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THIS UPDATE COVERS THE 24-HOUR PERIOD CONCLUDED AT MIDNIGHT 20 APRIL 2000.
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GNJILANE REGION

ARSON

Urosevac-2158 hrs. An Albanian male reported that his house was burnt while he was away. Investigation is ongoing.

ASSAULT

Urosevac-1500 hrs. An Albanian male and an Albanian female assaulted a Moldavian female.

ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF WEAPON

Urosevac-0727 hrs. KFOR detained an Albanian male for illegal possession of four hand grenades.

MITROVICA REGION

ASSAULT

Mitrovica South 1230 hrs. Three unidentified Albanian males assaulted an Albanian male. The victim sustained minor injuries.

INTIMIDATION

Mitrovica North -1730 hrs. A Serb threatened an UNMIK Police Language Assistant. The incident occurred while the suspect was arrested for intoxication and take to the Mitrovica North Police Station.

Mitrovica South -0935 hrs. Unidentified suspect threatened a Serb. The suspect spoke Albanian and threatened to burn the house owned by the victim.

IMMORAL ENGAGEMENT

Mitrovica North -1725 hrs. Four suspected female prostitutes and two male intermediaries were detained. The investigation is ongoing.

ARMED ASSAULT

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Vucitrn-0230 hrs. Unidentified suspects shot at OSCE HQ. UNMIK Police responded to the scene. No injuries or arrests were reported.

HUNGER STRIKE

Mitrovica Detention Center. Thirty nine Serb prisoners have been continuing their hunger strike. Five sick prisoners refused to take medicine.

PEC REGION

INTIMIDATION

Two Albanian males threatened one Albanian male. The suspects demanded money or a vehicle owned by the victim. The investigation is ongoing.

PRISTINA REGION

ROBBERY

Podujevo -2330 hrs. Two suspects wearing masks stopped one Albanian male and demanded money. The victim paid some money and the suspects left the scene.

ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF WEAPON

Pristina 0845 hrs. In two separate incidents two Albanian males were arrested for illegal possession of a handgun and ammunition.

MURDER (follow up)

Pristina-1445 hrs. In the course of the investigation of the murder of a KPC/TMK member, on 17 April, a planned search operation was conducted at nine private accommodations in the Sunny Hill area. Two suspects were detained and a significant quantity of arms and ammunition was confiscated.

DEMONSTRATION

Pristina-1200 hrs. There was a peaceful demonstration on Mother Teresa Street in protest of the continued imprisonment of Albanians in Serbia. Approximately 300 Albanians participated in the demonstration.

PRIZREN REGION

ARMED ROBBERY

Grejkoc 0200 hrs. Six masked males, armed with machine guns, entered an Albanian occupied house and threatened an Albanian female. The suspects demanded money and gold. The suspects searched the house and took a large sum of cash and some jewelry. The victim was not injured.

ILLEGAL BORDER CROSSING

Krusevo-0915 hrs. KFOR detained two Albanian males for illegal border crossing. UNMIK Police went to the spot to provide assistance. Initial investigation revealed that the suspects could be involved in several car theft cases.

BORDER POLICE

ARMED ROBBERY

General Jankovic-0700 hrs. Border Patrol officers received a report of an armed robbery in the taxi parking area. The suspects left in the victim's vehicle and were detained by KFOR. The suspects also assaulted another taxi driver, accusing him of transporting Serbs.

DAILY INCIDENT REPORTS

INCIDENT	REPORTED
MURDER	0
KIDNAPPING	0
ARSON	1
THREAT/INTIMIDATION	5
GRIEVOUS ASSAULT	0
SIMPLE ASSAULT	5
EVICTON	8
ROBBERY	2
BURGLARY	15
THEFT	12
AUTO THEFT	20
CRIMINAL DAMAGE	2
LOOTING	1
RAPE	0
SHOOTING/GUNFIRE	0
BOMB THREATS	0
ILLEGAL WEAPONS	2
UXO/MINE/GRENADE	2
PEOPLE INJURED	0
PEOPLE KILLED	0
NEW MASS GRAVE SITE	0
MISSING PERSON	2
DEAD BODIES	0
TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS	24
CURFEW VIOLATIONS	25
ARRESTS	11
DETAINEES	302

KOSOVO POLICE SERVICE

REGIONS	STRENGTH
PRISTINA	178
GNJILANE	49
PRIZREN	40
MITROVICA	38
PEC	36
IN TRAINING	235
TOTAL DEPLOYED	341

UNMIK POLICE

ASSIGNMENT	STRENGTH
IN THEATRE	3135
DEPLOYED	2741
IN TRAINING	245
MAIN HQ	138
KPS	137
ITC	35
PRISTINA	659
GNJILANE	385
PRIZREN	343
MITROVICA	533
PEC	158
BORDER POLICE	206

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