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THIS IS AN EMERGENCY REPORT DATED 22.10.1987

YESTERDAY 21.10.87, EVENTS IN JAFFNA TOWN SUDDENLY TURNED MORE THAN EVER. A WIDE DENSILY POPULATED AREA SURROUNDING THE JAFFNA HOSPITAL WAS THE TARGET OF THE INDIAN SHELL ATTACK. MORE THAN SEVEN HUNDRED SHELLS RAINED IN THE AREA ON THIS DAY, WHILE FOUR BOMBER PLANES DROPEB BOMBS. ON THIS DAY ALONE, MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED INNOCENT CIVILIAN DIED AND MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED INJURED. UNDER A BARAGE OF SHELL ATTACK, PANICKING PEOPLE ARE UNABLE TO RECOVER DEAD BODIES WHICH LAY SCATERED AND BURRIED IN THE RUBBLE. THE INJURED LAY HELPLESS AND UNATTENDENT. AS THE INDIAN ARMY ATTACK IS DIRECTED IN THE AREA OF THE JAFFNA GENERAL HOSPITAL, DOCTORS AND NURSES ARE UNABLE TO REACH THE HOSPITAL WHICH NOW REMAINS UNMANNED AND INEFFECTIVE.

LIBERATION TIGERS OF TAMIL EELAM.

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