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1. The 22 Armored Division at Kranj is commanded by Colonel Mladen Zakula. This Division forms part of the Headquarters of the Armored Units in Belgrade, which are commanded by Lieutenant General Veljko Kovacevic.

2. The Division is divided into regiments as follows:

   1 Regiment at Kranj, commanded by Major Dane Perovic, former commandant of the Lavovi Armored Brigade of Strazisce near Kranj.

   2 Regiment at Skofja Loka, commanded by Major Jovan Drca.

3. 2 Regiment is divided into four battalions as follows:

   1 Battalion - Independent (Transport). Commanded by Captain Mijo Culjat.
   2 Battalion - (Armored car). Commanded by Captain Barisa Zigic.
   3 Battalion - (Tank). Commanded by Captain Dusan Drolc.
   4 Battalion - (Assault). Commanded by Captain Milutin Mijatovic

4. Each battalion is divided into companies as follows:

   1 Motorized infantry
   2 Heavy mobile artillery
   3 Mixed artillery including light artillery, mortars, heavy machine guns, et cetera, divided into three platoons equipped as follows:

   (a) Skoda - small arms and four mortars of Russian pattern (caliber 85 mm)
   (b) Armored Pioneer Platoon with German Mauser guns.
   (c) Transport Platoon with Russian Model Zis-10 trucks capable of carrying 25 men.

5. The motorized infantry of the division is armed with automatics of the PPSn Model 41 (Russian type) caliber 7.62 mm.

6. Vehicle strength is as follows:

   80 armored cars and tanks
   28 trucks
   8 jeeps

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4 staff cars
22 motorcycles with side-cars

The tanks of German type which weigh about 30 tons, were refitted in the Soviet Union and have new turrets. These tanks are painted khaki green and are located in the former barracks of 1 Regiment Alpini in Skofja Loka. They have the following armament:

One 85 mm gun
One 7.62 machine gun
One 12.7 machine gun.

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