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E. ~~(S)~~ ALGERIA: TAMEZGUIDA INCIDENT UPDATE. THE ARMED ISLAMIC GROUP (GIA) HAS PUBLICLY CLAIMED THE 14 DECEMBER MURDER OF CHRISTIAN CROATIANS IN A WORK COMPOUND IN TAMEZGUIDA. THE GROUP STATED THE ATTACK WAS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH A GIA ULTIMATUM FOR ALL FOREIGNERS TO LEAVE ALGERIA, AND IN RESPONSE TO "THE MASSACRES OF OUR FELLOW MUSLIMS BUTCHERED IN BOSNIA." THE 50 REPORTED ASSAILANTS, ARMED WITH KALASHNIKOV ASSAULT WEAPONS AND SHOTGUNS, SEPARATED TEN ALGERIANS AND EIGHT BOSNIAN AND CROATIAN WORKERS CLAIMING TO BE MUSLIMS, LOCKED THEM IN A SHACK, AND KNIFED THE 14 REMAINING CROATIAN CHRISTIANS, 12 OF WHOM DIED. AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF UNARMED SOLDIERS WERE PRESENT BUT UNABLE TO STOP THE ATTACK. THE TERRORISTS STOLE BLANKETS AND CLOTHING FROM THE COMPOUND BEFORE LEAVING. THE VICTIMS WERE DISCOVERED ABOUT TWO HOURS LATER BY AN ARMY PATROL. THE TERRORISTS' USE OF KNIVES WAS POSSIBLY TO AVOID DRAWING ATTENTION FROM AN ARMY POST NEAR THE COMPOUND.

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