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hello stefan,

just coming from the empty camp. it is 4 pm and all the people are evacuated. we have taken into charge plenty old people who cannot walk and have together with un transported them here. i see bsa beating and harassing a crazy man. horror.

4.30 pm women and children from un compound are starting to leave.

meeting with franken: we agreed on having first all people evacuated. no med convoy today together with him i will negotiate with bsa for a bus for the old people who are not able to walk, but who dont need med convoy from un. med staff are free to choose, if they want to go today with the crowd or tomorrow. men should stay with us. msf staff - again women can choose, but i insist on men staying with us.

now for ourself in case barbara doesnt arrive today: should we leave with the last patients?

i expect that the men will be taken away. according to franken bsa is not touching the men who are not bih. the others you know.

here comes frankens final version of the med convoy from last night: before entering bratunac bsa checked the dressings of a few men and they had nothing. so of course bsa was furious and took all 30 men away. they disappeared. franken informed icrc and other high levels. he is not blaming us for that. i asked daniel and he could not control who got on the truck. part of the patients got apparently beaten. there were 2 -3 casualties. so finally the easy women came to tuzla, the heavy one to bratunac.

here comes a second version from daniel:

version i recieved from dbat nurse travelling with convoy: when it reached the border all patients who could walk were taken off and left to walk the 27km remaining. they were very worried about the saftey of the men. 7 local nurses accompanied them. he told me that this afternoon he recieved confirmation from unprofor at their destination that they had all arrived safely, including the men.

i have decided with franken, that the male pat tomorrow will have to be checked by bsa here in order to avoid their anger.

i have to go to a meeting. please feedback. send it better to dutchmed if sensitive.

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