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Yesterday it was very encouraging for the situation in the northern Kosovo to hear the positive statement of the Serbian President, Mister Tadic, regarding the removal of the roadblocks.

This proposal could greatly assist to reduce the tension. However KFOR would like to see that positive proposal have a real impact on the ground.

(Improving the lives of the ordinary people in the area)

There is an ideal opportunity for Serbia to show the earnestness of this proposal by putting the words into action.

This means Serbia can remove directly the roadblocks on Serbian side at Brnjak (DOG 31) and at Jarinje (GATE 1) ABL. This could be done without any problems.

Concerning the situation now, here at Jagnjencia crossroads, KFOR identifies another opportunity to demonstrate also in a practical manner.

KFOR call on the population to close the illegal bypass and to remove the newly built obstacles on both side of the crossroads.

KFOR will then establish without any interference a vehicle check point on the spot.

I repeat again as COMKFOR and I already did several times in the past:

Kosovo needs unconditional Freedom of Movement for everybody.

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