

## E X P L A N A T I O N

Information on the enemy force in Dobrinja area .

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- this was written about, our note on the application of the method of work from 02.10.1992 (fled from Dobrinja)

Through further investigative actions, Stojakov stated information and details on the position of enemy forces, weapons, and morale of Muslim fighters. Among other things, the following observations were interesting for our assessments:

The shelter at the Heroja socijalističke borbe Square is secured with trenches at the entrance.

In the shelter - along the length of the skylight - the battalion is lined up and inspected by companies, each company for 15 minutes, and this lining up lasts from 07:15 until 08:15 hours.

The critical point of the Muslim position is the barricade consisting of several cars and sandbags towards Dobrinja IV.

The only way for ammunition and personnel to arrive is through the basements of the building with even numbers in AFŽ Street. The entrance is at number 10, the first balcony on the ground floor. You take the wooden stairs to climb the balcony from the passageway, go through the living room, hallway, and enter the basement.

The easiest way is to close the exit to the barricade at No. 2, where the exit is below the balcony. The balcony on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor has been hit, which means that it is in our field of view and that it can be kept under fire.

When there was an attack on Dobrinja IV, Partizanske Olimpijade Street was kept under fire from our side, which caused a communication problem between buildings with even and odd numbers (I and II buildings towards our line.)

If the barricade is kept under fire, the entire first line is cut off.

There are no guards on the sides of the buildings - the roofs are connected, so if

any side is breached - then it is possible to control the whole front line.

Only the first fighting line is fortified (trenches). There are no mines laid down (to Stojanov's knowledge), which could be seen from their attack movements in all directions.

The only minefield is beneath the hedgehogs - anti-tank and anti-infantry mines are laid down at the reserve defense line, which cuts the Lukavica road at the line in V. Maglajića street - halfway between the heating plant and the intersection towards Dobrinja IV.

From V. Maglajića street to the Lukavica road, a trench was dug that reaches the hedgehogs laid down - and from the road to Sakić's stables.

In V. Maglajića street, four trenches were dug in two lines, this is a reserve position for the osa<sup>17</sup>.

The position in V. Maglajića street is held by a department from the 1<sup>st</sup> company of the 1<sup>st</sup> battalion - former military police officers, stripped of their authority. Mile DAMJANIĆ is among them - he was at the Vukovar battlefield, and he is the fiercest. The main looters are in this group. That is a crew of 10 people, all mostly drunk - in front of the other entrance, at number 4, they set two guards overnight.

In this area in V. Maglajića street, there are no more guards, except in the shelter.

There is a headquarters in one part of the shelter where another guard is located. The guards are armed with hunting rifles - shotguns.

The civilian police are located in the café "Baltazar," in front of which there is usually a POV parked.

- Military police are in "Borovo." Their commander is SENAD MEHINOVIĆ, and his deputy is (illegible) (he is the one according to whom the Serbs should be slaughtered).

- The headquarters of the brigade is in "Gavrilović" and the pharmacy.

- The information center is between the game club and (illegible) market.

The prison is in the store "Sunce" behind Privredna bank. The main person there is SEFKO Muslić, from Foča.

Armored personnel carrier is located across "Borovo" near the bar "Bristol" where the UNPROFOR often are. The civilians are not allowed to contact UNPROFOR.

On 10/09, it was fired from the DShK at the UNPROFOR convoy that moved along the road towards Vraca.

<sup>17</sup> T/N - RPG launcher

A certain Muslim soldier OMERICA said that a Serb woman was captured under charges that she was a sniper - they wounded her in the leg and then put a timed bomb on the back and directed her towards Nedarići when the bomb activated (this was done by two Muslim brothers from Ilidža).

Juka Prazina sold them (illegible) grenades for 100 German marks apiece. In order to get to the ammunition, they have to bribe the warehouse clerks with food and other things, for which they specifically mentioned Vikićs, and in order to get the basic fighting equipment.

A police officer from Stari Grad came with his unit on 01 and 02/09 during the attack on Dobrinja - IV. His name is JASMIN (illegible). He commented on the deaths of the Muslim soldiers during the attack. He has a very bad opinion about the Muslim authorities, which the following comment proves in its own way:

“It is a known fact that the Chetniks never reached Stari Grad, and yet it has been looted. All the goods and money went through the hands of a certain (illegible), former President of the municipality, and now a commander. He is said to be “worth” about three million marks.”

The police officer JASMIN said that he was working on arresting soldiers and civilians, smugglers and fifth column members in the presence of his unit in Dobrinja. He also had an explanation of why the City hall was burned. He said that it was fired on because there was a multi-barrel rocket launcher nearby, and when the MBRL was hit, the City hall caught fire in the explosion.

Together with this, STOJANOV also noticed and observed the information that he received by listening to the comments of the Muslim soldiers, such as:

- In the tunnel beneath the neighborhood Ciglane there are three tanks, one of which is a T-84, and which occasionally go out of the tunnel and fire towards Poljine.

- Tripod howitzers are at the position in Velešići - there is a battery of howitzers, unknown number.

- From Dobrinja II towards the neighborhood Nedarići, where the trolleybus operates - Olimpijska street - there is a tunnel beneath the road which exits at the line towards the neighborhood where a mosque is located.

- When they come down from Mojnilo, where the forest was cut down near the transmission line pole, there is around 50 meters of clear space that they can use to come directly down to the electrical substation in Dobrinja II (that is one passageway - below it, there is a bunker that was fired at).

The other passageway is on the line Keli - Žarka Zgonjanina street.

The last house from Keli towards the hill, their guards occasionally come down there (the house is not damaged).

The Muslim soldiers that went to Igman said that they went along the airport runway. From Dobrinja I, they go directly to the airport, when they reach the runway, they move along it, go around it and go across to Butmir (that is the position between the Kasindoslka street and the runway).

Talking to the soldiers, Mirsad KARIĆ said that an "Olovo Muslim Brigade" is being formed in Sarajevo, that it will have around 2,000 men and that it should be secretly transferred from Sarajevo to Olovo.

The same Karić said about himself that he had been at the old airport, before the war, for training for six months.

The commander of the unit in the private neighborhood across Dobrinja II, near the mosque, is IBRO CAR (towards Nedarići).

Location: Lukavica

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