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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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1. CONFIDENTIAL - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER (US ARMY) OWEN QUELL BRIEFED EMBASSY STAFF JULY 12 ON THE STATUS OF THE UNAMIR APC'S (ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS) CURRENTLY POSITIONED AT ENTEBBE. UNAMIR ADMINISTRATOR SERGEANT SMITH HAS SIGNED FOR ALL EQUIPMENT DELIVERED TO ENTEBBE. CANDY LOGISTICS, LTD., A KENYAN FIRM, HAS WELDED METAL SHIELDS TO THE FIFTY APC'S AND IS STILL IN THE PROCESS OF PAINTING THE SHIELDS WHITE.

3. OVER THE WEEKEND QUELL MET WITH UNAMIR COMMANDER DALLAIRE AT ENTEBBE. DALLAIRE WOULD LIKE TWENTY OF THE FIFTY APC'S TO BE TRANSPORTED TO KIGALI BY NEXT WEEK. TWO RECOVERY VEHICLES WILL BE MOVED FIRST (ONE FOR THE UGANDA/RWANDA BORDER AND ONE FOR KIGALI). COMMANDER DALLAIRE HAS LEFT A PROCUREMENT OFFICER BEHIND IN ENTEBBE TO SETTLE TRANSPORT AND CONTRACTUAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR UNAMIR. THE OFFICER IS CURRENTLY IN NEGOTIATION WITH LOCAL COMPANIES FOR THE TRANSPORT OF THE APC'S TO KIGALI. THE UN PLANS TO PURCHASE FUEL (6,000 GALLONS) FOR THE APC'S TO BE SENT TO RWANDA

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WITH THE VEHICLES. UNAMIR WILL TRANSPORT THE AMMUNITION BY AIR TO KIGALI.

4. WE HAVE RECEIVED A FAX FROM SCOTT AIRFORCE BASE THAT A C-5A TRANSPORT PLANE WILL ARRIVE IN ENTEBBE AT 0530Z ON FRIDAY, JULY 15TH. THE FLIGHT WILL CARRY REPLACEMENT PARTS FOR THE APC'S AND SUPPLIES FOR THE GHANIAN TROOPS. QUELL WILL REMAIN IN ENTEBBE UNTIL THE FLIGHT HAS ARRIVED AND ITS CONTENTS HAVE BEEN SIGNED OVER TO SMITH OF UNAMIR.

5. COMMENT: GIVEN THAT A TRANSPORT CONTRACT IS NOT YET IN PLACE, WE EXPECT THE MOVEMENT OF THE APC'S WILL BE SLOWER THAN GENERAL DALLAIRE WOULD LIKE. END COMMENT.

6. WE WILL KEEP DEPARTMENT AND USUN INFORMED ON THE MOVEMENT OF THIS EQUIPMENT.

7. MINIMIZE CONSIDERED. CARSON

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