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Player injured in Borussia Dortmund bus blast, says club



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● Island is recognised as a top film location at awards ceremony in Los Angeles.

● Hugely successful mini-series *The Night Manager* was filmed on the island last year. Page 3

Berlin.—Borussia Dortmund's team bus was damaged and a player was injured following three explosions near the vehicle while it was on its way to last night's Champions League game at home to AS Monaco, police said yesterday. The match, a quarter-final first leg, was called off and rescheduled for this evening.

"According to what is currently known, the windows of the bus were (entirely or partly) smashed and one person was injured," Dortmund police said. The police said the incident happened in Hoechst, located outside the city.

"It is not yet possible to say exactly what the explosion was or exactly where something exploded," said the statement. Dortmund said defender and Spanish international Marc Bartra had been taken to hospital.

Police added: "Currently there is no evidence of a threat to the visitors at the stadium."

Borussia Dortmund said in a statement: "Shortly after the departure of the Borussia Dortmund team bus from the hotel to the stadium there was an incident. "The bus has been damaged in two places. One person has been injured and is in the hospital."



Trumpet voluntary: Elephants "excited" by banana-toting Queen

London.—Britain's Queen Elizabeth and her husband Prince Philip fed an elephant bananas yesterday to the apparent delight of the herd.

Elizabeth, who is patron of the Zoological Society of London (ZSL), and Philip met Donna, one of a nine-strong Asian elephant herd at the Centre for Elephant Care at ZSL Whipsnade Zoo, outside London. The pachyderms were said to be thrilled.

"The elephants, when they saw Her Majesty, were

excited and we know that, actually, because we track their communications in the barn and we could see that they were excited with what was going on," ZSL zoological director David Field said.

One of the centre's elephants is also called Elizabeth, born a day before the queen's 90th birthday last year. "Little Elizabeth didn't quite meet the queen. She's still a little young and unpredictable," Field said.