



Weekly Report

Central African Republic

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- Liwa, a village located 6 miles outside of Bambari, was the site of the latest clashes in Bambari, leaving 21 dead in the last week.
 - Examples of the violence include two Muslim men killed on a motorcycle. In response, fighters associated with Seleka rebels threw grenades and burned more than 100 houses. Four people were taken hostage, and 2 were killed in front of the Bambari courthouse.
 - French and African forces arrived in Liwa to secure the town and conduct an investigation.
 - Source: Al Jazeera

<http://america.aljazeera.com/articles/2014/6/11/new-violence-carwitnesses.html>

Modest disarmament effort

- Several hundred weapons were collected as part of a voluntary disarmament day on Sunday, called by Prime Minister Andre Nzapayeke.
- The disarmament was focused on 8 districts in Bangui.
- Sources: Agence France Presse

<http://news.yahoo.com/disarmament-drive-yields-limited-haul-c-africa-211344717.html>

Emergency relief shortfall expected

- Last week the heads of the UNHCR and the World Food Programme appealed to the international community for emergency relief funding.
- Elisabeth Byrs, spokesperson for the World Food Programme said that \$15 million is needed to cover urgent funding as refugees and stateless persons from Central African Republic arrive in Cameroon. The current projected shortfall of that amount is 90%, the World Food Programme having only received 2 contributions to date.
- Source: UN News Centre

http://www.un.org/apps/news/story.asp?NewsID=48010#.U5sK_BY7fqu

The 28 May attack on the Notre Dame de Fatima had provoked the displacement of 22,000 people ... [and] forced that population to move to nine other displacement sites, quickly straining the limited resources at these sites in terms of shelter, water, sanitation and food."

- International Organization for Migration
