

# INFORMATION MEMO

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## RWANDA – UGANDA

### ON THE SUBJECT OF THE ATTACK OF 6 APRIL 1994 AGAINST PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA

According to certain uncorroborated information, the two missiles which allegedly hit the aeroplane of President Habyarimana on 6 April 1994 were IGLA SA 16 missiles (1), of the same model as those used by the Ugandan army.

For all useful purposes, the numbers of the surface-to-air missiles currently allocated within the Ugandan People's Defence Forces (UPDF) are cited in annex 1. Some of the numbers of these weapons are very similar to the batches cited by Mr Filip Reyntjens, professor of law at the universities of Antwerp and Brussels, who mentioned in his work "Rwanda – Trois jours qui ont fait basculer l'histoire" (Cahiers Africains/l'Harmattan-1996) the numbers of the launchers of the two missiles (cf. annex 2), that he declared he had found close to the place of the attack.

(1) Anti-air missiles of around 3,000m range, of Soviet manufacture

## ANNEX 1

### SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILES CURRENTLY ALLOCATED IN THE UGANDAN ARMY

SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILES	LAUNCHER NUMBER	LOCATION
SA 16 IGLA	04869	MBARARA
SA 16 IGLA	04889	“
SA 16 IGLA	04870	“
SA 16 IGLA	04838	“
SA 16 IGLA	04947	“
SA 16 IGLA	04815	FORT PORTAL
SA 16 IGLA	04816	“
SA 7	3388	MBARARA
SA 7	1506	“
SA 7	3434	“
SA 7	3548	“
SA 7	3501	“
SA 7	3470	“
SA 7	3500	“
STRELLA	101231	“
STRELLA	101232	“
STRELLA	050704	“
STRELLA	01345	“
STRELLA	04555	“
STRELLA	04334	“
STRELLA	050787	“
STRELLA	050788	“
STRELLA	051521	“
STRELLA	050691	“

**IDENTIFICATION OF THE TWO LAUNCHERS  
INFORMATION PUBLISHED BY FILIP REYNTJENS IN  
“RWANDA – TROIS JOURS QUI ONT FAIT BASCULER L’HISTOIRE”**

First launcher:

9 II 322-1-01  
9 M 313-I  
04-87  
04835  
C  
LOD COMP  
9 II 519-2  
3555406

Second launcher:

9 II 322-1-01  
9 M 313-I  
04-87  
04814  
C  
LOD COMP  
9 II 519-2  
594107

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