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REPORT BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

1. The following information regarding a breach of the cease-fire involving loss of life which took place in Santo Domingo on the evening of 4 June 1965, has been received from the Office of my Representative in the Dominican Republic, Mr. José Antonio Mayobre.
2. At about 1940 hours local time, the zone held by the forces of Colonel Francisco Caamaño was hit by a series of explosions. These explosions reportedly occurred at eight different places, most of them in the area of Juan Isidro Perez Street and Enriqueillo Street. One woman was killed, and six other persons were wounded and were brought to the hospital where one of them, a boy, later died.
3. Colonel Cavalcanti and another member of the Office of my Representative, who, at the invitation of Colonel Caamaño were at his headquarters at the time, heard eight bursts, which appeared to have been caused by mortar fire. Before one of these bursts Colonel Cavalcanti sighted a flash of light from the north. At the time of the bursts, he also observed a helicopter flying over the area north of the Corridor and east of the Ozama River.
4. During the same evening and again the next morning, Colonel Cavalcanti visited the sites of impact. He found at several sites fragments of mortar shells and at one site he was given a piece which seemed to be part of a bazooka shell. A quick examination of the craters of impact seemed to him to indicate that several sites had been hit from the north and one from the east. The fragments of shells collected from the sites of impact are being examined by the staff of my Representative in order to determine their origin of manufacture and seek other clues.
5. As indicated in my last report on the situation in the Dominican Republic (S/6408), my Representative in the Dominican Republic had come to Headquarters on 1 June for consultations with me. He left New York on 5 June to resume his duties in Santo Domingo where he arrived on the next day.

