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TAGS: PGOV, RW

SUBJECT: DIPLOMATS REVIEW INSTALLATION ISSUES

1. GERMAN AMBASSADOR INVITED SECRETARY GENERAL'S SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE BOOH BOOH, OAU'S FELLI, EEC AND WORLD BANK REPS, AND WESTERN OBSERVERS TO LUNCH, THURSDAY, 3/10, WITH PATRIOTIC FRONT'S MAZIMHAKA, PRIME MINISTER-DESIGNATE TWAGIRAMUNGU AND PRESIDENTIAL COUNSELOR RENZAHO. AMBASSADOR RENZAHO DID NOT SHOW UP; THE REST OF THE TABLE REVIEWED STATUS OF NEGOTIATIONS ON INSTALLATION OF THE ARUSHA ACCORD.

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- 2. PM-DESIGNATE SAID MOST PARTIES WERE READY FOR INSTALLATION OF INSTITUTIONS. HE HAD A WORKABLE SOLUTION FOR HIS OWN PARTY, THOUGH HE WOULD NOT REVEAL DETAILS. SINCE HE HAD CONSULTED WITH BOTH SIDES OF THE LIBERAL PARTY CONCERNING THEIR MINISTERIAL CANDIDATES, HE COULD NOW NAME THE MINISTERS; HE THOUGHT RPF WOULD HAVE TO ACCEPT A 6/5 COMPROMISE AMONG LIBERAL DEPUTIES. IN REPONSE TO A QUERY FROM THE U.S. AMBASSADOR, THE PM SAID THAT THE COMMITTEE FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC (CDR) DEPUTY SHOULD BE SWORN IN WITH THE REST OF THE ASSEMBLY, EVEN THOUGH CDR'S SIGNATURE ON THE PARTY CODE OF CONDUCT HAD NOT BEEN VALIDATED BY THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT. WHAT MATTERED WAS THAT CDR HAD NOW AGREED TO PLAY BY ARUSHA RULES.
- 3. PATRIOTIC FRONT'S MAZIMHAKA SAID THEIR PARTY WAS READY FOR INSTALLATION, INDEED EVERYONE WAS READY EXCEPT PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA, THE ONLY ONE BLOCKING CONFIDENTIAL

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KIGALI 01040 101542Z PAGE 03 INSTALLATION. IT WAS TIME FOR THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY TO ADMIT THIS. JUST AS THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY HAD PUT PRESSURE ON THE PRESIDENT TO SIGN AT ARUSHA IN AUGUST, SO NOW IT SHOULD TWIST HIS ARM A BIT HARDER TO GET HIM TO INSTALL THE INSTITUTIONS. U.S. AMBASSADOR COMMENTED THAT IT SOUNDED LIKE SOME PARTIES WANTED TO IMPOSE THEIR SOLUTION ON THE PRESIDENT AND HIS ALLIES. THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR SAID THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY HELD ALL RWANDAN POLITICAL LEADERS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE IMPASSE; RWANDANS WERE MISGUIDED IF THEY THOUGHT THEY COULD COUNT ON THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY FOREVER. MINISTER BOOH BOOH SAID THAT THE UN WAS THINKING OF PULLING OUT. U.S. AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT THE ARUSHA ACCORD WAS, IN ITS TOTALITY, A COMPROMISE WORKED OUT BY RWANDAN PARTIES, NOT BY THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY. IT WAS TIME FOR RWANDANS TO IMPLEMENT THE ACCORD.

4. MINISTER BOOH BOOH TOLD U.S. AMBASSADOR THAT HE AND TANZANIAN AMBASSADOR TAMBWE WOULD BE SEEING THE PRESIDENT TOMORROW MORNING, 3/11, TO COMMUNICATE RPF'S POSITION AND PRESS FOR EARLY RESOLUTION OF THE IMPASSE. TANZANIAN FOREIGN MINISTER IS COMING TO

TOWN TOMORROW, HOPEFULLY TO PUT THE WRAPS ON A DEAL. THE BELGIAN DEFENSE MINISTER IS ALSO IN TOWN, 3/10-12, AND WILL CALL ON POLITICAL PARTY LEADERS AS WELL AS REVIEW BELGIUM'S UNAMIR CONTINGENT. OBSERVERS AND FACILITATORS WILL MEET AT U.S. RESIDENCE TOMORROW AFTERNOON TO GET A READOUT OF MEETING WITH PRESIDENT AND PLAN NEXT STEPS. CONFIDENTIAL

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