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1. PLEASE FIND ATTACHED THE DAILY SITREP MENTIONED ABOVE.

2. REGARDS.
FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITREP COVERING PERIOD 210991 FEB TO 270991 FEB.

1. GEN SITUATION: NO INCIDENTS HAPPENED AT KIGALI CITY. HOWEVER THE SITUATION IS TENSE. RGF LIAISON OFFICE REPORTED A FIRE FIGHT BETWEEN RGF AND RPF THAT TOOK PLACE ON 26 FEB 94 AT MUTARA (00332). REPORTED CASUALTIES: ONE RPF SOLDIER KILLED; FOUR RGF SOLDIERS INJURED AND ONE RGF SOLDIER MISSING. MILOB WAS TASKED TO INVESTIGATE.

2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES: BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT NOT YET INSTALLED. NEGOTIATIONS ONGOING.

3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES.
   (A) RGF: NTR.
   (B) RPF: DIAZ TEAM WAS TASKED TO INVESTIGATE ALLEGED RPF DISTRIBUTION OF WEAPONS TO LOCALS AT TUMBA. INVESTIGATIONS CONDUCTED SO FAR APPEARS TO BE FALSE.
   (C) OTHERS: NTR.

4. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES.
   A. HQS: FC WENT TO KABALE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE NEW DCMO. COL ASRARU HUQUE FROM BANGLADESH, STAFF MEETING WAS HELD AT 20.00 HRS IN ORDER TO APPRAISE POSSIBLE MISSIONS FOR SYLUBAT AT KIGALI CITY, AS THE CAPITAL BECAME THE MOST INSECURE LOCATION OF THE COUNTRY.
   B. UNAMIR: THE SITUATION REPORTED TO BE CALM IN UNAMIR AREA. FC MET ALL CIVIL AND MILITARY PERSONNEL AT KABALE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE NEW DCMO. LOCAL AUTHORITY ALSO ATTENDED. BORDER CROSSINGS AT GATUNA:

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<td>85 MEN BETWEEN 18 AND 26 YEARS OLD CROSSED IN A GREEN TRUCK (UWO - 477). (*)</td>
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(*) THEY WERE DRESSED IN CIVIL CLOTHING AND SAID TO BE REFUGEES COMING FROM A RANCH AT KIISORO ROAD, NEAR KABALE. THEIR DESTINATION WAS LOCATED JUST BEYOND THE BORDER.

C. DIAZ SECTOR: THE SITUATION IN THE DIAZ AREA REPORTED TO BE CALM. SEC MILOB TEAM CARRIED OUT PTL AT NKUMBA, NTARUKA, GABUKA, KALINGOLERA, RUHENSERI, NYABIREHE, GAKARA, RAMBURA AND SHYRA. SYLUBAT CONDUCTED REDDIE AND FOOT PTL. REPORTED RPF ACTIVITY IN GENERAL AREA. ALSO DISCOVERED EIGHT RIFLE GRENADES, ONE APERS MINE AND AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF SMALL ARMS AMMO.

D. KIGALI SECTOR: THE PEOPLE THAT TOOK SHELTER IN THE CENTER CHRISTUS CHURCH AT REMERA (KIGALI) ON NIGHT 25/26 FEB 94 (AS PER DAILY SITREP 26/27 FEB) ALSO TOOK SHELTER THIS NIGHT (26/27 FEB) IN THE SAME PLACE. SEC KIGALI
CONDUCTED VEHICLE AND FOOT PTL IN KIGALI CITY IN ORDER TO ENSURE KIGALI WEAPON SECURE AREA. ESTABLISHED 2 CHECK-POINT DUTIES AT DIFFERENT PLACES IN KIGALI. PROVIDED 3 UNMO ESCORTS FOR RPF, 2 FOR GENDARMERIE AND 1 FOR RGF. PROVIDED 1 ARMED ESCORT FOR THE PRIME MINISTER 1 FOR THE SRSO AND 2 FOR RPF. SECURED THE LOCATION OF THE RPF BATTALION IN KIGALI CITY, THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE, FORCE HQ, SEC HQ AND KIGALI AIRPORT. FORCE HQ SECURITY WAS REINFORCED WITH ONE PLATOON DURING THE POLITICAL DIVISIONS MEETING. DURING THE NIGHT ASSURED PROTECTION OF THE PRIME MINISTER, THE PRIME MINISTER DESIGNATE, THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT, FIVE OPPOSITION MINISTERS AND 3RSO.

E. MILITARY OF HQ. CONDUCTED ESCORT FOR UNAMIR PERSONNEL FROM KIGALI TO CYANGUGI AND FOR UNHCR FROM KIGALI TO KARAMA.

1. RGF SECTOR THE SITUATION AT BISENYI IS CALM. A GROUP OF YOUNGSTERS WAS STROLLING THROUGH THE TOWN DURING THE CURFEW. CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PTL WITHIN CAR. NO INCIDENTS REPORTED.

2. RPF SECTOR TEAM LAIRED WITH RPF BATTALION COMMANDER. CONDUCTED ROUTINE PTL WITHIN CAR. NO INCIDENTS REPORTED.

3. SOUTH SECTOR THE SITUATION AT BUTARE RETURNED TO NORMAL. TEAM CONDUCTED PTL AT CYANGUGI AND CONFIRMED THAT SIXTEEN HOUSES HAVE BEEN BURNED OUT ON 23 FEB 94 (REPORTED AS PER DAILY SITREP 25/26 FEB 94).

8. UNCTPOL/CIVPOL RECEIVES MORE AND MORE INCIDENTS REFERRING TO ETHNICALLY CONFLICTS. ON 23 FEB 94 AN ARMED MAN HAS BEEN LYNCHED BY THE POPULATION AT NYAMIRAMBO. HE CARRIED TWO GUN. GENDARMERIE FOUND A LETTER OF PERMISSION TO LEAVE THE COMPANY HQ OF RULINDO AND IT IS ASSUMED THAT THE NON IDENTIFIED MAN WAS A RCP MEMBER. INVESTIGATION ONGOING.

9. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES NTR.

7. CIVIL AFFAIRS: NTR.

8. LOGISTICS: OPERATIONAL SITUATION REMAINS DIFFICULT DUE TO DELAYS IN GETTING VEHICLES AND RADIOS ISSUED.

9. MISC: NTR.