

what Goran's fellow officers told his family later on, the shell that killed him was seen coming from the Serbian side. Goran's family had Goran buried on 17 August 1998 in the New Cemetery in Rušanj [Belgrade].

Sources: statement of D.P, HLC-34589; SMIP, *Teroristički...*, III, 938; KMC AFRY, *Persons died...*, HLC-10832; SV SRJ, *Junaci otadžbine*, 52; Z. Stijović, *Kosmet...*, 110; M. Sekulić, *Beograd...*, 73; *Pripadnici Ministarstva unutrašnjih poslova - žrtve albanskog terorizma u 1998.godini*, on <http://www.srbija-info.yu/vesti/1999-02/19/9769.html>, HLC-31078.

Brahim (Bekë) Novaj

(born 1934, Albanian from Dobërdol/Dobri Do, Pejë/Peć municipality, farmer, four children)

Brahim and his wife left their home in 1997 because of problems they had had with the police, and went to stay with some friends at the other end of the village. On 15 August 1998, Serb forces started shelling **Dobërdol/Dobri Do**, so Brahim and his wife fled with other village residents to a nearby wood. On **16 August 1998**, at about 02:00h, a shell landed near Brahim, killing him immediately. He was buried the same morning by some cousins and local residents in a field owned by Rustem Berisha. His family returned to the village after the war and transferred Brahim's body in September 1999 to the cemetery in Dobërdol/Dobri Do.

Source: statement of M.N, HLC-14577.

Zoran (Vitomir) Aničić

(born 26/09/1970, Serb from Prijepolje, member of MUP RS)

Having finished secondary school of commerce, Zoran completed a police training course in Sremska Kamenica [Serbia] and joined the police force. He served with the Palilula [Belgrade] Police Department. He lived in Belgrade with his brother Boban. On 15 August 1998, Zoran was sent to Kosovo on a field assignment. At about 23:30h the next day [**16 August 1998**], he was killed in clashes with the KLA in **Lubeniq/Ljubenić**. He was buried

on 18 August 1998 on the family lands in Grab village [Montenegro].

Sources: statement of B.A, HLC-27282; SV SRJ, *Junaci otadžbine*, 12; KMC AFRY, *Persons died...*, HLC-10832; SMIP, *Teroristički...*, III, 938; Z. Stijović, *Kosmet...*, 109.

Milaim (Rexhë) Gjocaj

(born 2/08/1975, Albanian from Baballoq/Babaloc, Deçan/Deçani municipality, farmer, single, member of KLA)

Avni (Bali) Sinanaj

(born 12/03/1978, Albanian from Baballoq/Babaloc, Deçan/Deçani municipality, member of KLA)

Agron (Sadri) Gjocaj

(born 10/04/1978, Albanian from Baballoq/Babaloc, Deçan/Deçani municipality, unemployed, single, member of KLA)

Milaim, Avni and Agron joined the KLA in April 1998. All three men were assigned to the KLA local headquarters in Baballoq/Babaloc. Avni was given command over a 12-strong unit. On **18 August 1998**, Milaim, Agron and Avni headed for Albania to obtain weapons, with a group of KLA members. On Mount *Bjeshka e Dobroshit/Dobroš*, near **Bogićevica** [Plav municipality, Montenegro], they were ambushed by members of the Yugoslav Army. Milaim, Agron and Avni were killed in the firefight that ensued. Milaim's father Rexhë, accompanied by ICRC and OSCE Kosovo Verification Mission (KVM) representatives, found his son's sock and shoe at the place where he was killed. Nearby, they found a body covered with earth, which was subsequently collected by international organisations. On 15 April 2004, Milaim's mortal remains were identified through DNA matching, after which he was buried by his family in the cemetery in Baballoq/Babaloc. Agron's and Avni's bodies are still unaccounted for. Agron and Avni are registered on the ICRC list of missing persons under BLG-803244-01 and BLG-803246-01 respectively.

Sources: statement of R.G, HLC-29577; J. Martinsen, *List...*, HLC-26092; ICRC, *Persons missing...*, HLC-9795; H. Hasani, *Dëshmorët...*, HLC-25596.
