

Annex 20

CLASSIFICATION: SECRET

**TRANSCRIPT: TELEPHONE INTERCEPT
AUGUST 7, 2008
CALL INIATION: 00:22:02
CALL DURATION: 1 MINUTES, 12 SECONDS
FORMAT: MAGTICOM**

	Name	Position	Phone
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Respondent	Alik Lagkoev	Chief observer of North Ossetian peacekeeping battalion	899 115880

Language of conversation is Ossetian

Gaseev: Hello

Lagkoev: Prisi checkpoint is calling, something is falling close to their location. They are probably shooting at the site from where the Georgians are also shooting, but they are hitting Prisi positions.

Gaseev: Where is Prisi checkpoint?

Lagkoev: Where the Russians are deployed.

Gaseev: Are our guys shooting at them?

Lagkoev: I was told so, they want to shoot over them, but they can't reach the target.

Gaseev: Understood. I'll call them ...

Lagkoev: This should be done appropriately.

Gaseev: Can't we shut up the Sarabuki direction? They've installed large ones there, they are located far and they are shooting from there...

Lagkoev: I know, they are "working" on that site as well.

Gaseev: Let them "work."

Lagkoev: Some orders are given.

Gaseev: Go on...