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COMMAND of the 28th Division
Intelligence organ, personally

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During the morning hours of 26 June 1995, our forces from the Srebrenica sector attacked and set fire to the village of Višnjica. According to still unconfirmed information, the Chetniks³ had casualties among the civilian population.

At 1421 hours, it was reported that our forces carried out an attack in the Krivača sector where an ambush was set up, and that the consequences are still not known.

At 1523 hours, it was requested that one unit intervene somewhere near the waterworks (presumably it was about Srebrenica battlefield).

At 1719 hours it was requested that one group be sent from the ZP⁴ (presumably in the direction of Srebrenica) and it was supposed to be sent by a person called Janković.

A man called Zvonko asked Savić whose unit had been sent towards Srebrenica, [and said] that they should be as careful as possible and immediately report on everything they see.

At 1800 hours, Colonel Lazić (operations officer within DK⁵) informed a man called Vasić from Han Pijesak of the infiltration of several of our groups from Žepa that were moving towards Kladanj, and issued an order to take all possible measures for combat in such situations.

At 1831 hours, the Chetnik PEB⁶ registered that our unit from Srebrenica with the code-name *Istok*, on frequency 155.225, had one dead and two wounded soldiers. The Chetniks are also monitoring our units with code names *Kremen*, *Vidra*, *Zavoj*, *Rosa*, and *Marinac* on VVF/UVF band 007.

The DK Command issued an order at 2021 hours to the Bratunac Brigade and Skelani Brigade to start carrying out artillery attacks in the z/o⁷ of the 28th dKov⁸, and at 2233 hours, those brigades' attention was drawn to the fact that the highest level of combat readiness was still in force because of the infiltration of our sabotage groups.

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¹ Translator's note: Bosnia and Herzegovina

² t/n: radio reconnaissance

³ t/n: derogatory term for Serbs - members of Yugoslav royalist and Serbian nationalist movement in World War II in Yugoslavia

⁴ t/n: abbreviation unknown, most likely refers to some kind of *zone* or *area*

⁵ t/n: Drina Corps

⁶ t/n: Anti-Electronic Warfare Unit

⁷ t/n: zone of responsibility

⁸ t/n: *Army Division* or *Land Forces Division*

It was ordered from the DK Command to forbid the rotation and leaving posts for the units assisting the 1st Bratunac Brigade. It is clear that the aggressor forces have problems with further engagement of this unit.

We found out from the Pjenovac CV⁹ that n/s¹⁰ set up an ambush at an unknown place and eliminated 3 a/vs¹¹ on that occasion. They were young soldiers. We presume that it was in the area of Žepa since soldiers since the soldiers who are doing their military service in Han Pijesak are the ones engaged in that sector in protecting the l/o. Information on a soldier killed near Žepa, which was sent to the IBK¹², confirms the above-mentioned. One of the 3 mentioned a/s that were killed is Ljubinko Vujadinović from Lopare, and his body will be transported by an m/v¹³ to Bijeljina or Lopare during the day.

The road communication from Han Pijesak towards Olovo has been closed by the VP¹⁴ because of our infiltrated groups. VP of the DK was sent to search the terrain. The Command of the DK notified the Command of the 2nd Romanija Brigade of the flight of an Mi-6¹⁵ and a Gazelle¹⁶ at 1430 hours, which were supposed to return by 2000 hours on the Sokolac-Vlasenica route.

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⁹ t/n: Communications Centre

¹⁰ t/n: our forces

¹¹ t/n: aggressor soldier

¹² t/n: Eastern Bosnia Corps

¹³ t/n: motor vehicle

¹⁴ t/n: Military Police

¹⁵ t/n: type of helicopter

¹⁶ t/n: type of helicopter

¹⁷ t/n: abbreviation unknown

¹⁸ t/n: Assistant Commander

¹⁹ t/n: Intelligence