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FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITREP COVERING PERIOD 310600B DEC 93 TO 010600B JAN 94.I. GEN SITUATION. CALM.II. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIESA. POLITICAL.

- (1) THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNTRY ADDRESSED THE NATION ON THE OCCASION OF NEW YEAR. HE DECLARED 1994 TO BE THE YEAR OF PEACE FOR THE RWANDESE FAMILY. HE ALSO MADE AN APPEAL NOT TO DISAPPOINT THE VARIOUS NGOS AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE TIME BEING PRESENT IN RWANDA AND TO SOLVE THE PROBLEMS IN A PEACEFUL MANNER.
- (2) INSTALLATION OF BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT NOT YET FINALIZED. SRSG AND FC CONTINUE TO PURSUE ALL EFFORTS TO UNBLOCK THE SITUATION. THE MDR AND PL PARTIES ARE SERIOUSLY SPLIT. THE PRESIDENT IS CONCERNED OF MOVING AHEAD WITH EBTG IN THIS POLITICAL PARTY INTERVAL TURMOIL THAT IS EVOLVING ALONG LINES THAT ARE GENERALLY ETHIC IN NATURE.

B. MILITARY.

- (1) RGE. NTR.
- (2) RPF. BN SETTLING IN ARE PROGRESSIVELY GETTING USED TO THE RESTRICTIONS OF THE KIGALI WEAPON SECURE AREA.
- (3) OTHERS. NTR.

III. OWN MILITARY ACTIVITIES.

A. HQS. FC WENT TO MULINDI AND MET COMD RPF, MAJ GEN KAGAME. SEVERAL MEETINGS HELD ON POLITICO-MILITARY SOLUTIONS.

B. SECTORS.

(1) KIGALI. CARRIED OUT ROUTINE PTL IN OAR TO ENSURE KIGALI WEAPON SECURE AREA. CARRIED OUT PTL IN THE RESIDENT AREA OF THE PRIME MINISTER DESIGNATE AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT. CARRIED OUT ESCORT DUTIES FOR VIPs. SECURED THE LOCATION OF THE RPF BATTALION IN KIGALI CITY AND THE FORCE HQ. IMPLEMENTED FIRST OFFENSIVE OPS PLANNING AGAINST POLITICAL MILITICUS. ESCORTS FOR VVIPs FOR SPECIAL HIGH LEVEL MEETINGS WITH SRSG, PRESIDENT, CHAIRMAN RPF AND PRIME MINISTER.

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(2) DMZ. CONDUCTED ROUTINE PTL IN OAR. COMD DMZ CARRIED OUT RECCO AT RUHENGARI AND NKUMBA FOR THE DEPLOYMENT OF THE GHANIAN INF BATTALION (BYUBAT). THE TUNISIAN PLATOONS REPORTED THAT THEY HEARD A LOT OF FIRING AND GRENADE EXPLOSIONS AROUND MIDNIGHT. THE SOUND WAS COMING FROM THE RPF POSITIONS AND THIS WAS POSSIBLY THEIR WAY OF CELEBRATING NEW YEAR.

C. MILOR. NO ESCORT DUTIES WERE CARRIED OUT.

D. UNOMUR. CONDUCTED ROUTINE PTL IN OAR. THE SITUATION REMAINS QUITE CALM IN THE UNOMUR MISSION AREA. 6 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER AT KATUNA.

IV. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES. NTR.

V. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

VI. LOGISTICS. NTR.

VII. MISC. ON 312215 DEC 93 TWO UNMOs FROM SENEGAL, CAPT FALLOU AND CAPT DIA WERE ATTACKED BY A GROUP OF UNIDENTIFIED INDIVIDUALS IN CIVILIAN ARMED WITH KNIVES, BATONS AND GRENADES. CAPT DIA WAS INJURED ON HIS BACK AND HIS LEFT EYE. HE RETURNED TO HIS HOUSE AFTER BEING TREATED IN KIGALI HOSPITAL. THE INCIDENT TOOK PLACE IN KIGALI CITY (KICUKIRO) AT ABOUT 150 METER OF THEIR RESIDENCE. BOTH OFFR WERE OFF DUTY AND IN CIVIL CLOTHING.