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1. PLEASE FIND ATTACHED THE DAILY SITREP MENTIONED ABOVE.
2. REGARDS.

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FROM: UNAMIR, KIGALI.

SITREP COVERING PERIOD 171801Z JULY TO 181800Z JULY 94.

1. GOM SITUATION. THE SITUATION REMAINED TENSE IN GISENYI AS RPF CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE OPERATION WITHIN THE AREA. TODAY ABOUT 200 RPF SOLDIERS WERE SEEN IN GENERAL AREA SHABA GRID 3915 WHICH IS ABOUT 7 KMS SOUTH WEST OF GIKONGORO WITHIN THE HUMANITARIAN PROTECTED ZONE. DISPLACED PEOPLE AND FLEEING RGF SOLDIERS CONTINUED TO CROSS INTO ZAIRE. THE FRENCH COALITION FORCES AND THE ZAIRIAN SECURITY FORCES CONTINUED TO BE VIGILANT AND DISARMED THE FLEEING RGF, MILITIA AND INTERHAMWE. FC AND COO VISITED GOMA. RPF HAVE GIVEN CLEARANCE FOR UNAMIR TO CONDUCT REASONABLE NIGHT MOVEMENTS IN KIGALI AND NORTH-EASTERN AREA FROM TODAY. SRSG LEFT FOR NAIROBI THIS AFTERNOON.

2. POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. GENERAL KAGAME WAS REPORTED TO HAVE DECLARED THAT RPF HAD WON THE WAR AND THAT THERE WAS A DE FACTO CEASE FIRE IN RPF HELD AREAS, WHICH IS ABOUT TWO THIRD OF THE COUNTRY. HE ALSO SAID THAT PASTEUR BIZIMUNGU WILL BE THE PRESIDENT OF THE BROAD BASED GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNITY AND FAUSTIN TWAGIRAMUNGU THE PRIME MINISTER. THE INSTALLATION CEREMONY IS SCHEDULED AT 1000 HRS ON 19 JULY 1994. THE SRSG LEFT KIGALI TODAY FOR NAIROBI TO ATTEND A DONORS MEETING AND TO HOLD DISCUSSIONS WITH THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF USAID.

3. FACTIONAL ACTIVITIES.

A. RPF. RPF OPERATIONS AROUND GISENYI CONTINUED WITH MORE ARTY/MORTAR SHELLING. THEY ARE REPORTED TO HAVE DEPLOYED TROOPS IN SOME AREAS INSIDE THE HPZ. 200 SOLDIERS WERE SEEN 7 KMS SOUTH WEST OF GIKONGORO AND MANY MORE IN GR 3915.

B. RGF. RGF IN THE NORTH WEST OF THE COUNTRY CONTINUE TO FLEE INTO GOMA IN LARGE NUMBERS. IN THE SOUTH WEST OF THE COUNTRY, THEIR ACTIVITIES ARE NOT SIGNIFICANT.

C. MILITIA. MILITIA AND INTERHAMWE CONTINUED TO CROSS INTO ZAIRE AT GOMA FOLLOWING TENSE SITUATION AROUND GISENYI.

4. OMN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

A. FORCE HQ. CONTINUED TO CONDUCT ROUTINE WORK. A/DFC PRESIDED MORNING BRIEFING AT 0800 HRS. FC VISITED GOMA AND RETURNED THIS AFTERNOON. HE DISCUSSED UNAMIR'S FUTURE DEPLOYMENT IN HPZ WITH BG LAFOURCADE. SRSG HAD A MEETING WITH THE DESIGNATE PRIME MINISTER THIS MORNING. HE LEFT FOR NAIROBI LATER THIS AFTERNOON.

B. UNAMIR. AREA OF OPERATION WAS CALM. CONDUCTED ROUTINE PATROLS. DETAILS OF BORDER CROSSING ARE AS FOLLOWS:

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(1) TO UGANDA

(A) VEHs - 271  
(B) PASSENGERS - 2,787

(2) TO RWANDA

(A) VEHs - 424  
(B) PASSENGERS - 4,291

ALL HELICOPTERS WERE OPERATIONAL. SEVERAL HUMANITARIAN AID AGENCIES CROSSED THE BORDER INTO RWANDA TO DISTRIBUTE RELIEF ITEMS IN RPF CONTROLLED AREAS.

C. GHAMBATT. TRAINING ON APCs CONTINUED. PROVIDED SECURITY AT KIA, AMAHORO STADIUM, KING FAISAL HOSPITAL, HOTEL MERIDIEN AND FORCE HQ. CONDUCTED PATROLS WITHIN KIA GENERAL AREA FROM 2100 HRS TO 2300 HRS AND FROM 0430 HRS TO 0515 HRS. ASSISTED TO MOVE 771 DISPLACED PERSONS FROM RUTARE TO KIGALI INCORPORATION WITH RPF.

D. MILOR. THE FOLLOWING TASKS WERE PERFORMED TODAY:

- (1) CARRIED OUT PATROLS IN THE BYUMBA AREA.
- (2) ASSISTED TO EVACUATE A TOTAL OF 771 DISPLACED PERSONS FROM RUTARE TO KIGALI.
- (3) ESCORTED MBF PERSONNEL TO KAGITUMBA AND MEDICAL STORES PLUS FOOD ITEMS TO KIGALI.

5. FRENCH COALITION FORCES ACTIVITIES. THE FRENCH COALITION FORCES REMAINED VIGILANT THROUGHOUT. THEY CONTINUED TO DISARM RPF TROOPS AND MILITIA. THEY CONTINUED TO PROVIDE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE IN COORDINATION WITH OTHER HUMANITARIAN AID AGENCIES. OVER ONE MILLION DISPLACED PERSONS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE CROSSED THE BORDER INTO GOMA, ZAIRE. BN SIZE TROOPS ARE DEPLOYED IN GENERAL AREAS OF KIBUYE, GIKONGORO AND CYANGUGU. THEY CONTINUED TO DISARM RPF AND INTERHAMWE.

6. UNCIYPOL. ALL ARE IN NAIROBI.

7. HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES

A. DISPLACED PERSONS

(1) HAC EVACUATED DISPLACED PERSONS FROM THE MERIDIEN HOTEL WITH THE CO-OPERATION OF THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN FOR THE REFUGES. 12 DISPLACED PERSONS REMAINED IN THE BASEMENT OF THE HOTEL AWAITING TRANSPORTATION TO BYUMBA AND BUTARE AREAS.

(2) 771 DISPLACED PERSONS WERE TRANSPORTED FROM RUTARE TO KIGALI. THERE ARE 10,800 DISPLACED PERSONS IN RUTARE AWAITING TO BE TRANSPORTED TO KIGALI.

8. HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

(1) HAC ESCORTED REPRESENTATIVE OF PROJECT SAN FRANCISCO TO NYAMIRANBO AND ICRC.

8. CIVIL AFFAIRS. NTR.

9. LOGISTICS. UNAMIR RESUPPLIES CONTINUED TO ARRIVE FROM NAIROBI BY AIR.

10. MISC.

A. FORCE LEVEL

(1) KIGALI	:	560
(2) NAIROBI	:	107
(3) BUKAVU	:	4
(4) NULINDI	:	12
(5) ENTEBBE	:	33
(6) GOMA	:	6
(7) LEAVE	:	21

B. SICK REPORT : 12 (5 MALARIA)

C. UNAMIR CIV STAFF: 20

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SLR	DTG	OCCURRENCE
1.	172000	TOMORROW FLIGHT DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS: A. 1ST FLIGHT - ETA 0830 HRS. B. 2ND FLIGHT - ETA 1445 HRS.
2.	172355	RPF SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN REPORTED FIRING MORTARS AT FRENCH TROOPS NORTH OF RUBENGERA. THEY HAVE CROSSED THE FRENCH SECURE ZONE.
3.	180800	FC AND HIS DELEGATION LEFT FORCE HQ FOR GOMA.
4.	180845	FIRST FLIGHT LANDED AT 0834 HRS AND DEPARTED AT 0842 HRS.
5.	181000	RPF LT COL KAYINNA MET JOURNALISTS AT KIA.
6.	181105	PRIME MINISTER DESIGNATE MET WITH SRSG AT 0930 HRS. HE HELD DISCUSSIONS WITH UNHCR SPECIAL ENVOY FROM 1100 HRS TO 1115 HRS.
7.	181115	REPORT WAS RECEIVED THAT 200 RPF SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN LOCATED IN GR 3915 (SHABA) ABOUT 14 KMS WEST OF HPZ BOUNDARY.
8.	181305	MAJ RIZA RUNG TO ADVISE THAT RPF DID NOT GIVE CLEARANCE FOR HELICOPTER FLIGHT FROM GATUNA TO KIGALI. FC AND HIS DELEGATION WILL RETURN BY ROAD.
9.	181540	AIRCRAFT LANDED AT 1521 HRS AND DEPARTED AT 1534 HRS.
10.	181545	REQUESTED RPF FOR CLEARANCE TO GO TO BYUMBA TO ACCESS CONDITIONS OF UN VEHs LEFT BY FORCE ENGR COY.
11.	181600	FC AND HIS DELEGATION ARRIVED FROM GOMA THROUGH GATUNA.