



United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for
the former Yugoslavia

AUTOPSY REPORT

GLOGOVA GRAVE SITE

CASE NO: GL05 067B

AUTOPSY DATE: 18.10.99
MORTUARY: Visoko

SUMMARY:

Most of the upper half of a body but missing the right hand, the pelvis and a few bones of the spine. The remains were totally skeletonized.

As established from anthropology examination, the person was a young man, aged between 14 and 23. There were, however, no other identifying features.

There was evidence of a probable gunshot wound to the chest, fracturing two of the bones in the middle of the back and possibly one of the ribs on the left side. There was additional damage to two of the bones in the lower part of the spine which may have been a further gunshot injury, but alternatively may have occurred after death in moving of the body, particularly given that the lower half of it was missing.

There were no other injuries and no other significant findings, other than evidence of burning of his clothing.

CAUSE OF DEATH:

It is my determination that the cause of death in case number **GL05 067B** was:
Gunshot injury to trunk

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: 19.10.99

A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF REMAINS:

Most of the upper half of a body, including the skull and both arms, totally skeletonized

B. CLOTHING:

- Remains of white shirt with vertical blue thin lines. Evidence of burning of edges.
- Small piece of unidentifiable orange material with burning of edges

OTHER ITEMS:

None

C. IDENTIFYING FEATURES:

Sex:

From examination of soft tissues: Not possible

From anthropology details: Male

Age range (from anthropology data): 14 - 23

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: Natural teeth in both jaws

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:**
No metal fragments seen

Radiographer: Mark Viner

ii. **Main injuries described:**

<u>Probably ante-mortem</u>	<u>Probably post mortem</u>	<u>Can't tell</u>
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Trunk:

1. Ribs left: fracture of 6th in mid-clavicular line
2. Thoracic spine – fragmentation of left half of body of T6 and fracture through body of T5
3. Lumbar spine – fragmentation of right half of L4 and 5

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F. INTERNAL TISSUES:

None

H. SAMPLES AND ITEMS RETAINED:

SOCO: Ronnie Govender

Bullets/Shrapnel:

None

Anthropology:

Right clavicle

Right 4th rib

DNA:

Right humerus

Tooth

Other:

None