

# Learning Activity- UNMO STM

## Table Top Exercise (TTX) Part 2

### Airfield Event

At XXXXhrs this morning a rocket impacted and exploded Payat City Airport.

Approximately 30 seconds later a second rocket impacted and skidded along the runway coming to rest at the intersection between runway 33/15 and the taxiway. At 0545 all air traffic and operations at KIA were suspended and the Airport placed into lockdown, until UN Operations advise otherwise.

It is now 0600hrs, a resupply of much needed medical supplies and ration packs for the UN IDP Camp is due to land at 0730hrs. At 0750hrs, the UN SRSG along with a high level delegation are due to land, returning from an international donor conference in Geneva.

## DDR Site Event

Today at H-Hour, a group of former rebels who were signatories to the DDR process arrived in a 3 vehicle convoy at the UN DDR Centre to undergo processing and decommissioning of a variety of small arms, ammunition, landmines, and RPGs. Having been met by the UN head of the DDR Centre at the entrance, a PBIED bomber walked up to the gate and having forced himself into the middle of the group and initiated a suicide belt. Within seconds up to three other attackers began firing assault rifles and throwing grenades. It is reported that 2 of these attackers managed to gain access to the centre with one killed outside by some of the former rebels who were reporting for processing. Confused reports have stated that both the attackers within the centre have been neutralised with UNDSS stating all firing had ceased by H+1. Some witnesses have stated the attackers are wearing suicide vests, with others saying they are wearing assault vests with ammunition within them. One witness stated that one attacker was clearly seen trying to use a switch with a wire running into his vest before he was shot. It is not clear if the two attackers inside the centre are dead with UNDSS having the area cleared of all persons. A head count has been initiated. Social media posting of the events are streaming online at present with #UNAttack trending.

**Facilitator Guide- Recommend coaching the students in these areas of consideration:**

- Contact the closest protection force for security awareness
- Contact the security warden for necessary security arrangement
- Task organize for the mission to deal with the armed groups, dissatisfaction civilian population, and POC (including mine and IED threats)
- Convey the situation to your chain of command...use reports
- What resources are needed for the site and coordination
- Who else can help with the POC mandate and execute the proper procedures for the site
- Break up in two groups and independently deduct and analyze the mission / tasks and consider possible COAs and merits of COA
- In general, how will you organize
- How will you facilitate security both to civilians, UN personnel and your own personnel
- If required, how do transport of personnel and equipment; request support helio, logistics and medical spt
- How will you support your operation
- How will you command and control and communicate, who do you report

to

- Any other considerations, DDR personnel etc.
  - Have the students use the TTPs, principles provided and reinforce “what to do”
  - Because you are operating in a UN peacekeeping environment under UN policies, procedures, SOFA, ROE, etc. ; are there areas or specific tasks, techniques, or procedures that may have to be adjusted from your current national / contingent military SOPs and policies (highlight these in the discussions)
1. Develop a set of agreed criteria for analyzing COAs (focus on the above bullet)
  2. Groups should brief the collective group on COA using a simple sketch or drawing for a visual aide

**Possible Injects:**

- a. Locals' unwillingness
- b. Stone-pelting
- c. Road block while conducting verification patrols
- d. A unit nearby gets stuck in mine field
- e. Civilians being attacked while you are conducting ops

