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Date: 10 July 1995

**VERY URGENT** 

To: the Commands of the DK /Drina Corps/ and the 65<sup>th</sup> zmtp /Protection Motorized

Regiment/

Taking the defence line and

improving the tactical

position - 0 r d e r

As a result of the newly arisen situation around the Srebrenica enclave and the VRS

success in that part of the front, separation of the enclaves and narrowing the area

around Srebrenica, and in order to close the Žepa enclave and improve the tactical

position of our forces around the enclave,

I HEREBY ORDER:

1. The 1<sup>st</sup> Plpbr /Podrinje Light Infantry Brigade/ shall assume the following defence

line: the confluence of the Žepa River and the Drina River – Međeđa Ravan - Zigina

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Lokva - elevation 803 – Brezova Ravan - Gusinac.

- 2. KDK /Command of the Drina Corps/ shall plan and launch an offensive in the 1<sup>st</sup> Plpbr area of responsibility, around the Žepa enclave and additionally: reach the right bank of the Žepa River, from the confluence to Valovlje village.
- 3. A line of demarcation between the 1<sup>st</sup> Plpbr and the 65<sup>th</sup> Zmtp; the left boundary for the 1st Plpbr: Valovlje village (up to an including) (up to) Mislovo village.
- 4. Start taking up the defence lines immediately and launch the offensive combat activities on 12 July 1995.

## **COMMANDER**

Lieutenant General

Ratko MLADIĆ

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To: the Commands of the DK /Drina Corps/ and the 65<sup>th</sup> ZMTP /Protection Motorized

Regiment/

Personally to General ŽIVANOVIĆ or General KRSTIĆ

We received the Order from the Commander of the GŠVRS which we are sending to

you:

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improving the tactical

position - 0 r d e r

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4. Start taking up the defence lines immediately and launch the offensive combat

activities on 12 July 1995.

5. We are waiting for you instructions.

**COMMANDER** 

Lieutenant General Operations Duty Officer

Ratko MLADIĆ Predrag JOCIĆ

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