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FOR YOUR INFORMATION: UGANDA RADIO BEHAVIOR

LD131212 REF LD138788 (FYI ON RADIO BEHAVIOR)

EAU REPORTS THAT KAMPALA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN ENGLISH, BROADCASTING ON 4976 KHZ, HAS SO FAR GIVEN NO DEFINITE TIME FOR THE ARRIVAL OF PRESIDENT LULE IN KAMPALA. NEWSCASTS CONTINUE TO SAY THAT HE IS EXPECTED IN KAMPALA "ANY TIME TODAY."

MORNING PROGRAMMING HAS DEVOTED MAINLY TO CARRYING RELIGIOUS

MUSIC FOR GOOD FRIDAY AND POPULAR MUSIC. NEWSCASTS WERE CARRIED AT 8485, 8780 8988;

EAU ALSO NOTES THAT SOROTI IN ENGLISH TO UGANDA AND EAST AFRICA, THE PRO-AMIN STATION ON 6838KHZ PURPORTING TO BROADCAST FROM KAMPALA, IS UNTRACED ON ALL KNOWN FREQUENCIES AS OF 1830 GMT;

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REF WA978 ON SOURCELINE FOR AMIN'S BROADCAST

IT MAY BE ACADEMIC AS THE RADIO HASN'T YET BEEN HEARD TODAY;

BUT WE MOVE TO TECHNOCRACY AND OPT FOR SORTI SOURCELINE SUGGESTED

IN WA761; 13/1141Z APR

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KAMPALA RADIO DEADLINE FOR AMIN TROOPS 'FAST APPROACHING'

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KAMPALA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN ENGLISH 0400 GMT 13 APR 79 LD/FA

((TEXT)) THE DEADLINE WHICH THE UGANDA LIBERATION FORCES HAVE GIVEN TO IDI AMIN'S SOLDIERS TO SURRENDER IS FAST APPROACHING. IN AN ANNOUNCEMENT YESTERDAY IDI AMIN'S SOLDIERS WERE GIVEN UP TO 12 HOURS TO SURRENDER BEFORE OFFICERS OF THE LIBERATION FORCES OR ELSE THEY WOULD BE DEALT WITH SEVERELY AS ENEMIES OF FREE UGANDA.

IDI AMIN HIMSELF COULD NOT BE TRACED ANYWHERE IN UGANDA YESTERDAY AND THE TRANSMITTER STATION AT SOROTI, WHICH HE HAD USED THE DAY BEFORE YESTERDAY TO DISGUISE HIS WHEREABOUTS,

indicates that those so-called "LIVE" speeches were pre-recorded as airport. Thus, SOROTI was originating source.
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POWER RESTORED TO 'MOST PARTS' OF 'QUIET' KAMPALA

LD 130732

KAMPALA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN ENGLISH 0400 GMT 13 APR 79 LD/FA

((TEXT)) POWER, WHICH WAS CUT DURING THE FIGHTING IN KAMPALA 2 DAYS AGO, HAS BEEN RESTORED IN MOST PARTS OF THE CITY.

THE CITY OF KAMPALA WAS QUIET LAST NIGHT, WITH OCCASIONAL BURSTS OF ULULATION SPRINGING UP UNCONTROLLABLY FROM THE MASSES.

THERE WAS NO FIRING OF GUNS AND SMALL ARMS FOR THE MOST TIME

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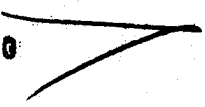
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FOR YOUR INFORMATION: UGANDA RADIO BEHAVIOR

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KAMPALA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN ENGLISH ON 4970 KHZ COMES ON THE AIR AT 0300 GMT WITH A PROGRAM OF POPULAR MUSIC. THE 0400 GMT NEWSCAST CONSISTS FOR THE MOST PART OF REPEATS OF YESTERDAY'S MAIN ITEMS; EXPLAINING LULE'S ABSENCE FROM KAMPALA YESTERDAY, THE NEWSCASTER SAYS THAT HE IS DUE IN THE CAPITAL "ANY TIME TODAY." IN AN ANNOUNCEMENT AT 0524 GMT THE RADIO REPEATS THAT LULE AND HIS CABINET WILL ARRIVE "ANY TIME" AND URGES PEOPLE TO TURN OUT IN LARGE NUMBERS TO WELCOME THEM;

THE PRO-AMIN RADIO ON 6830 KHZ PRESUMABLY BROADCASTING FROM SOROVI IS UNTRACED;



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REF WA761, LD951 ON KAMPALA SOURCELINE:

UNDERSTAND YOUR DESIRE TO RETAIN CONTINUITY IN USE OF SOURCE LINES IN WHAT IT APPEARS COULD BE A CONTINUOUSLY CHANGING SITUATION FOR SOME TIME TO COME. HOWEVER, BELIEVE IT ALSO DESIRABLE THAT SOURCE LINE USAGE REFLECT AS CLOSELY AS POSSIBLE THE ACTUAL BROADCAST CIRCUMSTANCE.

THE KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE SOURCE LINE DOES NOT ACCURATELY REFLECT THE ORIGINATION NOR THE INTENDED AUDIENCE OF THESE BROADCASTS. AGREE THAT CONSUMERS PROBABLY FIND IT EASY TO IDENTIFY THE OPPOSING FORCES IN UGANDA WITH THE DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL OUTLETS OF ~~OF~~ THE NATIONAL RADIO, BUT CANNOT AGREE THAT THIS IS SUFFICIENT REASON FOR RETAINING THE INTERNATIONAL SERVICE SOURCE LINE.

ALSO AGREE THAT AMIN'S BROADCAST STUDIO MAY NOT BE IN SOROTI. HE MAY BE USING A MOBILE TRANSMITTER OR ONE OF THE LOWER POWERED LOCAL TRANSMITTERS TO BEAM HIS BROADCASTS TO SOROTI FOR RELAY VIA THE SOROTI TRANSMITTER. BY THE SAME TOKEN, WE DO NOT KNOW FOR CERTAIN THAT HIS STUDIO IS NOT IN SOROTI.

IN THIS SITUATION WE HAVE TWO ALTERNATIVES: WE CAN ADOPT A "(STUDIO LOCATION UNCERTAIN) IN (LANGUAGE) TO UGANDA AND EAST AFRICA" SOURCE LINE (I'M TOLD THIS HAS BEEN USED ON RARE OCCASIONS.) OR WE CAN ADOPT THE SOROTI SOURCE LINE. WE WOULD PREFER TO USE THE LATTER AND INCLUDE AN EXPLANATORY SUBSLUG TO THE EFFECT THAT THIS PRO-AMIN RADIO IS UTILIZING THE TRANSMITTER FACILITIES OF THE FORMER KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN SOROTI BUT PURPORTS TO BE BROADCASTING FROM KAMPALA.

THIS IS A SITUATION IN WHICH THERE APPEARS TO BE NO FULLY "CORRECT" WAY TO DO THINGS. HOPEFULLY, AMIN'S DAYS ARE NUMBERED AND THE ANOMALY WILL DISAPPEAR QUICKLY. 12/2220Z APR

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FOR YOUR INFORMATION: KAMPALA RADIO BEHAVIOR

LD122822 REF LD121842 (FYI) KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE BEHAVIOR)

EAU ADVISES THAT KAMPALA DOMESTIC SERVICE, BROADCASTING ON 4976 KHZ, SIGNED OFF FOR THE NIGHT AT 1930 GMT. UNTIL SIGNOFF THE STATION HAD BEEN CARRYING LIGHT MUSIC; THE 1900 GMT NEWSCAST WAS BROADCAST AS SCHEDULED.

AS OF 1930 GMT KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN ENGLISH, ON 6830 KHZ, HAD NOT BEEN HEARD SINCE GOING OFF THE AIR AT 1800 GMT. EAU WILL ATTEMPT TO MONITOR THE STATION AGAIN ON 13 APRIL. 12/2827Z APR

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REF WA961 ON SOURCELINE FOR AMIN'S BROADCASTS
 INTRODUCTION OF "SOROTI" OR ANY OTHER ELEMENT INTO THE
 SOURCELINE AT THIS TIME WOULD, IN OUR VIEW, DO PRECISELY WHAT
 WE BOTH AGREE WE WANT TO AVOID--CONFUSE THE CONSUMER. COPY AND
 EXPLANATORY NOTES FILED YESTERDAY WERE QUITE EXPLICIT, MAKING IT
 CLEAR THAT THE ANTI-AMIN FORCES WERE IN CONTROL OF THE DOMESTIC
 RADIO FACILITIES AND THAT AMIN WAS IN CONTROL OF THE INTERNATIONAL
 BROADCAST FACILITIES. NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS AND THE PRESS AGENCIES
 HAVE MADE THIS CLEAR AS WELL. BY THIS MORNING RECIPIENTS INTERESTED
 IN UGANDAN AFFAIRS COULD EASILY DISTINGUISH THE COPY BY SIMPLE
 RECOGNITION OF "DOMESTIC" AND "INTERNATIONAL." THOUGH TECHNICALLY
 THE USE OF KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL MAY BE MISLEADING, INTRODUCTION
 OF THE SOROTI SOURCELINE AT THIS TIME WOULD, IN OUR VIEW, BE
 JUST AS MISLEADING OR EVEN MORE SO AS IT IMPLIES A NEW DEVELOPMENT
 TO THE CONSUMER WHEN IN FACT NOTHING HAS CHANGED.

WHILE THE UGANDA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE TRANSMITTER IS
 IN SOROTI, DON'T KNOW THAT THE "STUDIO FROM WHICH THE BROADCASTS
 ARE COMING IS ALSO THERE." WORLD RADIO AND TV HANDBOOK FOR 1978

LISTS A REGIONAL STATION IN BUTOBO, WHICH APPEARS TO BE CLOSER TO KAMPALA AND JINJA, WHERE AMIN HAS MOST FREQUENTLY BEEN REPORTED, THAN SOROTI;

AS FOR THE ASSUMPTION THAT THIS SITUATION COULD EXIST FOR SOME TIME, BY THE SAME TOKEN THE SITUATION COULD CHANGE WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS AND THEN WE WOULD AGAIN HAVE TO CHANGE SOURCE LINES; THIS WOULD CERTAINLY BE THE CASE IF THE ANTI-AMIN FORCES TOOK OVER THE INTERNATIONAL FACILITIES;

SHOULD POINT OUT THAT THIS VERY ISSUE AROSE AT BBC MORNING MEETING, AND AFTER DISCUSSION IT WAS DECIDED TO STAND FAST RATHER THAN EMBARK PRECIPITOUSLY ON WHAT COULD BECOME PATTERN OF CONSTANTLY CHANGING SOURCE LINES; RLS ADVISE; 12/1805Z APR

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AGREE WITH YOUR ASSESSMENT OF THE PROBLEM BUT PREFER TO AVOID ASCRIBING THE ORIGIN OF AMIN'S BROADCASTS AS KAMPALA. BECAUSE AMIN'S STUDIO AND TRANSMITTER ALMOST CERTAINLY ARE STILL LOCATED AT SOROTI, SUGGEST USE OF SOURCELINE: "SOROTI IN (LANGUAGE) TO UGANDA AND EAST AFRICA" WITH THE SUBSLUG: "(PRO-AMIN STATION ON 6030 KHZ PURPORTING TO BROADCAST FROM KAMPALA)." (INCLUSION OF THE FREQUENCY IS OPTIONAL.)

ALTHOUGH THE KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL SOURCELINE DOES PROVIDE CONTINUITY WITH PREVIOUS USE OF THE TRANSMITTER IT IS, AS A SOURCELINE, MISLEADING. A CLANDESTINE SOURCELINE, AS YOU POINT OUT, IS DIFFICULT TO USE BECAUSE WE KNOW THE STATION LOCATION, AND IT IS INSIDE THE COUNTRY IT PURPORTS TO BE BROADCASTING FROM, ALTHOUGH OUTSIDE THE AREA OF CONTROL OF THE FORCES CONTROLLING THE CAPITAL.

BELIEVE THAT USE OF STATION LOCATION AND PRESUMED TARGETS CLARIFIES ACTUAL SITUATION IN SOURCELINE AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE WITHOUT GETTING INVOLVED IN THE DOMESTIC SERVICE/INTERNATIONAL SERVICE MUDDLE. ALSO BELIEVE THIS IS NECESSARY NOW SINCE THIS SITUATION CONCEIVABLY COULD EXIST FOR SOME TIME TO COME. APPRECIATE YOUR COMMENTS. 12/1542Z APR

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AMIN IS USING THE FORMER INTERNATIONAL SERVICE SHORTWAVE TRANSMITTER OF HIGH POWER AT SIROTI AND, FROM RECENT PRESS REPORTS, A MOBILE TRANSMITTER OF LOW POWER/STUDIO SOMEWHERE NORTH OF THE KAMPALA AREA BUT NEAR THE SIROTI AREA.

ALTHOUGH TECHNICALLY POSSIBLE, WE HAVE NO EVIDENCE THAT AMIN BROADCASTS ARE ORIGINATING FROM THE TRANSMITTER SITE AT SIROTI. IN ORDER TO REFLECT THE ACTUAL SITUATION WHICH MAY PERSIST FOR AWHILE, WE PROPOSE THE FOLLOWING SOURCELINE AS A REPLACEMENT FOR THE ONE PROPOSED THIS MORNING BEFORE WE LEARNED ABOUT ~~THE~~ USE OF THE MOBILE TRANSMITTER/STUDIO: "(STUDIO LOCATION UNCERTAIN) IN (LANGUAGE) TO UGANDA AND EAST AFRICA" WITH THE SUBSLUG: "(PRO-AMIN MOBILE FACILITY VIA FORMER INTERNATIONAL SERVICE TRANSMITTER IN SIROTI BUT PURPORTING TO BROADCAST FROM KAMPALA)."

THIS SOURCELINE REFLECTS THE FACT THAT THE THRUST OF AMIN BROADCASTS THUS FAR HAS BEEN TO UGANDA BUT IT ALSO REFLECTS THE POSSIBILITY THAT THOSE BROADCASTS ARE NOW AND IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE ALSO INTENDED FOR NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES, SUCH AS TANZANIA, KENYA, ETC.

ASSUME WE WILL BE INFORMED OF ANY NOTICEABLE CHANGE IN TRANSMISSION CHARACTERISTICS OF THE FORMER INTERNATIONAL SERVICE SHORTWAVE TRANSMITTER OF HIGH POWER AT SIROTI. WE ASSUME THE SAME TRANSMITTER IS BEING USED BY AMIN. WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE KNOWING EAU'S CAPABILITY TO RECEIVE BROADCASTS FROM THE SEVERAL 100-KILOWATT LOCAL TRANSMITTERS AT KAMPALA AND OTHER AREAS OF UGANDA.

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REF WA749 ON KAMPALA SOURCELINE#7

PRESENT SITUATION IN UGANDA, WITH THE LIBERATION FORCES USING THE DOMESTIC SERVICE FACILITIES AND AMIN USING THE FORMER INTERNATIONAL SERVICE FACILITIES; RAISES SOME POTENTIALLY THORNY PROBLEMS AS FAR AS SOURCELINE FOR THE AMIN STATION; WHILE THE CLAIM IS MADE ON THE AMIN STATION THAT THE BROADCASTS ARE COMING FROM KAMPALA, IT IS OBVIOUS FROM CORRESPONDENTS' REPORTS THAT AMIN HAS LEFT THE CITY; HOWEVER, WE HAVE NO FIRM INDICATION AS TO WHERE AMIN IS OR WHERE HE MIGHT BE BROADCASTING FROM (AMIN CLAIMED IN HIS ADDRESS TO THE NATION LAST NIGHT THAT HE WAS "SPEAKING HERE IN KAMPALA," AND A STATION ANNOUNCER THIS MORNING SAID "THIS IS MONICA MULUMBA IN KAMPALA");

WHILE A CLANDESTINE SOURCELINE MIGHT BE INDICATED IN SUCH CASES, AS IN THE CASE OF PHNOM PENH; THERE IS LITTLE OR NOTHING ON WHICH TO BASE A CLANDESTINE SOURCELINE; GIVEN THE FACT THAT AMIN'S USE OF RADIO UGANDA'S EXTERNAL SERVICE TRANSMITTER HAS ALREADY BEEN REPORTED (WNS18048 LONDON REUTER ENGLISH 112036-2

UGANDA; AMIN CLAIMS HE IS STILL IN CONTROL); PROPOSE TO CONTINUE USING "KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN ENGLISH" FOR THIS RADIO; WITH SUBSLUG ((PRO-AMIN RADIO ON 6030 KHZ)); UNTIL THERE IS SOME FURTHER CHANGE IN BROADCASTING PATTERNS;

WHILE THE BROADCASTS ARE OBVIOUSLY NOT INTENDED STRICTLY OR EVEN PRIMARILY FOR ABROAD; BELIEVE USE OF "INTERNATIONAL SERVICE" WOULD BE THE clearest way TO DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN THE TWO RADIOS IN UGANDA AND AVOID THE NEED TO USE A NEW SOURCELINE WHICH MIGHT POSSIBLY CONFUSE CONSUMERS; 12/1242Z APR

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REF LD 111405 ON KAMPALA RADIO BEHAVIOR :

CONCUR IN USE OF KAMPALA DOMESTIC SERVICE SOURCELINE FOR BROADCASTS ON 4976 KHZ.

UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES, IF THE AMIN FORCES SHOULD BRING UP ANOTHER STATION CLAIMING TO OPERATE FROM KAMPALA, IT SHOULD BE GIVEN A "CLANDESTINE" SOURCELINE WITH APPROPRIATE EXPLANATORY SUBSLUGS. 11/163Z APR

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