AUTOPSY REPORT

the former Yugoslavia

GLOGOVA GRAVE SITE

CASE NO: GL05 020B **AUTOPSY DATE:** 08.10.99

MORTUARY: Visoko

SUMMARY:

A largely complete body missing only the right hand and foot, occasional ribs and some bones from the spine. There was an additional fragment of skull from another person mixed in. The remains were completely skeletonized, with no soft tissue remaining whatever.

As established from anthropology examination the person was male, aged between 31 and 65, and measured from 168 to 184 cms in height. There were no particular identifying features.

There was evidence of a probable gunshot injury to the back of the chest, with fragmentation and loss of part of the spine and fractures of the ribs alongside, albeit with no metal fragments remaining in the body.

The only other injury was a fracture of one of the left lower leg bones below the knee but this may well have occurred after death.

There were no other significant findings apart from evidence of burning of the trousers he was wearing.

CAUSE OF DEATH:

It is my determination that the cause of death in case number GL05 020B was:

Gunshot injury to chest

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: 11.10.99

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A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF REMAINS:

Substantial part of a body, with clothing, completely skeletonized with only muddy material attached

B. **CLOTHING**:

- Upper part of a pair of grey trousers with an attached leather belt. Burning of edges of trousers.
- Waistband of pair of white underpants

OTHER ITEMS:

None

C. <u>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</u>:

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: 175.8 +/- 7.7

Hair:

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

Teeth:

General description: Natural teeth in both jaws in good condition

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: Patricia Campbell

No metal fragments seen

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Main injuries described: Probably Probably Can't ante-mortem post mortem tell Trunk: $\sqrt{}$ 1. Thoracic spine – fragmentation of T4 with T1 to T3 missing 2. Ribs right: fractures • 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7 at spine • 2 and 3 in mid-clavicular line

• 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 at spine

3. Ribs left: fractures

Limbs:

4. Right fibula – fracture of upper end with upper part missing

F. INTERNAL TISSUES:

None

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H. <u>SAMPLES AND ITEMS RETAINED</u>: **SOCO:** Ronnie Govender

Bullets/Shrapnel:

None

Anthropology:

Left clavicle Left 4th rib

DNA:

Right femur

Tooth

Other:

None