOYED AT CND COMPLEX; ONE PLATOON DEPLOYED AT GADDAFI CROSS ROAD AND ONE PLATOON DEPLOYED AT CHEZ LANDO CROSS ROAD FOR PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE PROPOSED INSTALLATION OF BBTG ON 28 MAR 94. THEY ALSO PROVIDED 06 ARMED ESCORTS, ONE FOR SRSG, ONE FOR PM DESIGNATE, ONE FOR MR. NGANGO, ONE FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT, ONE FOR THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND ONE FOR RPF PERSONNEL.

(2) KIBAT CARRIED OUT 07 FOOT PTLs, 24 VEHICLE PTLs AND 03 CHECK POINT DUTIES. THEY ALSO PROVIDED SECURITY TO KIGALI AIRPORT, RESIDENCE OF MR. NGULINZIRA BONIFACE AND MR. NGANGO. THEY PROVIDED 04 ARMED ESCORTS, ONE FOR THE PRIME MINISTER, ONE FOR MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND 2 FOR RPF PERSONNEL. THEY ALSO EMPLOYED TWO APCs FOR THE SECURITY OF CND COMPLEX. ON 27 MAR 94 TOTAL 93 PERSONNEL ARRIVED AT KIGALI AIRPORT FROM BELGIUM AS A PART OF ROTATION OF KIBAT.

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

(4) TUNISIAN COY CARRIED OUT TWO FOOT PTLs AND FIVE VEHICLE PTLs. THEY ALSO SECURED THE CND COMPLEX.

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(5) KIGALI SECTOR MILOBS MONITORED 11 RGF CAMPS, 07 GENDARMERIE CAMPS AND ALSO THE RPF BN AT CND COMPLEX. NOTHING SIGNIFICANT TO REPORT. KIGALI SECTOR PROVIDED 06 ESCORTS, ONE FOR UNAMIR, ONE FOR RGF, TWO FOR RPF AND TWO FOR GENDARMERIE PERSONNEL.

5. UNCIYPOL. GENERAL SITUATION OBSERVED TO BE CALM. BUT TENSION IS SAID TO BE INCREASING DUE TO THE FAILURE OF THE INSTALLATION OF BBTG. ON 280940 MAR 94 ONE CIVILIAN TRIED TO ENTER CND COMPLEX WITHOUT PERMISSION AND HE WAS ARRESTED BY GENDARMERIE. ON 28 MAR 94 CIVPOL HAD A MEETING WITH GENDARMERIE AT CIVPOL HQ TO DISCUSS THE COOPERATION BETWEEN BOTH SIDES ESPECIALLY DURING INVESTIGATIONS. CHIEF OF STAFF OF GENDARMERIE PROMISED TO IMPROVE THE COOPERATION, BUT THIS IS DOUBTFUL AS THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, ARMY AND MINISTRY OF JUSTICE INTERVENE DURING INVESTIGATIONS.

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.

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## ANNEX 'A'

### WEEKLY MILITARY COMPONENT PERSONNEL STATE

DATE: 29 MAR 94

TIME: 0800 HRS

SL NO	COUNTRY	INF BN	LOG COY	ENGR COY	MED COY	MOVCON PL	TROOPS				SUB TOTAL	STAFF	TOTAL	MIL OBS	GRAND TOTAL
							MP SEC	DMZ COY (C)							
1	AUSTRIA														
2	BANGLADESH	370	200			19	11			853	29	882	15	941	15
3	BELGIUM	412								412	16	428	59	428	59
4	BOSTWANA												9		9
5	BRAZIL	3								3		3	10	13	10
6	CANADA										1	1	1	2	1
7	CONGO												26	26	26
8	EGYPT												10	10	10
9	FJI												1	1	1
10	GHANA	-798								798	19	817	24	841	24
11	HUNGARY												4	4	4
12	MALAWI												5	5	5
13	MALI												10	10	10
14	NETHERLAND												9	9	9
15	NIGERIA												15	15	15
16	POLAND												5	5	5
17	ROMANIA	5								5		5	15	15	15
18	RUSSIA												49	49	49
19	SENEGAL												5	5	5
20	SLOVAKIA												15	15	15
21	TOGO												61	61	61
22	TUNISIA												25	25	25
23	URUGUAY												29	29	29
24	ZIMBABWE														
GRAND TOTAL		1588	200	203	50	19	11	60	2131	66	2197	341	2538		2538