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~~(S//NF)~~ 1. FIGHTING PICKED UP AGAIN TODAY IN MONROVIA. AT MID- MORNING, INTENSE HEAVY WEAPONS AND MACHINE GUN FIRE WAS HEARD ON MAMBA POINT FROM THE DIRECTION OF PRESIDENT SAMUEL K. ((DOE))'S EXECUTIVE MANSION. BEFORE DAWN, MACHINE GUN TRACERS WERE SEEN COMING FROM THE DIRECTION OF THE JOHNSON STREET AND MESURADO BRIDGES, WHICH CONNECT MONROVIA TO BUSHROD ISLAND. THE TRACERS WERE FIRED TOWARDS THE EXECUTIVE MANSION. A SHORT TIME LATER, UNIDENTIFIED EXPLOSIONS WERE HEARD FROM THE DIRECTION OF BARCLAY TRAINING CENTER (BTC) (06-18N, 10-48W) AND THE DOWNTOWN BUSINESS AREA. FOLLOWING THE EXPLOSIONS, HEAVY MACHINE GUN FIRE WAS HEARD COMING FROM THE EXECUTIVE MANSION. SMALL ARMS FIRE AND SOME FIGHTING ALSO WAS

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REPORTED IN THE DOWNTOWN AREA. [REDACTED]

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~~(S//NF)~~ 3. ACTING MINISTER OF STATE FOR PRESIDENTIAL AFFAIRS WESEH ((MCCLAIN)) INFORMED THE AMERICAN EMBASSY ON 25 JULY THAT THE AFL MAY START SHELLING REBEL POSITIONS IN THE VICINITY OF ELWA TODAY. THERE WERE REPORTS THAT AFL SOLDIERS COMING FROM THE DIRECTION OF CAMP SCHEIFFLIN (06-13N, 10-35W) WERE ATTACKING REBELS IN THE SOUTHERN CORNER OF ELWA AS OF 1130 HOURS. A FEW REFUGEES ON THE ELWA COMPLEX WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN INJURED DURING THE FIGHTING. [REDACTED]

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~~(S//NF)~~ 4. TWO HEAVY EXPLOSIONS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE OCCURRED NEAR BONJAL (06-14N, 10-40W) THIS MORNING; HOWEVER, THE AFL CHECKPOINT LOCATED 500 YARDS SOUTH OF ITS PREVIOUS LOCATION AT BONJAL WAS STILL IN PLACE. [REDACTED]

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~~(S//NF)~~ 5. MEDICINES SANS FRONTIERES (MSF) DELIVERED 329 BAGS OF RICE TO THE VOICE OF AMERICA (VOA) SITE (06-26N, 10-40W) YESTERDAY. MSF VOLUNTEERS ARE PLANNING TO RETURN TO VOA WITH MEDICAL SUPPLIES TODAY. [REDACTED]

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~~(S//NF)~~ 6. MONROVIA IS TENSE. REFUGEES ON THE AMERICAN EMBASSY GREYSTONE COMPOUND PANICKED WHEN AFL SOLDIERS FIRED INTO THE AIR YESTERDAY. SEVERAL REFUGEES JUMPED OVER THE EMBASSY WALL BUT ORDER WAS RESTORED. THE CITY REMAINS WITHOUT WATER OR ELECTRICITY ON 25 JULY. STORES ARE CLOSED BECAUSE OF THE FIGHTING AND PEOPLE ARE SEARCHING FOR FOOD. [REDACTED]

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