OHR RTRS News Summary, 28 March 2000

News Headlines

- Gacko Municipality should be assisted in refugee accommodation — Djokic
- Dodik visits Zvornik-based Birac factory for aluminum oxides
- RS Finance Minister Kondic departs for Brussels finance conference
- Barry opens political resource center in Zvornik, RS
- OSCE calls on BiH citizens to check candidate lists for potential violators of PEC rule on illegal property use
 OSCE spokeswoman Tanya Domi
- International organizations hold press conference in Sarajevo
- RS Justice Minister Trbojevic protests to Del Ponte due to <u>SFOR</u> use of excessive force during arrests of <u>ICTY</u> indictees in RS
- Izetbegovic visits Brcko District
- Serb Gorazde, Gorazde authorities and <u>UNHCR</u> agree that Bosniaks who were granted right to return can cultivate their land in Serb Gorazde
- •US Ambassador Miller concerned over privatization process in BiH Federation and questionable sale of hotel Holiday Inn in Sarajevo ONASA
- Ganic proposes that BiH Federation Privatization Agency undertakes measures to prevent manipulation in privatization process
- German Heidlberg-based Zement Company interested in buying Kakanj cement factory
- Livno Canton Interior Minister Barisic resigns BiH
 Federation media
- First Bosniak returns to Srebrenica take place

- Contact Group holds session in Paris
- KFOR confiscates weapons in Kosovo
- Explosion heard in Pristina KFOR
- Serb convoy stoned on Bujanovac-Gnjilane road
- House of former Serbian Interior Ministry official destroyed in Dragas, Kosovo — Goranic ethnic community accuses KLA of attack
- Kosovo Serb representatives close to decision on joining Interim Kosovo Administrative Council as observers — Serb National Council member Rada Trajkovic
- French Colonel Jean-Michel Mechaint charged with handing secret KFOR documents to French media on French KFOR dissatisfaction with Kouchner's pro-Albanian attitude in Kosovo — BETA
- Milosevic sends greetings to President Milutinovic on Serbian Statehood Day
- Serbian opposition parties form commission to organize joint rally on 14 April
- World news
- Poplasen book 'The Truth Against Treason' promoted in Banja Luka
- Sports
- Weather
- Dodik opens police station in Sekovici
- Elections in Kosovo cannot be held without agreement of Yugoslav authorities — Yugoslav Committee for Cooperation with <u>UN</u> President Vukicevic
- Serb National Council sends letters to Kouchner and Reinhardt protesting bomb attacks on Serb houses in Gnjilane
- World wants reason and SNS offers it Plavsic
- SNS requests IC remove Izetbegovic family from BiH politics — SNS spokesperson Barasin
- RS Pensioners' Party invites supporters to express their trust in them
- PDP invites citizens to realize true offers in elections
- Mesic statement on constitutionality of BiH nations

- aimed at raising political tensions RS Radical Party General Secretary Deretic
- SNDS presents its candidates in Sokolac
- SNSD priority is allotment of construction sites for refugees — SNSD member Kragulj
- SDS supports preservation of RS according to <u>Dayton</u>
 <u>Agreement</u> SDS Vice-president Cavic
- Economic renewal must prevent exodus of young citizens –
 Democratic Patriotic Party
- HSS BiH protests against attempts at changing ethnographic picture of BiH
- SPRS holds press conference in Serb Sarajevo
- Serb Patriotic Party celebrates seventh anniversary SDP
 BiH presents candidates for Gradiska in Nova Topola