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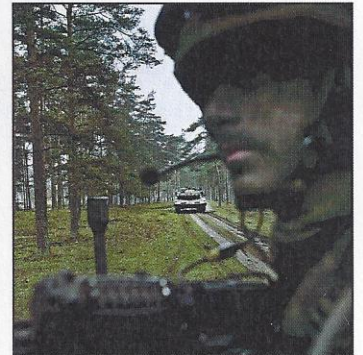
• “Without the involvement of the political side of Bogaland we're not going to have peace,” says Julian Harston, UN Special Representative of the Secretary General in Bogaland. He stresses that the political process needs to move forward:

“Unless we have the politicians and the people with us, we can't tackle any of the important things we have to do.”

When it comes to tangible results, Harston emphasizes managing people's expectations.

“People hear that the international community is coming, that the forces are coming. They think that everything is going to get better overnight. It isn't. Everything is going to get better but some things will take longer than others.”

Julian Harston hopes that politicians and the people will work with the UN in Bogaland.



Tanks on the border with Northland.

BFOR secure all of West Kasuria

After a new clash with POT yesterday, BFOR has secured West Kasuria to the northern border. There have been no further casualties since the first contact with the POT when 8 soldiers were killed.

Hopefully we can achieve an open conversation between all parties around the border, to sustain security in the area,” says BFOR commander Lars Karlsson. *p. 4*

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200 Kasurian captives released

• 200 Kasurian civilians held as hostages by the Gute Rams were released yesterday. Many of the civilians had sustained injuries, were suffering from dehydration and in a poor condition after their ordeal. UNMIB coordinated efforts to deliver medical aid and food supplies.



Happy reunion.

Anders Bunge handed over to the ICC

• UNMIB wants Bunge to be tried by the ICC.

SRSJ Julian Harston stresses the importance of bringing the detained leader of the Gute Rams to the ICC in the Hague, to be indicted for war crimes. Bunge was detained by BFOR soldiers on Monday after dramatic events where one man was killed.



Bunge was detained Monday.