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SUBJECT: DAILY SITREP 020600B MAY TO 030600B MAY 94.

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1. PLEASE FIND ATTACHED THE DAILY SITREP MENTIONED ABOVE.

2. REGARDS.
FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITREP COVERING PERIOD 020600B MAY TO 030600B MAY 94.


2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. STALEMATE CONTINUES. EFFORTS ARE STILL BEING MADE TO BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN RGF HIGH COMMAND AND INTERIM GOVT IN GITARAMA.

3. Factional activities. FIGHTING CONTINUED UP NORTH WITH MINOR SKIRMISHES IN THE CITY.

A. RPF FIRED ARMY GUNS INTO KIMIHURU CAMP LATE AFTERNOON. ALSO REPORTED TO HAVE SHELLED AREA AROUND HOTEL MILLES COLLINES FROM THE GENERAL AREA OF HOTEL VILLAGE URUGWIRO. STILL INFILTRATING INTO CITY AND CONDUCTING RESCUE OPERATIONS. CAPTURED SOME WEAPONS FROM RGF CAMP IN KIBUNGO. THE RPF IS ALSO REPORTED TO HAVE KILLED A LOT OF MILITIAS IN THE EAST AND SOUTH EAST OF THE COUNTRY, REPORTED TO HAVE CLOSED THE BORDER WITH TANZANIA IN THE SOUTH EAST TO PREVENT THE MILITIAS FROM FLEETING.

B. RGF SEEN DIGGING IN AROUND KIA AREA. NO CHANGES IN DISPOSITION WITHIN KIGALI. RECRUITMENT OF YOUNG MEN STILL CONTINUING. REMNANTS OF CAMP KAMI OBSERVED REINFORCING TROOPS DEPLOYED IN AIRPORT AREA.

C. MILITIA. STILL HOLDING ON TO AREAS UNDER THEIR CONTROL. PRESIDENT OF MILITIA PROMISED COOPERATING WITH UNAMIR AND ADDRESSING THE PROBLEMS OF CONTROLLING THE MILITIA.

4. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES. NORMAL ROUTINE. ESCORTS AND HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES WERE CONDUCTED DURING THE PERIOD. DISCUSSIONS WERE ALSO HELD WITH DIFFERENT GROUPS DURING THE PERIOD.

A. FORCE HQ. FC'S BRIEFINGS HELD AT 020700 AND 022000 RESPECTIVELY. FC HELD DISCUSSIONS WITH COS RPF AND COS GENDARMERIE. OUTCOME OF BOTH MEETINGS WERE POSITIVE AND ENCOURAGING. DFC AND HEAD OF HUMANITARIAN CELL ALSO HELD TALKS WITH PRESIDENT OF INTERHAME. DISCUSSIONS WERE
CENTERED AROUND SECURITY AND HARASSMENT OF UNAMIR VEHS/CONVYS AT MILITIA CHECK POINTS. MILITIA EXECUTIVE PROMISED TO TAKE UP ISSUED FOR SOME POSITIVE RESULTS TO BE SEEN SOON. SRSG AND DFC LEFT KIGALI FOR ARUSHA. TEAM OF CANADIAN JOURNALISTS ARRIVED FOR A THREE DAY VISIT. TEAM RECEIVED AN INITIAL BRIEFING FROM FC. IMPROVEMENT OF DEFENSES CONTINUED AROUND THE HQ AREA.

B. UNOMUR. AREA GENERALLY CALM.

(1) NO SIGNIFICANT NRA TROOP MOVEMENT OBSERVED IN AOR. THERE ARE ALSO NO INDICATIONS THAT NRA TROOPS HAVE CROSSED/ARE CROSSING THE UGANDA/RWANDA BORDER BY AIR OR ON THE GROUND.

(2) NRA TROOPS HOWEVER PREVENTING UNMOS TO CHECK BORDER AT KAKITUMBA (MBRAMA HILLS AREA). COY DEPLOYED ABOUT 1.5 KMS NORTH OF BORDER AND PRETENDING TO BE ON EXERCISE.

(3) ALL OTHER NRA TROOPS IN BORDER AREA AT NORMAL LOCATIONS.

(4) BORDER CROSSING

(A) RWANDA - UGANDA. 15 VEHS CROSSED THROUGH KATUNA AND KASHAKYE OP WITH 74 PASSENGERS.

(B) UGANDA - RWANDA. 12 VEHS CROSSED THROUGH KATUNA WITH 17 PASSENGERS HEADING FOR MULINDI. TWO PERSONS CROSSED ON FOOT.

C. BYUBAT.

(1) PROVIDED SECURITY AT KIA. AMAHORO STADIUM AND FORCE HC.

(2) CONDUCTED PATROLS FROM KIA TO CAMP KABONBE AREA. OBSERVED MOST CIVILIANS VACATING DWELLINGS.

(3) PROVIDED ESCORTS FOR HUMANITARIAN TASKS.

(4) FC PAID WORKING VISIT TO KIA.

D. TUN PLATOON (+).

(1) PROVIDED SECURITY AT MILLES COLLINES WITH 1 X APC.

(2) PROVIDED SECURITY AT KING PAISAL HOSPITAL AND MERIDIEN HOTEL.

(3) PROVIDED APC ESCORTS AND SECURITY AT FORCE HC.
3. MILON

(1) ESCORTED AND CONDUCTED CANADIAN PRESS MEN ROUND SOME DISPLACED PERSONS CAMPS WITHIN KIGALI.

(2) ESCORTED TWO BELGIANS WHO FLED FROM RUSONGO TO UGANDA BORDER.

(3) ESCORTED HUMANITARIAN OFFICIALS FOR DELIVERY OF FOOD AND HUMANITARIAN AID TO SOME REFUGEE CAMPS.

5. UMCAVPOL. NONE IN RWANDA CURRENTLY.

6. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES.

A. DISPLACED PERSONS. HAC CONDUCTED PATROLS TO CAMPS WITHIN THE CITY.

B. HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE.

(1) ICRC DELIVERED MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO REFUGEES AT SAINTE FAMILLE.

(2) ICRC CONTINUED TREATING THE WOUNDED FROM PREVIOUS DAYS SHELLING.

(3) ADVANCE HA TEAM DELIVERED 2 X BASIC HEALTH KITS TO KING FAISAL HOSPITAL.

(4) ADVANCE HA TEAM DELIVERED 12 X BOXES OF HEB TO REFUGEES AT MERIDIEN HOTEL.

C. EVACUATION OF EXPATRIATES. ELEVEN WERE EVACUATED.

7. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

8. LOGISTICS. UNAMIR FOOD CONTRACTORS CAME FROMNAIROBI FOR DISCUSSIONS. TEAM RETURNED SAME DAY. LOGISTIC BUILD UP CONTINUES.

A. FORCE RESERVE STOCK LEVEL

(1) RATION - 17 DAYS.

(2) WATER - 29 DAYS.

(3) FUEL - 43.110 LITRES DIESEL.

B. ITEMS RECEIVED DURING THE PERIOD. 168 PIECES OF TIMBER.

C. THERE IS AN URGENT REQUIREMENT FOR TOILET CLEANING MATERIALS AND ODOR REMOVERS.
9. MISC.

A. FORCE LEVEL - 452 (1 X CANADIAN OFFICER MEDEVAC TO CANADA FROM NAIROBI).

B. SICK REPORT - 29 CASES (16 MALARIA).

C. BOARD OF INQUIRY INTO KILLING OF BELGIAN TROOPS BEING RECONSTITUTED TO CARRY OUT INQUIRY.