United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia

AUTOPSY REPORT

GLOGOVA GRAVE SITE

CASE NO: GL02 053BP **AUTOPSY DATE:** 01.10.99

MORTUARY: Visoko

SUMMARY:

The upper part of a body only – the head, chest and left upper arm – the remains being completely skeletonized, with no soft tissues attached whatever.

As established from anthropology examination, the person was male and aged between 31 and 65, but it was not possible to determine anything further.

There was disruption of two of the bones in the spine, which could have been part of a gunshot injury, but it was not possible to prove this or even to be sure that the damage occurred in life. Additional fractures of a few ribs on both sides of the chest <u>were</u> more likely to have been post mortem in nature from crushing or moving the body.

There were no other significant findings and so, from the examination, it is not possible to determine the cause of death in this person.

CAUSE OF DEATH:

It is my determination that the cause of death in case number GL02 053BP was:

Unascertained

This formal report is based upon the autopsy report that I prepared at the time of my examination. Both reports truly and accurately reflect my findings.

Signed:.....

Dr John Clark MB ChB FRCPath Dip FM

Date: 02.10.99

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A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF REMAINS:

Skull and chest bones only, largely skeletonized with only muddy material attached

B. CLOTHING:

• Tattered remnants of an unidentifiable black garment ?sweatshirt

OTHER ITEMS:

None

C. IDENTIFYING FEATURES:

Sex:

From examination of soft tissues: Not possible

From anthropology details: Male

Age range (from anthropology data): 31 - 65

Build: Not possible

Height (cm):

From estimation of intact body: Not possible

From anthropology data: Not possible

Hair:

Head hair: Not possible **Facial hair:** Not possible

Teeth:

General description: Single tooth in lower jaw

Retained for dentist: No

Tattoos: Not possible

Scars: Not possible

Other features: None

D. BODY PARTS MISSING: See Anthropology Report

E. INJURIES:

i. Findings on fluoroscopy: Radiographer: Bruno Tonello

No metal fragments seen

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ii. Main injuries described:

Probably Probably Can't ante-mortem post mortem tell

Trunk:

- 1. Ribs right:
 - fractures of 5, 6 and 7 in axillary line
- 2. Ribs left:
 - fractures of 2 and 3 at angle
 - fracture of 9 anteriorly
- 3. Thoracic spine disruption of T5 and 6, with fragments missing

Limbs:

4. Fibula (?which side) – fracture of distal part with only small portion remaining

F. INTERNAL TISSUES:

Brain

H. <u>SAMPLES AND ITEMS RETAINED</u>:

SOCO: Ronnie Govender

Bullets/Shrapnel:

None

Anthropology:

Right clavicle Right 4th rib

DNA:

Left humerus

Tooth

Other:

None