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FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITREP COVERING PERIOD 060600Z JUNE TO 061800Z JUNE 94.

1. GEN SITUATION. OBSERVED TO BE COMPARATIVELY STABLE IN KIGALI. FIGHTING CONTINUED BETWEEN RGF AND RPF AT GADDAFI CROSSING, KACHIRO AND KIMISAGARA AREAS. HEAVY FIGHTING ALSO REPORTED FROM SHYORONGI, NORTH OF KIGALI AND GITARAMA TO THE SOUTH. NO MAJOR CHANGES IN THE DISPOSITIONS OF BOTH PARTIES IN KIGALI. RPF PUTTING MORE AND MORE PRESSURE ON RGF POSITIONS ON ALL THE FRONTS INCLUDING KIGALI. EXODUS OF SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS STILL CONTINUING. MILITIA AND GENDARMERIE CONTINUES TO MAN ROAD BLOCKS AND CHECKS POINTS IN RGF CONTROLLED AREAS LEFT IN THE CITY. THE APPOINTMENT OF THE NEW CHIEF OF GENDARMERIE COLONEL MUVERUKA WAS WELCOMED BY THE HARD LINERS. THE NEW CHIEF HAS NOT YET TAKEN OVER COMMAND AS YET, DUE TO AN INJURY SUSTAINED IN THE WAR. EXERCISE ON TRANSFER OF DISPLACED PERSONS STILL SUSPENDED DUE TO SECURITY PROBLEMS.

2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. THE MEETING OF CABINET MINISTERS OF THE INTERIM GOVT ENDED TODAY WITH NO PUBLIC PRONOUNCEMENTS ON THE DELIBERATIONS. MORE APPEALS WERE MADE FOR THE POPULATION TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE WAR EFFORT.

3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES.

A. RPF. RPF CONTINUE TO ISOLATE RGF POSITIONS IN KIGALI THROUGH CONSTANT SHELLING. ALSO PUTTING CONTINUOUS PRESSURE ON RGF POSITIONS IN THE NORTH AND SOUTH IN THE COUNTRY. ENGAGED IN HEAVY FIGHTING WITH RGF TO BREAK THROUGH THE RGF FRONT LINE IN GITARAMA. THEY ARE HOLDING SHYORONGI WITH FIRM GRIP. RPF KEPT RUHENGERI AND RULINDO UNDER HEAVY SHELLING. THE RPF HAS RECONSTRUCTED THE BRIDGE ON RIVER AKANYARU AND THEY HAVE ALSO AGREED TO ALLOW UNAMIR TO REPAIR THE BRIDGE AT KATUNA.

B. RGF. RGF ENGAGED IN HEAVY FIGHTING WITH RPF AT GITARAMA AND SHYORONGI IN THE SOUTH AND NORTH. ALSO CONSOLIDATING THEIR POSITIONS IN KIGALI AND IN THE NORTH AND AROUND GITARAMA IN THE SOUTH. THEY ARE ALSO HOLDING STABLE POSITIONS IN RULINDO AND RUHENGERI IN THE NORTH. RGF ELEMENTS SEEN MOVING TOWARDS SHYORONGI FROM THE NORTH. REPORTED TO HAVE LAUNCHED A COUNTER-OFFENSIVE ON REBERO HILLS IN KIGALI WITH A COMPANY MINUS WITH A VIEW TO RECAPTURE THE HILL.

C. MILITIA. BEING EMPLOYED SIDE BY SIDE WITH THE GOVT FORCES AND INVOLVED IN CIVILIAN CONTROL. IT IS REPORTED THAT MILITIA ARE WORKING UNDER THE CONTROL OF COL GATSAXI.

4. OMN MILITARY ACTIVITIES:

A. FORCE HQ. NORMAL ROUTINE ACTIVITIES WERE CONDUCTED. FC HELD NORMAL BRIEFING WITH STAFFS AT 0700. THE FC AND THE COO GAVE A PRESS BRIBFING TO THE VARIOUS NEWS MEDIA

REPRESENTATIVES IN KIGALI THIS MORNING. DFC STILL IN NAIROBI. FC ACCOMPANIED BY MR DESANDE, UNAMIR POLITICAL ADVISOR AND CHIEF OF OPERATIONS MET MAJ GEN KAGAME AT CAMP KANOMBE THIS AFTERNOON. THEY DISCUSSED VARIOUS ISSUES INCLUDING THE CEASE FIRE TALKS, SHELLING OF THE AIRPORT AND THE POSSIBILITY OF CREATING A NEW CENTRAL REFUGEE CAMP UNDER THE AUSPICES OF UN.

B. UNOMUR UNOMUR OPERATIONAL AREA IS CALM. CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS IN AOR. ON 050900 JUNE 94 DEPUTY CHIEF OF OPERATIONS, BRIG GEN POLLEE OF THE ROYAL NETHERLANDS ARMED FORCES VISITED UNOMUR HQ. HE WAS BRIEFED ON UNOMUR OPERATIONS BY ACOM. ON 041900 JUNE, A COORDINATION MEETING BETWEEN UNRGO AND HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE AGENCIES WAS HELD IN UNOMUR HQ. THE MEETING WAS ATTENDED BY 34 REPRESENTATIVES FROM VARIOUS AGENCIES. THE MEETING WAS PRESIDED BY THE NEW UNRGO FIELD OFFICE LIAISON OFFICER MRS MARSHA FRENEY. FOLLOWING MATTERS WERE DISCUSSED IN THE MEETING:

- (A) SITUATION REPORTS OF UNRGO.
- (B) VISIT OF ITALIAN GOVERNMENT DELEGATION.
- (C) NEEDS OF ASSESSMENT.
- (D) CONSOLIDATE APPEAL.
- (E) INCENTIVES.
- (F) RELATIONS WITH RPF.
- (G) MISCELLANEOUS.

ON 05 JUNE 11 VEHICLES OF VARIOUS HUMANITARIAN AGENCIES CROSSED THE BORDER AT KATUNA TO RWANDA WITH HUMANITARIAN RELIEF ITEMS. A TOTAL OF 44 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER AT KATUNA, KASHEKYE, KYANIKA AND MERAMA HILLS TO RWANDA WITH 589 PASSENGERS INCLUDING 466 REFUGEES. ANOTHER 53 VEHICLES CROSSED THE BORDER AT KATUNA, KASHEKYE, KYANIKA AND MERAMA HILLS WITH 219 PASSENGERS. APPROXIMATELY 500 RWANDESE CROSSED THE BORDER AT KYANIKA FOR WORKS AND MARKETING. THEY RETURNED ON THE SAME DAY. ONE HELICOPTER IS PRESENTLY OPERATIONAL.

C. EXURAT. CONDUCTED SECURITY DUTIES AT KIA AND AMAHORO STADIUM AND PROVIDED ESCORTS FOR HUMANITARIAN AND OTHER TASKS. THERE ARE ABOUT 4326 REFUGEES AT AMAHORO STADIUM AND 936 AT KIA.

D. TKM PL PROVIDED SECURITY TO REFUGES AT MILLES COLLINS, MERIDIEN HOTEL AND KING FAISAL HOSPITAL. ALSO CARRIED OUT ESCORT DUTIES WITH APCs.

E. MILOB. A MILOB PATROL WENT TO GABIRO TO CARRY OUT A RECCE ON THE GABIRO AIRSTRIP. THE TEAM FOUND THE AIRSTRIP IN A PERFECT CONDITION. CANADIAN CATHOLIC SISTER FABIN TREMBLY CROSSED THE BORDER AT KATUNA INTO UGANDA.

5. UNCIYPOL. 15 ARE STILL STATIONED AT NAIROBI.

6. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES. HAC TEAM VISITED AMAHORO STADIUM AND ESTIMATED ABOUT 5000 DISPLACED PERSONS PRESENTLY STAYING THERE. ABOUT 2000 OUT OF THEM WANT TO BE TRANSFERRED TO GOVT CONTROLLED AREAS. REMAINING PERSONS WOULD LIKE TO BE MOVED ONLY IF THE SECURITY SITUATION IMPROVED. ANOTHER 1800 DISPLACED PERSONS WANT TO BE TRANSFERRED TO GOVT CONTROLLED AREAS FROM KING FAISAL HOSPITAL. 1026 DISPLACED PERSONS FROM STE FAMILLE WANT TO BE TRANSFERRED TO RPF CONTROLLED AREAS. UNMO PATROLS VISITED SAINT FAMILLE. UN HA TEAM VISITED ICRC HOSPITAL, ST MICHEL AND MILLES COLLINES. A MEMBER OF PHARMACIES SANS FRONTIERE HAS MOVED INTO THE ORPHANAGE OF MARC VAITER AT ST MICHEL. ICRC TREATED 15 PATIENTS AND DELIVERED 50 TONS OF FOOD IN RUTARE AND 50 TONS TO KIDAGO. ICRC ALSO EVACUATED 352 ORPHANS FROM BUTARE TO BURUNDI WITH THE HELP OF THE RGF AND THE PREFECT OF BUTARE ON 05 JUNE. THEY WILL EVACUATE ANOTHER 400 TO NIGHT.

7. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

8. LOGISTICS: FORCE RESERVE STOCK LEVEL AS FOLLOWS:

- A. RATION - NIL.
- B. WATER - 37 DAYS.
- C. FUEL - 1897 LTRS DIESEL.

EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO FLY SOME FUEL AND RATIONS TO ENTEBBE TOMORROW TO BE TRANSPORTED TO KIGALI VIA KABALE BY ROAD.

9. MISC.

- A. FORCE LEVEL - 502.
- B. SICK REPORT - 13 (7 MALARIA CASES)

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SL NR	DTG	OCCURRENCE
1	060720	RPF GAVE CLEARANCE FOR CONVOY TO GO TO KABALE FOR FUEL, RPF LO SAYS HE HAS PASS ON MESSAGE TO HIS HQ. HE HOWEVER COMPLAINED THAT THE NUMBER OF VEHs TO BE USED ARE TOO MANY AND IT MAY DAMAGED THEIR ROAD.
2	061110	JOURNALISTS HAVE ARRIVED AT THE RED CROSS HOSPITAL.
3	061115	UNMO PATROL TEAMS SENT TO NYAMERAMBO HAS BEEN DENIED ENTRY AT A GENDARMERIE CHECK POINT AT NYAMERAMBO. THEY WERE TO CHECK ON A FAMILY AT NYAMERAMBO.
4	061310	MEETING WITH RGF REGARDING TRANSFER OF DISPLACED PERSONS COULD NOT TAKE PLACE TODAY.