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ON 15 NOVEMBER AT A PUBLIC MEETING HE HELD IN RUHENGARI,

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SERIAL: EA1712110592

COUNTRY: RWANDA

SUBJ: RPF DETAILS GOVERNMENT EFFORT TO DISRUPT PEACE EFFORTS

SOURCE: (CLANDESTINE) RADIO MUHABURA IN KINYARWANDA TO RWANDA  
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TEXT:

((TEXT)) ((ANNOUNCEMENT)) FROM THE RWANDAN PATRIOTIC FRONT  
((RPF))--REBEL HIGH COMMAND. THE RPF WISHES TO TELL RWANDANS OF THE  
WAY THEY SEE THE POLITICAL PROBLEMS IN RWANDA AND THEIR CONSEQUENCES  
FOR THE ARUSHA TALKS. THESE POLITICAL PROBLEMS STEM FROM THE LITTLE  
UNDERSTANDING WITHIN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE INSECURITY BEING PROMOTED  
BY THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL MOVEMENT FOR DEMOCRACY AND DEVELOPMENT  
((MRND))--((PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA'S PARTY)) AND ITS PRESIDENT, AND  
THE INTERFERENCE OF THE FRENCH SOLDIERS IN THE RWANDAN PEOPLE'S  
AFFAIRS.

PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA IS OPENLY OBSTRUCTING GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.  
THIS IS SHOWN IN HIS ACTIONS AGAINST THOSE OF THE PRIME MINISTER,  
AND IN THE WAY HE DIRECTS MINISTERS FROM THE MRND PARTY TO OBSTRUCT  
DECISIONS WHICH SHOULD BE REACHED UNANIMOUSLY IN THE COUNCIL OF  
MINISTERS. HABYARIMANA AND HIS COLLABORATORS ARE ENDEAVORING TO  
STAY IN POWER BY ATTEMPTING TO SABOTAGE THE MULTIPARTY DEMOCRACY AND  
THE ARUSHA TALKS.

PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA SAID THAT THE ARUSHA TALKS WERE WORTHLESS. HE  
WENT ON TO ASSERT THAT THOSE REPRESENTING THE GOVERNMENT IN THE  
ARUSHA NEGOTIATIONS DID NOT HAVE THE MANDATE TO DO SO. HOWEVER, AS  
HE REFUSES TO GIVE SUCH A MANDATE, HE CONTRADICTS HIMSELF WHEN HE  
TELLS THE WORLD THAT HE SUPPORTS THE ARUSHA TALKS. THROUGH ALL  
THESE TRICKS, PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA WANTS THE PEACE TALKS TO BE  
FIRST APPROVED BY EITHER THE NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL ((CND))  
OR THROUGH A REFERENDUM. THIS MEANS THAT HE WILL EVEN FIND WAYS OF  
DESTROYING ANYTHING AGREED UPON IN ARUSHA.

THE MRND REGIME, WHICH IS UNABLE TO PROVIDE MUCH SECURITY, USED  
THE BEGINNING OF THE WAR TO INCREASE PROBLEMS AND KILLINGS IN THE  
COUNTRY. INNOCENTS, INCLUDING FOREIGNERS, DIED, WHILE HUNDREDS OF  
OTHERS WERE DISPLACED. THIS HAPPENED AND IS STILL HAPPENING IN ALL  
THE COMMUNES OF RWANDA.

THE CRIMINALS BEING USED BY THE MRND REGIME ARE BEING TRAINED AND  
ARMED JUST LIKE AN ARMY, AND WHILE THEY PERPETRATE THEIR CRIMES THEY  
RECEIVE ARMY SUPPORT. THE MRND, THE COALITION FOR THE DEFENSE OF  
THE REPUBLIC ((CDR)) AND THEIR SUPPORTERS DO NOT HESITATE TO BOAST  
ABOUT THESE CRIMES IN PUBLIC MEETINGS AND ANYWHERE THEY HAVE THE  
CHANCE TO ADDRESS RWANDANS. THIS IS THE INSECURITY WHICH THE  
HABYARIMANA REGIME CONTINUES TO ENTRENCH IN ORDER TO CONTINUE  
OBSTRUCTING ANY PEACE PROCESS ((WORDS INDISTINCT)).

IN ALL OF THIS, WE ARE SURPRISED BY THE WAY FRANCE, WHICH CLAIMS  
TO CHAMPION HUMAN RIGHTS, SENDS ITS ARMY TO SUPPORT A DICTATORIAL  
REGIME WHICH CONTINUES ((WORDS INDISTINCT)). WHILE RWANDANS ARE  
HOPING FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE TALKS, THE FRENCH CONTINUE TO SUPPORT  
HABYARIMANA IN HIS BID TO PERPETUATE THE WAR. THIS HAS BECOME  
OBVIOUS TO EVERYONE, AS THE FRENCH TROOPS HAVE NOW STARTED CLASHING  
WITH THE MILITARY OBSERVER GROUP ((MOG)), THE OAU NEUTRAL MILITARY  
OBSERVER GROUP, IN THE COURSE OF THEIR DUTIES TO MONITOR THE CEASE-  
FIRE AGREEMENT. BUT WHAT THE FRENCH TROOPS ARE DOING IS TOTALLY

CONTRARY TO WHAT THEY CLAIMED THEY HAD COME TO DO. INSTEAD, IT IS  
OBVIOUS THAT THEY ARE IN RWANDA INTERFERING WITH RWANDAN PROBLEMS  
WHICH SHOULD BE SOLVED BY THE RWANDANS THEMSELVES. SECOND, THIS IS  
CONTRARY TO THE CEASE-FIRE AGREEMENT. THIRD, THIS ENABLES THE  
DICTATORIAL REGIME TO REFUSE TO ACCEPT THE DEMOCRATIC AND PEACE  
PROCESSES. FOURTH, THIS WILL CONTINUE TO BE AN OBSTACLE TO PEACE  
AGREEMENTS AND THEIR IMPLEMENTATION.

EVEN AS THESE PROBLEMS STILL PREVAIL, WE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT  
STRONGLY THE POLITICAL CONSULTATIONS THAT SHOULD LEAD US TO PEACE.  
WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK ALL THE COUNTRIES AND  
INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WHICH SUPPORT THE PEACE PROCESS,  
ESPECIALLY THE OBSERVER COUNTRIES, NAMELY TANZANIA, THE UNITED  
STATES, BELGIUM, FRANCE, SENEGAL, NIGERIA, ZAIRE, ZIMBABWE, MALI,  
BURUNDI, UGANDA, THE UNITED NATIONS, AND THE OAU. WE HAVE SPECIAL  
THANKS FOR RELIGIOUS LEADERS IN RWANDA FOR THE PART THEY ARE PLAYING  
IN THE SEARCH FOR PEACE IN THE COUNTRY, AND WE HOPE THEY WILL KEEP  
UP THEIR ENDEAVORS.

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COUNTRY: RWANDA

SUBJ: COMMUNIQUE OUTLINES RESULTS OF PEACE TALKS

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RPF-RWANDA TALKS

SOURCE: KIGALI RADIODIFFUSION NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE RWANDAISE  
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TEXT:

((EXCERPT)) THE FIRST PART OF THE SECOND PHASE OF POLITICAL TALKS  
BETWEEN THE RWANDAN GOVERNMENT AND THE RWANDAN PATRIOTIC FRONT  
((RPF)) ADJOURNED YESTERDAY EVENING. HOWEVER, THEY ARE SCHEDULED TO  
RESUME ON 5 OCTOBER AND CONTINUE UNTIL THE 15TH. THE RWANDAN  
DELEGATION TO THE TALKS, LED BY THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND  
COOPERATION, BONIFACE NGULINZIRA, RETURNED THIS EVENING. BALHAZAR  
NDUWAYEZU REPORTS:

((BEGIN NDUWAYEZU RECORDING)) THE JOINT COMMUNIQUE, WHICH WAS  
PUBLISHED AT THE END OF THE PROCEEDINGS, SAYS THAT THE TWO PARTIES  
AGREED ON SEVERAL POINTS, BUT IN PARTICULAR, THEY ACCEPTED THE  
PRINCIPLE OF POWER SHARING IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE BROAD BASED

TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT, WHOSE IMPLEMENTATION METHODS WILL BE  
DECIDED IN AGREEMENT PROTOCOLS AND CONSIST OF:

(1) KEEPING THE CURRENT ((WORD INDISTINCT)) OF THE TRANSITIONAL  
GOVERNMENT, INCLUDING APPROPRIATE CHANGES TO BE JOINTLY AGREED UPON

((2)) THE PROTOCOLS WITH A VIEW TO FACILITATING THE PARTICIPATION OF  
THE RPF AND OTHER POLITICAL FORCES IN THE COUNTRY.

((2)) THE JOINTLY AGREED APPROPRIATE CHANGES TO BE MADE IN THE  
SPHERE OF STATE POWERS WITH A VIEW TO ALLOWING THE RPF AND OTHER  
POLITICAL FORCES IN THE COUNTRY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE EFFICIENT  
MANAGEMENT OF THE TRANSITION WHILE RESPECTING THE PRINCIPLE OF THE  
SEPARATION OF POWERS.

THE JOINT COMMUNIQUE ALSO CLARIFIES THAT THE TWO PARTIES AGREED  
THAT THE STATE INSTITUTIONS DURING THE TRANSITIONAL PERIOD ((WORDS  
INDISTINCT)) THE PRESIDENCY, THE BROAD BASED TRANSITIONAL  
GOVERNMENT, THE TRANSITIONAL ASSEMBLY, AND THE JUDICIARY.

THE TWO PARTIES ALSO ACCEPTED THE PRINCIPLE OF SETTING UP BROAD  
BASED SPECIALIZED COMMISSIONS DURING THE TRANSITIONAL PERIOD AND  
AGREED THAT ALL THE QUESTIONS RELATED TO POWER SHARING WOULD BE THE  
OBJECT OF NEGOTIATIONS AT THE NEXT MEETING DUE TO BE HELD FROM 5 TO  
15 OCTOBER.

IN ADDITION TO THE NEXT ROUND OF TALKS, THE TWO PARTIES AGREED  
THAT THE POLITICAL AND MILITARY COMMISSION WOULD HOLD ITS ORDINARY  
MEETING IN ADDIS ABABA BETWEEN 25 AND 27 SEPTEMBER. AT THE SAME  
TIME, A CONSULTATIVE MEETING OF MILITARY EXPERTS WILL TAKE PLACE TO  
EXCHANGE VIEWS ON THE TECHNICAL ASPECTS OF FORMING A NATIONAL ARMY  
FROM ((WORD INDISTINCT)) TWO PARTIES BY ((WORD INDISTINCT)) THE  
POLITICAL NEGOTIATIONS ON THE TWO QUESTIONS. ((PASSAGE OMITTED))  
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