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1. Please find attached the daily sitrep mentioned above.

2. Regards.
FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITUATION COVERING PERIOD 210000 MAR TO 240000 MAR 94.

1. GENERAL SITUATION: GENERAL BUILDING UP OF TENSION DUE TO THE DEVELOPMENT TOWARDS THE INSTALLATION OF THE BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT (BTG) ON 25 MAR 94. HOWEVER THE GENERAL SITUATION IS OBSERVED TO BE CALM. NO INCIDENTS TOOK PLACE DURING THE PERIOD UNDER REVIEW.


3. FRACTIONAL ACTIVITIES

A. NOP: NTR.

B. EPT: NTR.

C. OTHERS:

(1) 'A' COY OF BYURAT INFORMED THAT FOUR UNIDENTIFIED ARMED MISCREANTS ATTACKED THE CHIEF OF KAMBUKA SECTOR (A7626) AND HIS WIFE AT 0900 HRS ON 23 MAR 94. THE VICTIMS SUSTAINED INJURIES AND WERE ADMITTED AT KIRAMBO HOSPITAL. ATTACKERS USED EXPLOSIVES. INVESTIGATION ONGOING.

(2) ON 240030 MAR 94, ONE GRENADE EXPLODED IN KUBABO AREA. NO FURTHER INFORMATION COULD BE GATHERED AS YET ABOUT THIS EXPLOSION. UNCTDPOL IS INVESTIGATING.

4. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

A. FORCE HQ. ON 230800 MAR 94 FORCE HQ RECEIVED A US DELEGATION LED BY MS ASST. SECY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESPONSIBLE FOR HUMANITARIAN AND REFUGEE AFFAIRS, MS PATRICIA IRWIN, LT COL BRUCE HAMILTON, THE PLANS AND POLICY DIRECTORATE OFFICER FOR THE MIDDLE EAST/AFRICAN AFFAIRS AND MS YASU ANDOEFF, THE SPECIAL ASST TO THE MS ASST SECY. THEY WERE BRIEFED ON HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES AND MINE CLEARANCE. ON 211600 MAR 94, ONE CORPORAL OF KIDAT GOT INJURED OUT OF BURNING INCIDENT, WHILE HE WAS WORKING AT A TRAILER KITCHEN. HE WAS VISITED BY A/PC AND WILL BE EVACUATED TO BELGIUM ON 25 MAR 94.

B. UNAMIR: THE UNAMIR OPERATIONAL AREA IS CALM. SECTOR KABALE AND KISORO CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PATROL IN OWN AOR, BORDER CROSSINGS AT GATUMA.
C. DMZ:

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(1) GENERAL SITUATION OBSERVED TO BE CALM. COYD AND 2IC RPF BN AT NYAGATARE REPORTED TO TEAM C THAT THE RPF IS LOC AT MAYUFU (B320517) WITHIN DMZ. TEAM WILL INVESTIGATE ON 24 MAR 94. TEAM C LOCATED AT TUMBA RECEIVED 2 LETTERS FROM CHIEF OF TUMBA REPORTING THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES OF RPF:

(A) RPF INTENDS TO CARRY OUT A PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION ON 26 MAR 94 AS PROTEST AGAINST CURRENT POLITICAL IMPASSE. THE DEMONSTRATORS WILL MARCH FROM CYONGO TO KINIHIRA WHICH IS IN DMZ. A PROTEST HAS BEEN SENT TO RPF NOT TO CARRY OUT THE PLANNED DEMONSTRATION.

(B) RPF PRESENTLY DEPLOYED ALONG RIDGE KINIHIRA AND WITHIN CYONGO COMMUNITY IN CASE OF ANY INTERFERENCE BY RPF.

(C) CERTAIN HOUSES ARE MARKED BY RPF AS MEETING POINTS:

(aa) HOUSE OF MR. ALOY NDIMUKIRI - AT KABAKOMA.
(bb) HOUSE OF MR. KARYAMITE AND MR. MUSIRIKI - AT KINIHIRA (A8233).

(D) SECOND LETTER INDICATED THAT RPF BERS ARE LIVING WITH FIVE (05) FAMILIES WITHIN THE DMZ. ALLEGATION BEING INVESTIGATED BY MILCO TEAM C. MEANWHILE NECESSARY SECURITY MEASURES HAVE BEEN TAKEN TO CONTAIN THE SITUATION IN THAT PLACE.

(2) TEAM 'C' REPORTED OF AN INFORMATION CIRCULATING IN TUMBA AREA THAT RPF INTENDS TO DESTROY VILLAGES LINKING TUMBA AND ITS SURROUNDING AREAS. THEY ALSO INTEND TO BLOCK THE KIGALI-RUHENGURI ROAD. DETAIL INVESTIGATION ON THIS ASPECTS BEING CONDUCTED. TEAM D CONDUCTS PATROL IN OWN AOR.

(3) BYUBAT 'A', 'B' AND 'C' COY CARRIED OUT FOOT AND MOBILE PATS WITHIN OWN AOR. 'B' COY FOUND THREE (03) UNEXPLODED DEVICES AT NGARUMA AND 102 BOUNDS OF AK-47 AND ONE (01) HAND GRENADE AT NIUMBA. BYUBAT EO TEAM TASKED TO DEMOLISH THOSE ASAP. NINE (09) OFFICERS AND
169 OTHER RANKS WERE TRANSFERRED TO KIGALI SECTOR FOR "OPERATION BOOMERANG". FORCE ENG COY PROVIDED SECURITY AT NGOMDORE, CARRIED OUT RECON ON ROAD BYUMBA - KAGANDO - BURENGA - KARANA - TUMBA AND KIRAMBO. REPAIR WORKS STILL IN PROGRESS. ALSO CARRIED OUT RECON FOR SUITABLE WATER POINT AT KUBAT AND LOG COY. COY CARRIED OUT TEST OF WATER PURIFICATION SET. TREATED WATER TO BE SENT TO FORCE HQ FOR BIOLOGICAL TEST.

D. MILOR. PROVIDED ESCORTS FOR UNAMIR PERSONNEL. FAMILIARIZATION TRAINING OF FIVE (05) NEWLY ARRIVED OFFICERS FROM MALAWI WAS COMPLETED. COY, HAVING MALARIA, HAS BEEN ADMITTED TO THE UNAMIR FIELD HOSPITAL. LOC00198

1. RPF SECTOR. ROUTINE PTLS WERE CARRIED OUT IN OWN AOR.

2. RPF SECTOR. THE US DELEGATION WENT TO MULINDI AND MET RPF CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN OF THE RPA HIGH COMMAND ON 23/1/94. THE DELEGATION ALSO VISITED RPF MILOS HQ IN MULINDI. SECTOR COMD BRIEFED ON OPERATIONAL AND REFUGEE SITUATION. MILOR OBSERVED PROMOTION IN THE RANKS IN RPA. UNMOS CONFIRMED THAT BN COMDS OF ALPHA MOBILE FORCE, 21 BN AND 7 BN WERE PROMOTED TO THE RANKS OF COLONEL. THE COMD OP 157 BN IS LT COL. UNMOS ARE INVESTIGATING.

3. SOUTHERN SECTOR. DEPUTY SECTOR COMD LEFT BUTARE FOR MEETING WITH A/FC. ALL TEAM PTLS IN OWN AOR. NO INCIDENT REPORTED.

E. KIGALI SECTOR

1. BUTRAT CARRIED OUT 5 FOOT PTLS, 28 VEHICLE PTLS AND 3 CHECK POINT DUTIES. ALSO PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE HQ AND THE RESIDENCE OF SRSG. EMPLOYED TWO APCs FOR THE SECURITY OF CNND COMPLEX. THREE SECTIONS ESCORTED RPF VIPS. ONE SECTION WAS DEPLOYED AT RESIDENCE OF MR LANDO, LEADER OF ONE OF THE PL (PARTY LIBERAL) Factions.

2. KIRAT CARRIED OUT 1 FOOT PTL, 23 VEHICLE PTLS AND 4 CHECK POINT DUTIES. PROVIDED SECURITY TO KIGALI AIRPORT, OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER, KIGALI SECTOR HQ, RESIDENCE OF THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS. THEY ALSO PROVIDED SECURITY TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT, PRIME MINISTER AND PRIME MINISTER DESIGNATE.

3. TONGBIAN COY (-) CARRIED OUT TWO FOOT PTLS AND FIVE VEHICLE PTLS. THEY ALSO SECURED THE CNND COMPLEX.

4. KIGALI SECTOR PROVIDED 8 UNMO ESCORTS, 2 FOR GENDARMERIE, 4 FOR RPF, 1 FOR RPF AND 1 FOR US EMBASSY. THEY ALSO PROVIDED SIX ARMED ESCORTS, ONE FOR THE PRIME MINISTER, ONE FOR SASG, ONE FOR THE PRIME