

Attack Against the NATO SHAPE¹ School (December 20, 1984)

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On December 18, 1984, we parked a car bomb just outside the SHAPE School in Oberammergau.

That is where NATO's integrated staff is trained. The objective of the action was to neutralize the military figures gathered there.

Unity in the offensive against NATO and international capital – build the revolutionary front in West Europe!

Conduct the struggle in the metropole as part of the international class war!

Jan Raspe Commando

This action failed because:

As the person who drove the car in was walking back out through the gate, a German army officer came to the gate and stood with the guard. The other members of the commando, who had sought cover in a wooded area about fifteen meters from the entrance, heard the officer ask a question and the guard answer, "He drove in a while ago, and now he's leaving." So at that point the officer was obviously suspicious. At that point, we left. The timer was set to explode at 9:30 am, because by then most of the officers would be in the school. "It stopped eight hours early" and all the other claims the cops are making are nonsense. They had an hour and a half to identify the car (which, given that there were only ten cars in the parking lot, wasn't particularly difficult) and disarm the bomb.

The attempt by the Federal Prosecutor to use the attack against the prisoners' hunger strike will not succeed. It will be shattered by the prisoners' collective struggle, the West European guerilla offensive, and the prospect of the West European front, which is now a reality. That is the context of our attack.

We will soon address this in greater detail.

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