AUTOPSY REPORT

GLOGOVA GRAVE SITE

CASE NO: GL05 082B **AUTOPSY DATE:** 13.10.99

MORTUARY: Visoko

SUMMARY:

A complete body with an additional left hand from anther person mixed in. The remains were totally skeletonized though with some greasy material still adherent.

As established from anthropology examination the person was male, aged between 31 and 60, and measured from 170 to 186 cms in height. There were no particular identifying features.

He would appear to have died from one or more gunshot injuries to the chest which had passed through the right collarbone and first rib, and damaged several bones in the middle of the spine and the ribs attached to them. Several small bullet fragments were seen in the area.

The only other injuries were a few additional fractured ribs on each side of the chest which may or may not have occurred before death, and fractures of both bones of the right forearm which most likely were post mortem injuries from crushing or moving of the body.

Apart from evidence of burning of his upper clothing, there were no other significant findings.

CAUSE OF DEATH:

It is my determination that the cause of death in case number **GL05 082B** 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: 15.10.99

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A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF REMAINS:

Largely complete body, in clothing, mostly skeletonized but with pultaceous material adherent

B. CLOTHING:

- Thin blue jersey with green and cream stripes at collar and waist, and areas of burning in several areas
- Remnants of white T-shirt with burning of edges
- Fawn trousers with a green belt, torn
- Thick brown sock

OTHER ITEMS:

Tobacco pouch

C. IDENTIFYING FEATURES:

Sex:

From examination of soft tissues: Not possible

From anthropology details: Male

Age range (from anthropology data): 31 - 60

Build: Not possible

Height (cm):

From estimation of intact body: Not possible

From anthropology data: 178.3 +/- 7.7

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. <u>BODY PARTS MISSING</u>: See Anthropology Report

E. <u>INJURIES</u>:

i. Findings on fluoroscopy: Radiographer: Patricia Campbell

Small bullet fragments in chest including tip of jacket

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ii. Main injuries described:

Probably Probably Can't ante-mortem post mortem tell

Trunk:

- Probable gunshot injury or injuries to chest producing:
 - fragmentation of middle third of right clavicle
 - disruption of posterior half of right first rib
 - fragmentation of T3, 4 and 5 thoracic vertebrae with loss of the bodies, plus fracturing of left side of body of T6 and left transverse process of T7
 - additional disruption of left half of body of T10
 - fractures of left 5th, 6th and 7th ribs at spine
- 2. Ribs right: fractures of 6 and 8 near angle
- 3. Ribs left: fractures of 8 and 9 in posterior axillary line

Limbs:

4. Right radius and ulna: fractures of upper thirds of each but conjoin completely

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F. INTERNAL TISSUES:

None

H. SAMPLES AND ITEMS RETAINED:

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Bullets/Shrapnel:

None

Anthropology:

Left clavicle Left 4th rib

DNA:

Right femur Tooth

Other:

None