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United Nations to start more airstrikes if Serbs fail to withdraw weapons

□ The Serbs show no sign of withdrawing, despite today's U.N. deadline.

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — The United Nations reopened a route into Sarajevo on Sunday and gave Bosnian Serbs a Monday night deadline to start withdrawing the heavy weapons that ring the city — or face more punishing airstrikes.

But there was no sign that the Serbs were withdrawing, and Western leaders said the airstrikes could resume any time after 11 p.m. Monday, when they will assess Serb compliance with their demands.

The United Nations also demanded that the Serbs halt all attacks on Sarajevo and three other U.N. "safe areas," reopen Sarajevo airport and restore complete freedom of movement for international aid organiza-

tions and U.N. personnel.

"Failure to meet these demands will immediately result in airstrikes," said U.N. spokesman Chris Gunness.

The demands were sent in a letter to Bosnian Serb military commander Gen. Ratko Mladic on Sunday. The letter also said any attacks on Sarajevo or the three other "safe areas" would bring an immediate NATO response.

"The letter made clear to Gen. Mladic what needs to be done," Gunness said.

Mladic had earlier rejected similar demands, saying he would not negotiate until NATO stops its flights over Bosnia, and would stop attacking U.N. "safe areas" only when government forces stop attacking the Serbs from within the enclaves.

But the U.N. demands are non-negotiable, Adm. Leighton Smith, the commander of the NATO air campaign, said on NBC-TV's "Meet the Press."

"They have very little time in which to make a decision to start showing progress on this, and it's up to them when the bombing starts, if it should start again," he said.

Richard Holbrooke, a U.S. assistant secretary of state, said in Geneva that the airstrikes were suspended to give U.N. officials time to meet with Mladic, but that because Mladic refused to meet their demands, NATO was ready to resume bombing.

"The result of the meeting was unsatisfactory," he said. "The package of bombing targets was not completed, and

NATO is ready to complete them if necessary."

"If anyone doubts the resolve of NATO ... they should look at what happened last week," Holbrooke said, referring to the airstrikes.

The United Nations reopened one route into Sarajevo on Sunday — the dangerous Mount Igman road that crosses the airport and often comes under Serb fire.

The road has been closed to supply trucks and private cars for months, although some military vehicles have continued to use it.

Last month, three U.S. diplomats were killed when their armored vehicle plunged off the road as they headed for peace talks in Sarajevo.

The first trucks, carrying watermelons and other goods, crossed the airport and headed into the besieged city Sunday afternoon.

But the Igman road is little more than a dirt track, and the main roads in and out of Sarajevo are still in Serb hands.



HEALTH TIPS

Abstinence, safe sex can prevent STDs

By Erin Foley
A.P. BEUTEL HEALTH CENTER

Do you want to know the real key to a happy and satisfying sex life? Then avoid Sexually Transmitted Diseases, STDs, at all costs.

STDs come in three forms. Viral STDs are incurable but treatable. The second type is bacterial, which are curable through correct and prompt treatment. The third form is infestations.

The common viral STDs are herpes simplex virus, human papilloma virus, hepatitis B and HIV. The more common bacterial STDs are chlamydia, syphilis and gonorrhea, and more common infestations are pubic lice (crabs) and scabies.

The most common STDs for college students to watch out for are chlamydia, human papilloma virus, genital herpes, crabs and gonorrhea.

Some of the symptoms of STDs are redness

and swelling, sores and growths, burning and itching, discharge that is foul smelling or pus-like or pain in the pelvic or genital region.

Some times STDs are "silent," meaning they do not show any symptoms. This is particularly common for women. Often, women do not have any outward symptoms of an STD because the infection is located internally. Sometimes the symptoms are so mild that the person does not even notice them.

But before you feel completely overwhelmed, you should be aware that you can get tested for STDs. Treatment, sometimes even a cure, is also available.

You can seek treatment and vaccinations at the A.P. Beutel Health Center or your personal physician.

The health center offers classes on how to prevent STDs. There are two key ways to prevent them. The best way is through abstinence. Abstinence is 100 percent effective if practiced consistently.

Abstinence also does not have to be "just holding hands." Everyone has their own level of what is comfortable for them.

A second way to prevent STDs is through safer sex. If you have chosen to be sexually active, then using condoms and spermicide correctly and consistently can help prevent STDs.

If you are in a relationship where you feel comfortable enough with your partner's fidelity and you want to stop using condoms and spermicide, then get tested for all STDs, including HIV (which you must be retested again after six months to be certain of your status).

STDs can be a traumatic event in a college student's life. We want you experience at Texas A&M to be a positive and enjoyable one. So please remember that you are worth protecting at all costs.

For information on health topics, students can contact Health Education Center, 016 A.P. Beutel Health Center.

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REACTION: Students disappointed about vote postponement

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close, and there was a chance that it would fail," Boenig said. "I was surprised that it didn't get out of committee and that the Board didn't get a chance to vote on it."

Boenig said students should focus on the positive things that came out of the vote.

"All the System schools came closer together," he said. "All the Student Government leaders from all the schools improved their relationship with the Board of Regents."

Jill Jackson, Student Government vice president for finance and a junior kinesiology major, said Student Government members were disappointed, but not defeated, when the regents postponed the vote.

"I actually was shocked," Jackson said. "I was surprised

by the regents who were against it. We're going to continue the campaign though."

The student liaison would voice the opinions and perspectives of students from all the System schools.

Becky Silloway, speaker of the Student Senate and a senior political science major, said the advisory board will meet in December, at the same time the Board meets, and will attempt to bring the issue up for discussion again.

"I really don't have a good explanation of why they tabled it," Silloway said. "I'd be less than truthful if I said I wasn't disappointed."

Student Government is working on a new plan of attack, hoping that a vote from the full Board would prove more favorable than a committee vote.

Silloway said she is hopeful

that Mary Nan West, Board chairman, will allow the student liaison issue to bypass the committee and go straight to a full Board meeting.

Chris Reed, speaker pro tem of the Senate, said despite the latest disappointment, he thinks the Board will make every effort to be open and available to any student who wishes to talk to them.

That openness, however, does not make up for the lack of a student liaison, he said.

"This availability doesn't negate the fact that a student representative to the Board would be able to address issues in a unique way," Reed said. "I think the student liaison would be a great communication tool."

The student liaison would have full speaking privileges at all Board meetings and would be placed on Board com-

mittees. However, the liaison would not vote or attend executive sessions.

Stacy Wheeler, a sophomore kinesiology major, said the Board should not have any reservations about instating a student liaison.

"It's like they are saying, 'We don't even want to hear what you have to say,'" Wheeler said. "It doesn't make any sense. It's not going to affect them if the student liaison doesn't even vote."

Dana Janda, a senior electrical engineering major, said she thinks student input is necessary in order to keep the regents accountable and aware.

"I think it's stupid that they tabled it," Janda said, "because even if they aren't voting, students still need to have a say-so in the rules the Board of Regents are changing or making."

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9-11 p.m.	PHYS 201	CH. 1,2	CH. 3,4	CH. 5	PRAC TEST
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