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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
4TH BRIGADE COMBAT TEAM, 4TH INFANTRY DIVISION
FOB PROSPERITY, BAGHDAD, IRAQ
APO AE 09348

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

AFYB-UA-CDR

24 May 2006

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, Multi-National Division - Baghdad, Camp Liberty, APO AE 09352

SUBJECT: Recommendations – AR 15-6 Investigation Re: EOF – 2-506 IN – 15 May 06

1. I have reviewed the above described investigation and recommend approval of the findings and recommendations. The local national was driving a vehicle that matched the description of a suspected AIF vehicle; and he was driving suspiciously after curfew with his lights off in an area of multiple previous IED attacks. I believe this individual was engaged in AIF activities during this EOF.
2. The Soldiers correctly applied escalation of force procedures and complied with the ROE. I recommend no adverse action be taken.
3. I agree with [REDACTED] that all patrols should have an interpreter and that patrols must gather evidence and intelligence at all scenes of suspected or confirmed AIF activity.
4. My POC for this action is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
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REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS BY INVESTIGATING OFFICER/BOARD OF OFFICERS

For use of this form, see AR 15-3; the proposing agency is UTJAS.

IF MORE SPACE IS REQUIRED IN FILLING OUT ANY PORTION OF THIS FORM, ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS

SECTION I - APPOINTMENT

Appointed by LTC [REDACTED]
(Appointing authority)on 15 May 2006 (Attach inclosure 1: Letter of appointment or summary of oral appointment data.) (See para 3-15, AR 15-6.)
(Date)

SECTION II - SESSIONS

The (investigation) (board) commenced at POB Falcon, Baghdad Iraq at 2100
(Place) (Time)on 15 May 2006 (If a formal board met for more than one session, check here . Indicate in an inclosure the time each session began and ended, the place, persons present and absent, and explanation of absences, if any.) The following persons (members, respondents, counsel) were present. (After each name, indicate capacity, e.g., President, Recorder, Member, Legal Advisor.)

The following persons (members, respondents, counsel) were absent: (Include brief explanation of each absence.) (See paras 5-2 and 5-8a, AR 15-6.)

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NOTEDThe (investigating officer) (board) finished gathering/hearing evidence at 2000 on 21 May 2006
(Time) (Date)and completed findings and recommendations at 2400 on 21 May 2006
(Time) (Date)

SECTION III - CHECKLIST FOR PROCEEDINGS

A. COMPLETE IN ALL CASES

	YES	NO ¹	NA ²
1. Inclosures (para 3-15, AR 15-6)			
Are the following inclosed and numbered consecutively with Roman numerals: (Attached in order listed)			
a. The letter of appointment or a summary of oral appointment data?	X		
b. Copy of notice to respondent, if any? (See item 9, below)		X	
c. Other correspondence with respondent or counsel, if any?		X	
d. All other written communications to or from the appointing authority?		X	
e. Privacy Act Statements (Certificate, if statement provided orally)?	X		
f. Explanation by the investigating officer or board of any unusual delays, difficulties, irregularities, or other problems encountered (e.g., absence of material witnesses)?		X	
g. Information as to sessions of a formal board not included on page 1 of this report?		X	
h. Any other significant papers (other than evidence) relating to administrative aspects of the investigation or board?		X	

FOOTNOTES: 1) Explain all negative answers on an attached sheet.

2) Use of the N/A column constitutes a positive representation that the circumstances described in the question did not occur in this investigation or board.

		YES	NO ¹	N/A ²
2	Exhibits (para 3-16, AR 15-6)			
	a. Are all items offered (whether or not received) or considered as evidence individually numbered or lettered as exhibits and attached to this report?	X		
	b. Is an index of all exhibits offered to or considered by investigating officer or board attached before the first exhibit?	X		
	c. Has the testimony/statement of each witness been recorded verbatim or been reduced to written form and attached as an exhibit?	X		
	d. Are copies, descriptions, or depictions (if substituted for real or documentary evidence) properly authenticated and is the location of the original evidence indicated?	X		
	e. Are descriptions or diagrams included of locations visited by the investigating officer or board. (para 3-6b, AR 15-6)?	X		
	f. Is each written stipulation attached as an exhibit and is each oral stipulation either reduced to writing and made an exhibit or recorded in a verbatim record?	X		
	g. If official notice of any matter was taken over the objection of a respondent or counsel, is a statement of the matter of which official notice was taken attached as an exhibit (para 3-16d, AR 15-6)?		X	
3	Was a quorum present when the board voted on findings and recommendations (paras 4-1 and 5-2b, AR 15-6)?		X	
B. COMPLETE ONLY FOR FORMAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS (Chapter 5, AR 15-6)				
4	At the initial session, did the recorder read, or determine that all participants had read, the letter of appointment. (para 5-3b, AR 15-6)?			
5	Was a quorum present at every session of the board (para 5-2b, AR 15-6)?			
6	Was each absence of any member properly excused (para 5-2a, AR 15-6)?			
7	Were members, witnesses, reporter, and interpreter sworn, if required (para 3-1, AR 15-6)?			
8	If any members who voted on findings or recommendations were not present when the board received some evidence, does the inclosure describe how they familiarized themselves with that evidence (para 5-2d, AR 15-6)?			
C. COMPLETE ONLY IF RESPONDENT WAS DESIGNATED (Section II, Chapter 5, AR 15-6)				
9	Notice to respondents (para 5-5, AR 15-6):			
	a. Is the method and date of delivery to the respondent indicated on each letter of notification?			
	b. Was the date of delivery at least five working days prior to the first session of the board?			
	c. Does each letter of notification indicate:			
	(1) the date, hour, and place of the first session of the board concerning that respondent?			
	(2) the matter to be investigated, including specific allegations against the respondent, if any?			
	(3) the respondent's rights with regard to counsel?			
	(4) the name and address of each witness expected to be called by the recorder?			
	(5) the respondent's rights to be present, present evidence, and call witnesses?			
	d. Was the respondent provided a copy of all unclassified documents in the case file?			
	e. If there were relevant classified materials, were the respondent and his counsel given access and an opportunity to examine them?			
10	If any respondent was designated after the proceedings began (or otherwise was absent during part of the proceedings):			
	a. Was he properly notified (para 5-5, AR 15-6)?			
	b. Was record of proceedings and evidence received in his absence made available for examination by him and his counsel (para 5-4c, AR 15-6)?			
11	Counsel (para 5-6, AR 15-6):			
	a. Was each respondent represented by counsel?			
	Name and business address of counsel:			
	(If counsel is a lawyer, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)			
	b. Was respondent's counsel present at all open sessions of the board relating to that respondent?			
	c. If military counsel was requested but not made available, is a copy (or, if oral, a summary) of the request and the action taken on it included in the report (para 5-6d, AR 15-6)?			
12	If the respondent challenged the legal advisor or any voting member for lack of impartiality (para 5-7, AR 15-6):			
	a. Was the challenge properly denied and by the appropriate officer?			
	b. Did each member successfully challenged cease to participate in the proceedings?			
13	Was the respondent given an opportunity to (para 5-8a, AR 15-6):			
	a. Be present with his counsel at all open sessions of the board which deal with any matter which concerns that respondent?			
	b. Examine and object to the introduction of real and documentary evidence, including written statements?			
	c. Object to the testimony of witnesses and cross-examine witnesses other than his own?			
	d. Call witnesses and otherwise introduce evidence?			
	e. Testify as a witness?			
	f. Make or have his counsel make a final statement or argument (para 5-9, AR 15-6)?			
14	If requested, did the recorder assist the respondent in obtaining evidence in possession of the Government and in arranging for the presence of witnesses (para 5-8b, AR 15-6)?			
15	Are all of the respondent's requests and objections which were denied indicated in the report of proceedings or in an inclosure or exhibit to it (para 5-11, AR 15-6)?			

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SECTION IV - FINDINGS (para 3-10, AR 15-6)

The (investigating officer) (board), having carefully considered the evidence, finds:
 At 150245MAY06 the Scout PLT "Ghost 6" element from HHC 2-506 IN, assigned to A CO 2-506 IN, mission number 2261, conducted an EOF rehearsal before going on mission (Encl 8C). At 150300MAY06 they departed FOB Falcon with 3 M1114 uparmored HMMW-Vs and 14 pax, 9 of which were vehicle crew, 5 of which were an SKT team "Rogue 6" to be inserted to engage AIF in Dora, and no interpreter (Encl 6). The crews of the M1114s were: vehicle #1 TC SGT [REDACTED] driver SSG [REDACTED] gunner SPC [REDACTED] for vehicle #2 TC 1LT [REDACTED] driver SPC [REDACTED] and Gunner SPC [REDACTED] and for vehicle #3 TC SPC [REDACTED] driver SPC [REDACTED] and gunner SPC [REDACTED]. At 150340MAY06 they emplaced the scout SKT team vic grid [REDACTED] in Muhallah 824 in the Dora area of Southern Baghdad. At 150430MAY06, during curfew hours, vic [REDACTED] vic Muhallah 824 south of Route Sonics the patrol noticed a white van with no lights on travelling in the vicinity of the "Tier I IED site" that fit the description of a vehicle that had been seen emplacing IEDs (Encl 8 A, B & E). The patrol moved to the location of the white van and which had stopped at the entrance to [REDACTED] by two small buildings and had parked with its lights off. Vehicle #1 moved in front of the white van while vehicle two moved around the other side behind it (Encl 8B, D, E, F). Vehicle #1 signalled it with vehicle lights and the vehicle siren, a green laser from the gunner, a tac light from the gunner, the TC telling the occupant to get out of the vehicle through his siren, the TC getting out and showing his weapon with intent to use, and finally the driver and TC getting out and shouting at him to get out of the vehicle in English and Arabic (Encl 8D, E, & F). The vehicle occupant turned his vehicle lights on and began fumbling for something with his hands (Encl 8F). At this point members of vehicle #1 saw it was a single military aged male and based on the circumstances the patrol felt he was a threat (Encl 8D, E, & F). The vehicle began to back up and the TC SGT [REDACTED] told the gunner to fire the NL M203 round (Encl 8E, & F). The PL LT Graves who was behind the vehicle said it began to go back and forth in a very rapid manner (Encl 8B). As the vehicle backed up around a small building and moved on to [REDACTED] to get away when SGT [REDACTED] fired two warning shots with tracers that landed in front of the vehicle, and then as the vehicle drove onto [REDACTED] to get away SGT [REDACTED] fired one disabling shot into his left front tire and then a second disabling shot into his right rear tire (Encl 8B). At this point SPC [REDACTED] the gunner on vehicle #1, stated based on all the circumstances he thought the vehicle was a threat and was either a VBIED or the driver had just emplaced an IED and would detonate it (Encl 8F). After seeing that the vehicle was not disabled by the M4 fire from the TC, he fired one burst of 6 rounds of M240B 7.62mm fire to disable the vehicle, and after the vehicle kept going he fired another 6 rounds of disabling fire from his M240B 7.62mm machinegun in the attempt to disable it (Encl 8D, E, & F). At the same time the LN vehicle was fleeing vehicle #2 was moving to the side of it to attempt to flank it from the right (Encl 8B, G). SPC [REDACTED] saw the disabling shots from vehicle gunner #1 were not slowing the vehicle so he fired 3 warning shots to the rear of the vehicle from his M240B MG followed by 3 disabling shots to the left rear tire and 3 disabling shots to the right rear tire (Encl 8G). At this point the LN vehicle slowed to a stop and vehicle #1 moved forward behind the stopped white van and vehicle #2 with the Scout PLT LDR LT [REDACTED] moved around in front of the stopped white van (Encl 8B, D, E, & F). The TC for vehicle #1 SGT [REDACTED] began telling the occupant in the white van to get out of the vehicle through the loud speaker in Arabic and English but the driver did not move (Encl 8D, E, & F). At this point SSG [REDACTED] and SGT [REDACTED] were told by the PSG SPC [REDACTED] to move up to the PL's truck to link up for a search of the vehicle (Encl 8C). The search of the vehicle found nothing suspicious and that the LN inside was dead (Encl 8B, D, & E). SPC [REDACTED] got an interpreter from a reinforcing patrol, went and got the IPs, and helped them take the LN vehicle and LN to teh Al Dora police station (Encl 8C). At about 150900MAY06 the scout PLT returned to the FOB (Encl 8D). Based on all the facts the BN S2 CPT [REDACTED] believes the van and driver were conducting AIF activities (Encl 8A). I concur.

(Continued on back with findings, timeline, and enclosures)

SECTION V - RECOMMENDATIONS (para 3-11, AR 15-6)

In view of the above findings, the (investigating officer) (board) recommends:

1. Recommend continued EOF training for all units involved in the incident.
2. Recommend every patrol have an interpreter.
3. Recommend not dismounting from an M1114 during an EOF incident until after the subject driver and passengers have come out of their vehicle for safety purposes. Use an interpreter with a external PA system to give instructions to Iraqi LNs.
4. No UCMI for anyone involved.

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Findings:

1. The Scout PLT conducted an EOF rehearsal before leaving for the SKT emplacement mission (Encl 8C)
2. The unit stopped the LN vehicle because it was in the vicinity of a Tier I IED site, fit the description of a vehicle that had been suspected of emplacing IEDs, was driving during curfew, and had its lights off (Encl 8A, B, C, D, E, & F)
3. The unit perceived that the driver had hostile intent and thought he was driving a VBIED or emplacing IEDs because he refused to listen to them and get out of the vehicle, turned lights on and was doing something with his hands they could not see, moved his vehicle rapidly back and forth, and tried to break out of the cordon (Encl 8F)
4. The unit conducted all EOF measures IAW current guidance (Encl 8D, E, & F):
 1. Used vehicle lights and siren
 2. Told the driver to get out over loud speaker in Arabic and English
 3. Flashed tac lights
 4. Shined laser
 5. Driver and TC got out and said again in Arabic and English for driver to get out of the car
 6. Showed weapons with intent to use force
 7. Gunner fired a non-lethal M203 round
 8. TC from vehicle #1 and gunner from vehicle #2 fired multiple tracer warning shots
 9. TC from vehicle #1, gunner from vehicle #1, and gunner from vehicle #2 fired disabling shots as the vehicle sped away (either the MG fire from gunner #1 or #2 became lethal and the LN was killed it cannot be determined)
5. The LN was killed by either the MG gun fire from vehicle #1 or #2 as he tried to escape the cordon. (Encl 8F & G)
6. Based on all the circumstances both myself and the BN S2 believe the LN was conducting AIF activity and therefore the EOF and all actions taken by the soldiers were justified. (Encl 8A)

Timeline (approximate):

150245MAY06 Scout PLT conducted an EOF rehearsal

150300MAY06 Scout PLT departs FOB Falcon

150340MAY06 Scout PLT they emplaced the scout SKT team vic grid [REDACTED] (SUSC552UW)

150430MAY06 Scout PLT notices white van driving vic Tier I IED site with lights off

150510MAY06 EOF incident

150900MAY06 Scout PLT returns to FOB Falcon

Enclosures:

1. Appointment Letter
2. SIR
3. Sigacts for 15 May 06
4. Daily Log Entry 15 May 06
5. EOF storyboards
6. Trip ticket for Mission #2261
7. Higher Headquarters EOF Guidance
8. Statements:
 - A. CPT [REDACTED] 62 2-506 IN
 - B. ILT [REDACTED] Scout PLT PL & Veh #2 TC
 - C. SPC [REDACTED] Scout PLT PSG & Veh #3 TC
 - D. SSG [REDACTED] Veh #1 SL & Veh #1 Driver
 - E. SGT [REDACTED] Veh #1 TC
 - F. SPC [REDACTED] Veh #1 Gunner
 - G. SPC [REDACTED] Veh #2 Gunner
 - H. SPC [REDACTED] Veh #2 Driver
 - I. SPC [REDACTED] Veh #3 Driver

- AFRL re incorrect storyboard
- Statement of SPC [REDACTED] Veh #3 gunner

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SECTION VI - AUTHENTICATION (para 3-17, AR 15-6)

THIS REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE. (If any voting member or the recorder fails to sign here or in Section VII below, indicate the reason in the space where his signature should appear.)

(Recorder)

(Investigating Officer) (President)

(Member)

(Member)

(Member)

(Member)

SECTION VII - MINORITY REPORT (para 3-13, AR 15-6)

To the extent indicated in Inclosure _____, the undersigned do(es) not concur in the findings and recommendations of the board. (In the inclosure, identify by number each finding and/or recommendation in which the dissenting member(s) do(es) not concur. State the reasons for disagreement. Additional/substitute findings and/or recommendations may be included in the inclosure.)

(Member)

(Member)

SECTION VIII - ACTION BY APPOINTING AUTHORITY (para 2-3, AR 15-6)

The findings and recommendations of the (Investigating Officer) (Board) are (approved) (disapproved) (approved with following exceptions/ substitutions). (If the appointing authority returns the proceedings to the investigating officer or board for further proceedings or corrective action, attach that correspondence (or a summary, if oral) as a numbered inclosure.)

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every patrol will have an interpreter.

Also the patrol did not complete exploiting any intelligence from the suspect vehicle. They checked for weapons, but nothing else. In the future the patrol will check w/ x-spray and check the driver ID to find out whether or not he is on any suspect lists.

I approve the Findings and Recommendations and remand to the BDE CDR to take action as he deems appropriate.


THOMAS C. MAFFEY
Brigadier General, US Army
Assistant Division Commander (Maneuver)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Headquarters, 2nd Battalion, 506th Infantry (Air Assault)
FOB Falcon, Baghdad Iraq

WAC-AAA

15 May 2006

MEMORANDUM FOR: MAJ [REDACTED] HHC/2-506 IN Camp
Falcon, Baghdad Iraq

SUBJECT: Appointment of Investigating Officer

1. You are hereby appointed as investigating officer to AR 15-6 and AR 210-7, paragraph 4-3, to conduct an informal investigation into the causes and circumstances surrounding the Escalation of Force incident that happened on 15 May 2006 on Route Sonics at [REDACTED] in Baghdad Iraq. 5USC552(6)(D)
2. In your investigation you will determine the cause and circumstances of the incident, what weapons and ammunition were used in the Escalation of Force, whether anyone was injured or property was damaged, what SOPs or regulations were violated if any, and make recommendations to prevent this from happening again.
3. Submit your findings and recommendations on DA 1574 to this headquarters within 3 days.

[REDACTED]
LTC, IN
Commanding

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SIR FOR 15MAY 06

MN # 2261

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FROM: A/2-506
THRU: 2BN 506 RCT
TO: MND-B G3 BTL MAJ IN CIC
SUBJECT: SIR

1. CATEGORY: Escalation of Force resulting in death of LN

2. TYPE OF INCIDENT: Escalation of Force

3. DATE AND TIME: 15 0510 MAY 06

4. LOCATION: [REDACTED] 5USC552(b)(6)

5. PERSONNEL INVOLVED:

A. SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

- A. RANK OR GRADE: SPC / E-4
- B. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: [REDACTED]
- C. RACE: AFRICAN-AMERICAN
- D. SEX: MALE
- E. AGE: 20
- F. POSITION: SCOUT RTO
- G. SECURITY CLEARANCE: SECRET
- H. UNIT AND STATION OF ASSIGNMENT: HHC/2-506 IN
- I. DUTY STATUS: ACTIVE
- J. MARITAL STATUS: SINGLE

B. SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

- A. RANK OR GRADE: SGT / E-5
- B. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: [REDACTED]
- C. RACE: CAUCASIAN
- D. SEX: MALE
- E. AGE: 25
- F. POSITION: SCOUT / SNIPER
- G. SECURITY CLEARANCE: SECRET
- H. UNIT AND STATION OF ASSIGNMENT: HHC/2-506 IN
- I. DUTY STATUS: ACTIVE
- J. MARITAL STATUS: SINGLE

C. SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

- A. RANK OR GRADE: SPC / E-4
- B. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: [REDACTED]
- C. RACE: CAUCASIAN
- D. SEX: MALE
- E. AGE: 21
- F. POSITION: SCOUT / SNIPER
- G. SECURITY CLEARANCE: SECRET
- H. UNIT AND STATION OF ASSIGNMENT: HHC/2-506 IN
- I. DUTY STATUS: ACTIVE
- J. MARITAL STATUS: SINGLE

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B. ALCOHOL INVOLVEMENT: NONE

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT: At 15 0500 MAY 06, SCT/HHC/2-506 IN was returning from infiltrating a small kill team when they encountered a LN vehicle (white Asia Topic van) on the side of [REDACTED] near the Dawra Market at [REDACTED]. The van was located in a Tier 1IED site and resembled description of a van that was previously (within two weeks) seen emplacing an IED at similar time. The US patrol moved to investigate the vehicle and establish a hasty cordon around the vehicle. The LN vehicle began to move away from the US patrol. The US patrol's lead vehicle conducted EOF procedures and shouted to stop the vehicle and flashed the vehicle several times with their flashlight and attempted to signal the vehicle to stop. The lead M1114 moved around the LN vehicle and pulled in front of the vehicle. The scouts dismounted and attempted to stop the car. The vehicle continued movement away from the lead vehicle. The gunner in the lead vehicle fired a non-lethal M203 round at 20m toward the LN vehicle, but missed. The vehicle continued movement away from the US patrol and was engaged with 4 x rounds of 5.56mm SAF aimed at the vehicle's tires to disable the vehicle. The vehicle was not disabled and continued to attempt to evade the US patrol and was engaged with 20 x rounds of 7.62mm fire into the rear of the vehicle, striking the LN driver and killing him. There was only one occupant in the vehicle. The patrol secured the site and called for assistance in securing the site. The US patrol took photographic evidence of the incident site and secured the site until relieved by 1/D/2-506 IN. 0725 1/D/2-506 has relieved SCT and is awaiting IPs.

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7. OTHER INFORMATION:

A. RACIAL: NONE

B. EOF INVOLVEMENT: See summary

8. REMARKS: N/A

9. PUBLICITY: NONE

10. COMMANDER REPORTING: CPT [REDACTED] A/2-506 IN

11. POINT OF CONTACT: CPT [REDACTED]

12. REPORT ORIGINATED BY: CPT [REDACTED] A/2-506 IN

13. RELEASED BY: CPT [REDACTED] A/2-506 IN

14. UNIT NOTIFICATIONS:

A. IN PERSON

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>
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B. EMAIL paul.olsen@bct4id4.army.mil.mil
C. FM FREQ FH 930 CH 3

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>
BN TOC	CPT [REDACTED]	0550	Initial Report awaiting patrol debrief
BN TOC	CPT [REDACTED]	0712	Updated SNL data for SMs

MND-B BTL NCO:

TIME RECEIVED:

MND-B G3 BTL NCO ACTIONS:

MND-B CHOPS / BTL MAJ DISPOSITION:

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MND-B CHOPS NOTIFICATIONS:

A. TELEPHONE

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>
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B. EMAIL

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>
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SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

14 0700 MAY 06 THRU 15 0700 MAY 06

Significant Event #	1	Journal #	14005	DTG	140959MAY06	Reporting Unit	A/2-506
Unit(s) Involved		A/2-506				Location of Unit	
Description of Significant Event (Answer: Who, What, When, Where)		0959: A/2-506 REPORTS 1X LN MALE WAS SHOT IN THE HEAD WITH A 9MM PISTOL 8 TIMES. LOCAL NATIONALS IN AREA REPORTED THE BODY TO THE IP'S AT 1500HRS ON 13 MAY 06, BUT IP'S REFUSED TO COLLECT THE BODY. RENEGADE TOC NOTIFIED THE IP'S. SUMMARY: AT 1039 IPS ARRIVED TO COLLECT THE BODY. NOTHING FOLLOWS.					
CCIR (Yes / No)		List the CDR/Staff Notified		BIL NCO		Time Notified	
List Follow-Up Actions Required							
When Event is CLOSED OUT, type Nothing Follows		NOTHING FOLLOWS		Event Closed By & Time		SSP 1055	

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Significant Event #	2	Journal #	14071	DTG	141951MAY06	Reporting Unit	A/2-506
Unit(s) Involved		EASY 22				Location of Unit	
Description of Significant Event (Answer: Who, What, When, Where)		AT 1951: A/2-506 FOUND 1X LN DEAD. RENEGADE TOC CALLED THE IPS REQUESTED A UNIT TO POLICE UP THE BODY. THE DEAD LN IS DESCRIBED AS A MALE IN EARLY 30'S. HE WAS SHOT IN THE HEAD AND BACK. LN IN THE AREA SAID A WHITE OPAL OR KIA DROVE UP AND SHOT HIM. NO ID WAS FOUND AND/OR RELIGION IS UNKNOWN. AT 2020 NPS POLICED UP THE BODY AND TOOK IT TO THE IP STATION. SUMMARY: AT 2045 EASY MAIN REPORTS PATROL ACTUALLY DROPPED OFF THE BODY WITH NPS AT THE IP STATION.					
CCIR (Yes / No)		List the CDR/Staff Notified		BIL NCO		Time Notified	
List Follow-Up Actions Required							
When Event is CLOSED OUT, type Nothing Follows		NOTHING FOUND		Event Closed By & Time		SSG	

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Significant Event #	3	Journal #	14073	DTG	141945MAY06	Reporting Unit	IRON CLAW
Unit(s) Involved		CASTLE IRON CLAW				Location of Unit	
Description of Significant Event (Answer: Who, What, When, Where)		AT 1948 A/2-506 REPORTS AN EXPLOSION ON RTE SONICS. THIS EXPLOSION IS CONNECTED TO CASTLE IRON CLAW; CASTLE IRON CLAW REPORTS HITTING AN IED AT 1945. CASTLE IRON CLAW CONTACTED RENEGADE TOC AND REQUESTED ASSETS FOR SECURITY. B/1-35 WAS ACTION TO ASSIST IN CORDON. SUMMARY: POST BLAST ANALYSIS, IED WAS DESCRIBED AS A 1X OR 2X 122MM RD UNDER A BLACK PLASTIC BAG. IED WAS LAID IN A PREVIOUS IED SITE, IN THE WEST BOUND LN OF RTE SONICS. INTERNAL EOD THAT WAS WITH THE BUFFALO AND CLEARED THE SITE.					
CCIR (Yes / No)		List the CDR/Staff Notified		BIL NCO		Time Notified	
List Follow-Up Actions Required							
When Event is CLOSED OUT, type Nothing Follows		NOTHING FOLLOWS		Event Closed By & Time		SSG	

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Unit(s) Involved		SCOUTS/2-506				Location of Unit	
Description of Significant Event (Answer: Who, What, When, Where)		0500: SCOUTS WORKING FOR A/2-506 REPORT A EOF WITH 1 LN KIA VIC 43019 79650. PATROL ON SITE DOCUMENTING INCIDENT AND AWAITING IP SUPPORT. SIR AND STORYBOARD WILL BE SUBMITTED UPON PATROL RETURN. 2-506 AND 4/4 TOC NOTIFIED AT 0600. UPDATE: 0746: AL DORA IP AT INCIDENT LOCATION TO PICK UP DEAD LN BODY AND VEHICLE SIR DUE BY: 1000					
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14106	0432		EASY REPORTS GRID FOR SCOUTS AT [REDACTED] (b)(1)			UPDATED MAP/ BOARD		
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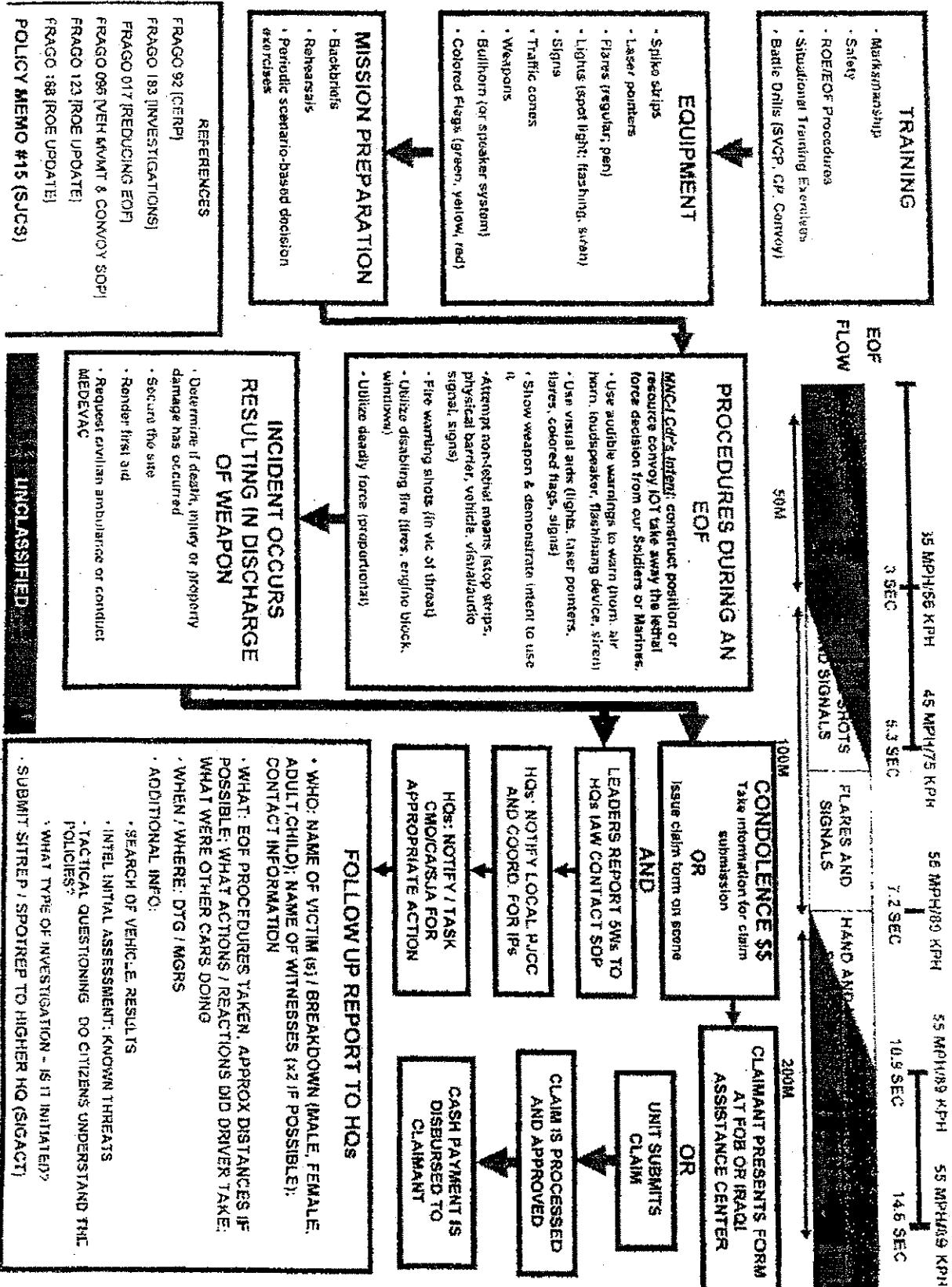
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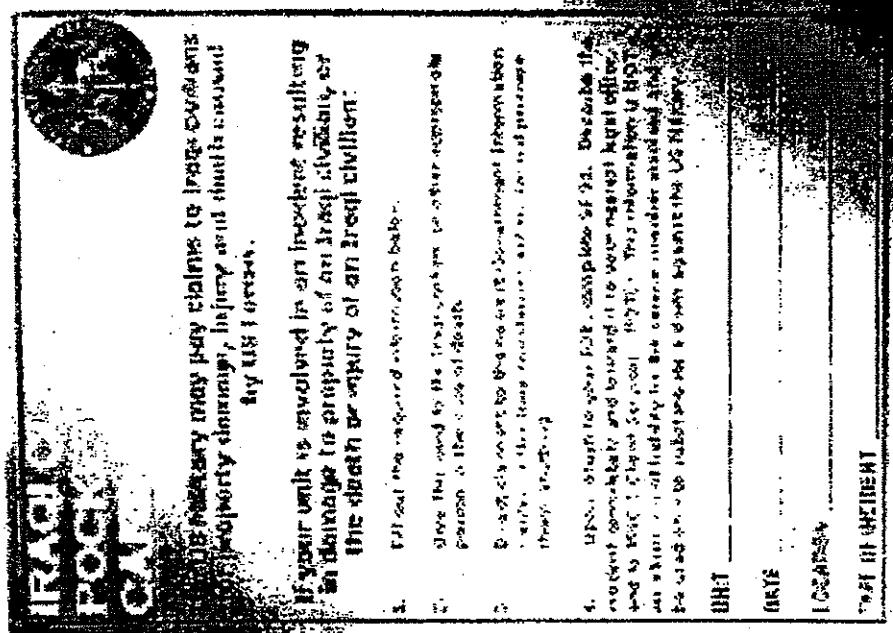
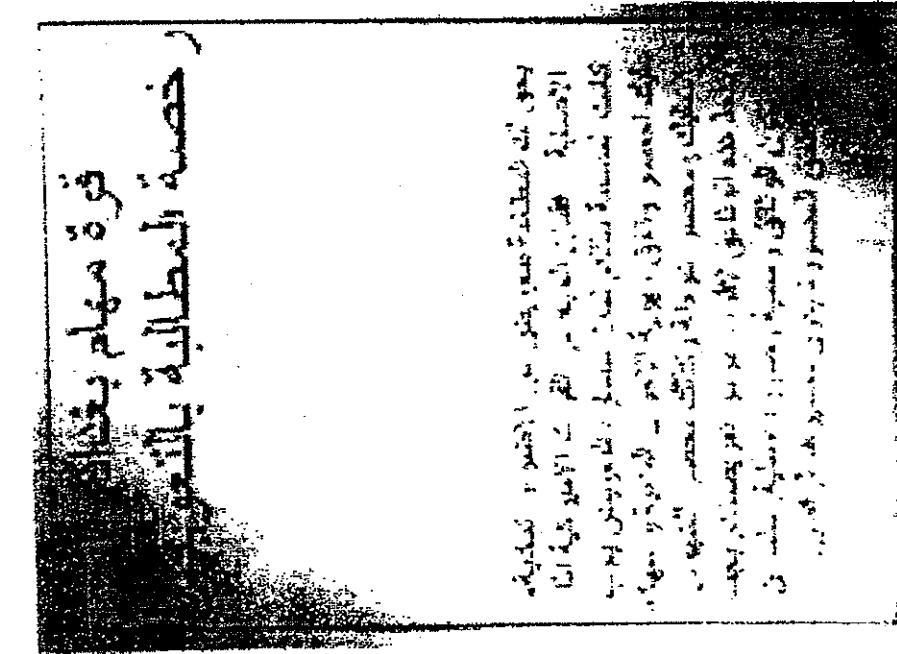
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for property damage, before and during a combat
by US forces.

2. Your unit is involved in an incident resulting
in damage to property of the Iraqi military or
the death or injury of an Iraqi civilian.

3. If so, the required documents below.

a. State that you or the Iraqi forces or other personnel
person in the case of death
b. Date, city and type of property or the name and
c. Name of the Iraqi civilian(s) and/or cause of damage
d. Injury.

e. USIS (Serial number), complete of 22. Describe the
incident completely and briefly to your best
knowledge (e.g. "I was hit by a bullet from an RPG". Your information is HOW
described and fully to the extent possible and
for what reason. We request that you keep the USIS number
with the file.

4. Date
5. Signature
6. Seal

7. Seal of Agent

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5. LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME	6. SSN	7. GRADE/STATUS	
		CPT / AR	
8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS			
S2 MHC 2-506 MV BN, BAGHDAD IRAQ			
9. CPT	WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:		

Q1. Is [REDACTED] V.I.C. [REDACTED] A TIER 1 IED
ST TEE
AND WHY? SUSPECTED

A1. Yes. [REDACTED] is an IED Tier 1 site because it has had more than 4 IED's located within 1 K within a month. This position has received 2D IED's within the last month SUSPECTED

Q2. WAS A WHITE VAN A POSSIBLE AIF VEHICLE
IN THE AO BEFORE?

A2. A white van was reported previously by one of our SKT's of emplacing [REDACTED] on IED.

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STATEMENT OF

CPT [REDACTED]

FOB FAYON DATED 052106

9. STATEMENT (continued)

Q3. Do You BELIEVE THE WHITE VAN
AND MALE DRIVING WAS AIT?

A3. Based on reports of the incident it
is likely this Van was conducting AIT activity.
The Van was reported to have been ~~driving~~ in
the tier 1 site after curfew with its lights on.

Q4. Do You HAVE ANYTHING FURTHER TO ADD?

A4. Nothing Further ~~105~~

INITIALS OF PERSON MAKING STATEMENT [REDACTED]

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STATEMENT OF

CPT [REDACTED]

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2. STATEMENT (Continued)

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CPT [REDACTED] HAVE READ OR HAVE HAD READ TO ME THIS STATEMENT WHICH BEGINS ON PAGE 1, AND ENDS ON PAGE 3. I FULLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ENTIRE STATEMENT MADE BY ME. THE STATEMENT IS TRUE. I HAVE INITIALED ALL CORRECTIONS AND HAVE INITIALED THE BOTTOM OF EACH PAGE CONTAINING THE STATEMENT. I HAVE MADE THIS STATEMENT FREELY WITHOUT HOPE OF BENEFIT OR REWARD, WITHOUT THREAT OF PUNISHMENT, AND WITHOUT COERCION, duress, influence, or undue inducement.

WITNESSES:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this 21 day of May 2006.

at [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] *[Signature of Person Administering Oath]*

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

[Signature]
[REDACTED] *[Signature]*
[REDACTED] *[Signature]*

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

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[REDACTED] *[Signature]*
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1. LOCATION FOB FALCON	2. DATE (YYYYMMDD) 2006/05/16	3. TIME 0437	4. FILE NUMBER
5. LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME [REDACTED]	6. SSN [REDACTED]	7. GRADE/STATUS O-2	

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9. [REDACTED]

, WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

On the morning of 15 May 2006, an element from my platoon was moving into Zone 25 to emplace a small kill team for anti insurgent operations. We departed the FOB at 0300 hours in 3 M11114's. I was the patrol leader and the TC of the second vehicle in the convoy. My driver was SPC [REDACTED] and my gunner was SPC [REDACTED]. The TC of the lead vehicle was [REDACTED] the driver was [REDACTED] and the gunner was [REDACTED]. The TC of the trail vehicle was SPC [REDACTED] the driver was SPC [REDACTED] and the gunner was SPC [REDACTED].

At approximately 0340 hours, we dropped off the five additional passengers that comprised the small kill team into Muhalla 826. After inserting them into the Muhalla, we continued patrolling in the sector to provide a patrol presence until we were to be replaced by the next patrol element from A/2-506 at 0600 hours. At approximately 0430 hours, we were patrolling in Muhalla 822 heading South along the North/South running road that intersects [REDACTED] and the eastern edge of the Dora market, and my trail vehicle TC reported that he had spotted a civilian vehicle that was north of our position. My lead vehicle immediately began to conduct a three point turn to interdict the civilian vehicle. Once the lead vehicle had passed my vehicle, I instructed my driver to begin his three point turn so that we could reinforce the lead vehicle in his pursuit of the civilian vehicle. We caught up with the lead vehicle in the vicinity of [REDACTED] where the Dora Market intersects with [REDACTED]. Once we were there, I saw SGT [REDACTED] dismounted from his vehicle, and he and his gunner were both shouting and pointing their weapons at the civilian vehicle. The civilian vehicle appeared to be moving back and forth very rapidly, and then I heard warning shots fired. After I heard the warning shots, I told my driver to move to the opposite side of the civilian vehicle so that we could trap it. As I was giving my driver instructions, the gunner of the stationary lead vehicle fired two bursts towards the civilian vehicle. As we were pulling up on the median to trap the civilian vehicle, my gunner fired two bursts towards the vehicle, as well.

As the civilian vehicle was pulling away, heading East on [REDACTED], it started to slow down, then stopped against the curb. I instructed my driver to pull past the civilian vehicle to provide far side security. Once we had passed the vehicle, I stopped my HMMWV, and dismounted and pointed my weapon at the driver of the civilian vehicle while I began shooting at him to exit his vehicle. After a few moments, it was apparent that the driver was either refusing to get out of his vehicle, or that he was dead. My PSG sent SGT [REDACTED] and SSG [REDACTED] to my location after I informed him that we had to clear the vehicle. The three of us moved to the median of [REDACTED] so that we could use the embankment for cover. I pulled security on the rear of the vehicle, SSG [REDACTED] pulled security on the front of the vehicle, and SGT [REDACTED] moved to the vehicle to clear it. He checked the outside of the vehicle, looking in the windows, and reported that the driver appeared to be dead. After he checked underneath the vehicle and reported that he saw nothing suspicious, he opened the door to the vehicle to check the vital signs of the driver. After he told me that the civilian was dead, I told him to check in the windows of the vehicle again but not to touch the driver until I received more guidance from higher. I moved back to my vehicle and reported to A/2-506 that we had a dead local national with an EOF event. It was approximately 0500 hours when I sent the report to A/2-506.

SGT [REDACTED] continued his search, but I told him not to disrupt the vehicle because I wanted the scene to remain undisturbed for the investigation photographs. After a the search, SGT [REDACTED] informed me that he had found a wallet with no money, an ID card, and another slip of paper. Once it became daylight, I took pictures of the scene. I then linked up with another element and handed cordon responsibilities to him. Finally, I proceeded to the Al Dora IP station and brought a group of IP's to the scene to collect the body. After bringing the IP's to the scene, I returned with my patrol to FOB Falcon. END OF STATEMENT

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(Sample of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this 16 day of May, 2006
at FOB Fallon

2006/05/16
FIR 2-5046 IN
ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

S6-T [REDACTED] 2006/05/16
HMC 2-505 EN
ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

(Signature of Person Administering Oath)

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5. LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME [REDACTED]	6. SSN [REDACTED]	7. GRADE/STATUS E7/SFC	

8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS
HHC, 2ND BN, 506 INF REGT, 101ST ABN DIV (AASSLT)

9. I, SFC [REDACTED], WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

On 15 May 15, 2006 we just finish inserting a team. So we continue on a patrol in Zone 25 to cover down till the next patrol came in to sector. When heading south my gunner SPC [REDACTED] said that there was a white van with no head lights to the rear. So I radio to the rest of the element. At that time all three trucks turned around to go investigate the van that had been to the rear that is now to the north. We headed at a speed of about 25-30 mph. to catch the van. We were in trail once we had gotten up there all I could hear and see was a van pulling off real fast and warning shoots and a couple of burst from the m240b from the front truck to rear of the white van. Once the firing stop we then cordon off the van to see if the person or persons were alive or dead. I sent SSG [REDACTED] and SGT [REDACTED] to check out the van to see if anybody was a live or dead and to search the van. I received the word that there was only one person a male and he was dead. We then waited till another element with a terp come to help secure the site. We then took the terp to the IP station. To get them to come to the site too remove the van and the body from the site. Once we had the IP's we took them back to the site. We returned the terp back to the patrol that had relieved us of the site so that we could return to the FOB. **END OF STATEMENT** *As force we left FOB we talked in the mission*

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STATEMENT OF SFC TAKEN AT FOB FALCON DATED 15 May 06

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(Signature of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this 15 day of May, 2006, at FOB Falcon, Tex

(Signature of Person Administering Oath)

May 2006
(Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

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(Authority To Administer Oaths)

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8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS
HHC 2-506th IN

9.

I, [REDACTED], WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

On 15 May 2006, at 0330 my convoy SP from FOB Falcon to insert the Rogue 6 element. The personnel in my vehicle were myself as the driver, SGT [REDACTED] as the TC, and SPC [REDACTED] as the gunner with 2 personnel from the Rogue 6 element. My vehicle was lead with Ghost 6 in the second vehicle and Ghost 7 in the rear vehicle. At approximately 0345 the rogue 6 element was inserted. We then continued to patrol zone 25. At approximately 0430 the rear gunner spotted a white van heading north away from our convoy. The convoy then did a U-turn and pursued the vehicle. My vehicle remained the lead vehicle. We got eyes on the van and he turned so we lost visual for a brief second. As we got close to the Al Dora market area, I saw where the van turned, and so did my gunner. When I turned on to the little access road that leads to [REDACTED] everyone in the vehicle spotted the van between two buildings with the front of the van facing the road. My TC turned on the siren as I was flashing my lights and SPC [REDACTED] shined his light into the van. SGT [REDACTED] then got on the loud speaker saying, "get out of your vehicle and come here" (in Arabic). During all of this, I pulled the truck just far enough ahead of the van so my gunner had good eyes on, and if it were a VBIED, the building would give us a little cover. Then SGT [REDACTED] got out of the vehicle to get the guy out of the van, because he would not get out with him speaking over the loud speaker. I also got out to help pull security. I then heard the van pulling off at a high rate of speed. SGT [REDACTED] yelled at SPC [REDACTED] to fire a non-lethal 203 round at the van. I then started to get back into the driver seat. When the van came around the building, SGT [REDACTED] fired two warning shots in front of the van. I know this because they were tracer and the van still would not stop. At this time, I started to feel threatened. He was also yelling to stop, and so was the gunner. He then shot two disabling shots one to the rear tire and one to the front tire. The vehicle still did not stop and started to head east out of [REDACTED], and that is when SPC [REDACTED] fired the M240B into the lower right rear of the vehicle. The van then came to a stop about 30-40 meters after that. SGT [REDACTED] then got back into the vehicle and we pulled forward to pick up rear security while Ghost 6 pulled up in front of the van to get far side security and Ghost 7 was to the south. SGT [REDACTED] and I then dismounted and moved up to Ghost 6's vehicle, using the low ground to the north to get there. We then decided to search the van, so I pulled security on the front of the van. I could see the driver he was laid out over the front of the seat and Ghost 6 pulled security on the rear of the van as SGT [REDACTED] went up to do the BDA. He saw nothing inside or outside the van, so he opened the driver side door to check the driver. The driver was not moving and he yelled back the driver had no pulse. After that, SGT [REDACTED] and I did a visual search on the van and did not find anything. I told the PL we find nothing and he called it up. We then set up the cordon and waited for further orders. About 60 to 90 mins later an element from Easy showed up to help out with the cordon. At around 0830 we went to the IP station to get some IP's to come out to get the body and van. We then headed back to FOB Falcon. We return around 0900.

End of Statement

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STATEMENT OF [REDACTED]

TAKEN AT FOB Falcon

DATED 2006/05/16

9. STATEMENT *(Continued)*

AFFIDAVIT

[REDACTED], HAVE READ OR HAVE HAD READ TO ME THIS STATEMENT WHICH BEGINS ON PAGE 1, AND ENDS ON PAGE 2. I FULLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ENTIRE STATEMENT MADE BY ME. THE STATEMENT IS TRUE. I HAVE INITIALED ALL CORRECTIONS AND HAVE INITIALED THE BOTTOM OF EACH PAGE CONTAINING THE STATEMENT. I HAVE MADE THIS STATEMENT FREELY WITHOUT HOPE OF BENEFIT OR REWARD, WITHOUT THREAT OF PUNISHMENT, AND WITHOUT COERCION, UNLAWFUL INFLUENCE, OR UNLAWFUL INDUCEMENT.

[REDACTED]
(Signature of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

SGT [REDACTED]

2006/05/16

HHC 2-506 IN

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law administer oaths, this 16 day of May, 2006
at [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
(Signature of Person Administering Oath)

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(Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

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SWORN STATEMENT

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

AUTHORITY: Title 10 USC Section 301; Title 5 USC Section 2851; E.O. 9397 dated November 22, 1943 (SSN).

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE: To provide commanders and law enforcement officials with means by which information may be accurately

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8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS HHC 2-506th IN			

9. [REDACTED] WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

On the morning of 15 May 2006, my platoon, scouts HHC 2-506 IN, consisting of 3 1114's were to conduct a Drop Off at the green mile in zone 25, and then a patrol of zone 25. Our SP time was 0300, I was the TC of the lead vehicle, my driver was SSG [REDACTED] and my gunner was SPC [REDACTED] we traveled North down [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] in zone 26, on which we traveled east to mechanics area. Then, we traveled north over the bridge into zone 25, then moved to north east of the green mile in zone 25 and inserted a SKT at approximately 0340. We then continued to patrol zone 25. At 0430 we were traveling south on Dora market street when ghost 7, the TC of the trail vehicle, said that they had spotted a white van to our north. Being that it was after curfew, we turned our 3 vehicle convoy around and began to search for the white van while driving north on Dora market road. As we approached [REDACTED] I spotted the vehicle parked next to a small building. We then turned east on [REDACTED] and blocked the vehicle, seeing that he was facing us. I turned on the siren and asked him in Arabic to get out of the van. When he did not, I got out of my 1114 and pointed my weapon at the van and yelled for him to get out of the van in English then in Arabic. At this point, he put the van in reverse and started to speed to the rear. At that time I yelled at SPC [REDACTED] to fire a sponge Non-Lethal 203 round. After the round was fired he continued to speed in reverse, and put it in drive as to go around the building and try to escape to [REDACTED] heading east. Once he was around the building in plain sight to me, I fired one warning tracer round in front of the vehicle with my M4. It impacted in the dirt right in front of his head lights. He continued to speed away and I fired another warning tracer in front of the vehicle. He then veered on to Sonics and I fired a 5.56 round into his rear right tire. He continued to speed off. I then fired another 5.56 round at his front left tire. At that time SPC [REDACTED] fired two 6 round burst from the mounted M240-B. I observed the tracers hitting the bottom right rear of the vehicle. At this point the white van began to stop and ultimately stopped on the south side of [REDACTED]. I instructed the driver to pull up about 20 meters as to cordon off the vehicle. I then got on the loud speaker and instructed the man to get out of the vehicle in Arabic and in English. He never moved. About five minutes later we received the call from ghost 7 to move up to ghost 6's vehicle which was in front of the van at this time. SSG [REDACTED] and myself moved to the north side of [REDACTED] as to get behind the cover that the embankment provided, and moved up to ghost 6's vehicle. He informed us that the three of us were going to search the vehicle. Ghost 6 was to cover the rear of the vehicle and SSG [REDACTED] was to cover the front of the vehicle while I went up and searched it. I moved up and search the outside and visually cleared the inside before I opened the driver's door. Once I opened the door I searched the driver and then checked his vital signs. I saw blood on his back but no exit wound. I also observed some nominal blood coming from his nose. Once the driver was found dead I turned off the ignition and lights and began to search the vehicle. After searching the van I had found his wallet, in his right pocket. I visually observed a pack of cigarettes that stayed in his hands. His wallet contained one I.D. card one business card, one picture and one small piece of paper that seemed to be a phone number. At that time I pulled back to my vehicle and deployed cones on the east and west lanes of [REDACTED]. Some time later we moved to the IP station and picked up an IP vehicle and returned to the scene. We then left to return to the FOB Falcon. — End of Statement

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STATEMENT OF [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] (Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

SSG. [REDACTED] 2006/05/16
HHC 3-507th BN

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

SPC. [REDACTED] 2006/05/16
HHC 3-507th BN

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this 16 day of May, 2006, at FOB Falcon, FOB

[REDACTED] (Signature of Person Administering Oath)

MJS (Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

7-506 IN BN XG
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INITIALS OF PERSON MAKING STATEMENT [REDACTED]

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

AUTHORITY: Title 10 USC Section 301; Title 5 USC Section 2951; E.O. 9397 dated November 22, 1943 (SSN).

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8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS
HHC 2-506th IN

9.

[REDACTED] WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

On the morning 15 May 2006, our platoon (Scouts, HHC 2/506), was attached to Alpha company 2/506 operating in sector 25. Our mission was to drop off Rogue 6 and his element into an OP on the Green Mile. Our SP time was 0300 that morning and we left the fob with three 1114's. The first truck was driven by SSG [REDACTED] TC'd by SGT [REDACTED] and gunned by me. The second truck had the Ghost 6 element, and the third truck had the Ghost 7 Element. We drove [REDACTED] road in sector 26 and crossed the Mechanics bridge into sector 25 to drop off Rogue 6. We patrolled sector 25 for approximately 30 minutes finding a suitable path and insertion point. We inserted Rogue 6 and his element at 0345 and turned around and drove out with blackout lights as not to compromise Rogue 6 immediately after insertion. Approximately 10 to 20 minutes after dropping Rogue 6 off our trail truck called up that there was a vehicle behind us moving in the opposite direction. After each of the trucks individually turned around in the street our truck sped off to catch to vehicle. The time was around 0410. As gunner I could see the Van's tail lights in front of us around 300-400 meters away. We lost sight of the van initially but I remember seeing where it had turned, and directed the driver into the area where I had last seen him. After approaching the area our vehicle slowed down. We had passed the access road and the railroad tracks and had just come up on two small buildings where we saw his vehicle parked with the lights off. His vehicle was parked facing our truck with the lights off no more than 5m away from us on the curb. He turned his lights on and started fumbling with his gears which led me to believe he was going to drive into us and either; initiate a VBIED attack, separate our convoy, or trigger an IED. We were at a tier 1 IED site on [REDACTED] so I decided his vehicle was entirely too close to ours, and at the moment was threatening. SGT [REDACTED] turned the vehicle siren on and started yelling at the guy to get out of the truck, and to stop, in Arabic. I shined my green laser which I had taped to my M4M203 and I shined the Surefire Tac-light into his windshield on him so I could see his hands and his face. This is when he began to back up at a high rate of speed and I was instructed to fire the non-lethal 203 round. I did so right before the truck had backed up between the two buildings and I lost sight of him. SGT [REDACTED] got out of the vehicle after I told him I no longer had eyes on. He fired 4 rounds. When the vehicle pulled out onto [REDACTED] when I got eyes on again, and I saw it peel out and take off at an accelerated speed. At this time I watched the driver of the vehicle disobey all the verbal warnings of SGT [REDACTED] and me, and not respond to either non-lethal 203 rounds, warning shots into the road, or disabling shots into the tires. These things in culmination with his rapid rate of speed exiting the area led me to believe that he was either a VBIED, or had just emplaced an IED and was going to detonate it at our position. This is when I aimed the M240 at the lower, back half of the vehicle to disable it. I knew disabling it's rear tires and the back half of the vehicle would cause it to leak and stop. I shot a six round burst into the vehicle to disable it and paused long enough to see that it was still moving at the same speed. I fired the second six round burst and afterwards decided that the vehicle was most likely incapable of escaping. The vehicles slowed down and moved approximately 30-40m leaking fluids until it rolled into the curb going about two miles an hour. The curb was enough to stop the vehicle from moving and this is when SGT [REDACTED] began telling the driver to get out of the vehicle. The driver wasn't responding to the loudspeaker, so SSG [REDACTED] and SGT [REDACTED] dismounted and walked along the opposite side of Sonics, using the embankment for cover, and linked up with ILT [REDACTED] who then secured the vehicle, and cleared it, while I pulled security

End of Statement

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TAKEN AT POB Falcon

DATED 2006/05/16

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[REDACTED] (Signature of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

SSN

HHS 2-506 IN
ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

HHS 2-506 IN
ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this 16 day of May, 2006
at POB Falcon, Iraq

MAJ [REDACTED]
(Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

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(Authority To Administer Oaths)

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

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8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS
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I, SPC [REDACTED], WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

On 15 May 06 around 0430hrs we were patrolling zone 25 after dropping off our SKT. The order of movement was truck one: SSG [REDACTED], Sgt [REDACTED], and SPC [REDACTED]. The second truck was SPC [REDACTED], 1LT [REDACTED] and me. In the third vehicle it was SFC [REDACTED], SPC [REDACTED] and SPC [REDACTED]. I was the second vehicle gunner with 1LT [REDACTED] as the TC and SPC [REDACTED] as the driver. We got a report of a civilian vehicle driving with its lights off to our six. The convoy turned around, and cornered the vehicle off the main road. The first vehicle was first to reach the civilian vehicle and when they did the vehicle turned its lights on. The TC of the first vehicle which was SGT [REDACTED] got out as my truck came up to the civilian vehicle. SPC [REDACTED] the gunner of the first truck had the green laser on him as well as yelling at him telling him to get out of the vehicle. SGT [REDACTED] standing a good fifteen feet from the civilian vehicle was telling him to get out in Arabic, and I had my tactical light on him as well. The driver of the civilian vehicle then put his vehicle in reverse and started to flee. As soon as the civilian vehicle got onto [REDACTED] SPC [REDACTED] engaged the vehicle with the 240B. At the same time my truck was moving to flank the civilian vehicle. The civilian vehicle had not decreased in speed so I shot 3 warning shots behind the vehicle. It still wasn't slowing down, so I shot three shots in the rear left tire, then three in the rear right tire. The civilian vehicle then came to a slow stop. My truck then pulled to in front of the vehicle to set up the cordon. We set up our cordon at [REDACTED] and then sent up the information to Easy main.

END OF STATEMENT

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I, SPC [REDACTED], HAVE READ OR HAVE HAD READ TO ME THIS STATEMENT WHICH BEGINS ON PAGE 1, AND ENDS ON PAGE 2. I FULLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ENTIRE STATEMENT MADE BY ME. THE STATEMENT IS TRUE. I HAVE INITIALED ALL CORRECTIONS AND HAVE INITIALED THE BOTTOM OF EACH PAGE CONTAINING THE STATEMENT. I HAVE MADE THIS STATEMENT FREELY WITHOUT HOPE OF BENEFIT OR REWARD, WITHOUT THREAT OF PUNISHMENT, AND WITHOUT COERCION, UNLAWFUL INFLUENCE, OR UNLAWFUL INDUCEMENT. [REDACTED]

(Signature of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this 15 day of MAY, 2006 at FOB FALCON, IRAQ

105th HHC 2/506 FOB FALCON, Iraq
ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

(Type Name of Person Administering Oath)

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ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

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8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS
HHC 2/506th IN

9.

I, SPC [REDACTED], WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

On 15 May 06 around 0430hrs we were patrolling zone 25 after the insertion of our SKT. I, SPC [REDACTED], was the driver of the second truck, with 1LT [REDACTED] as the TC, and SPC [REDACTED] as the gunner. There was a report of a civilian vehicle driving with it's lights off to our six o'clock. 1LT [REDACTED] instructed the lead vehicle to turn around and catch up to the civilian vehicle. We turned the convoy around and began to try and catch up to the vehicle. SGT [REDACTED] vehicle was the first to reach the civilian van. SGT [REDACTED] had the vehicle's siren on and his gunner, SPC [REDACTED] was shining his spotlight as well as his green laser onto the vehicle. At almost the exact same time the gunner for my truck, SPC [REDACTED] shined his spot light on the vehicle. SGT [REDACTED] then dismounted from his truck and began yelling in Arabic for the driver to stop and get out. The driver then placed the vehicle in reverse and began to back away from our blocking position. SGT [REDACTED] then pointed his weapon at the vehicle and began yelling louder for the driver to stop in Arabic. The driver of the van then performed a three point turn and began accelerating towards [REDACTED]. As it did so SPC [REDACTED] fired a non-lethal M203 round at the vehicle. 1LT [REDACTED] instructed me to pursue the vehicle. As the van began turning on to [REDACTED] I heard two gunshots. The vehicle then began to speed away. I heard and saw tracer rounds from the M240B strike the lower, rear-end of the vehicle. I then heard SPC [REDACTED] fire five to six rounds from the turret with his M4. When the vehicle slowed I moved my truck around and to the front of the vehicle into a blocking position. The vehicle finally stopped and our entire element set up a cordon. We set up our cordon at [REDACTED], and then reported the situation to Easy main. END OF STATEMENT

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[REDACTED] (Signature of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

SPC [REDACTED]

2/506 SCOUTS

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law administer oaths, this 16 day of May, 2006
at FOB Falcon, T(10)

[REDACTED] (Signature of Person Administering Oath)

1LT [REDACTED]

2/506 SCOUTS

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

MMT [REDACTED]
(Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

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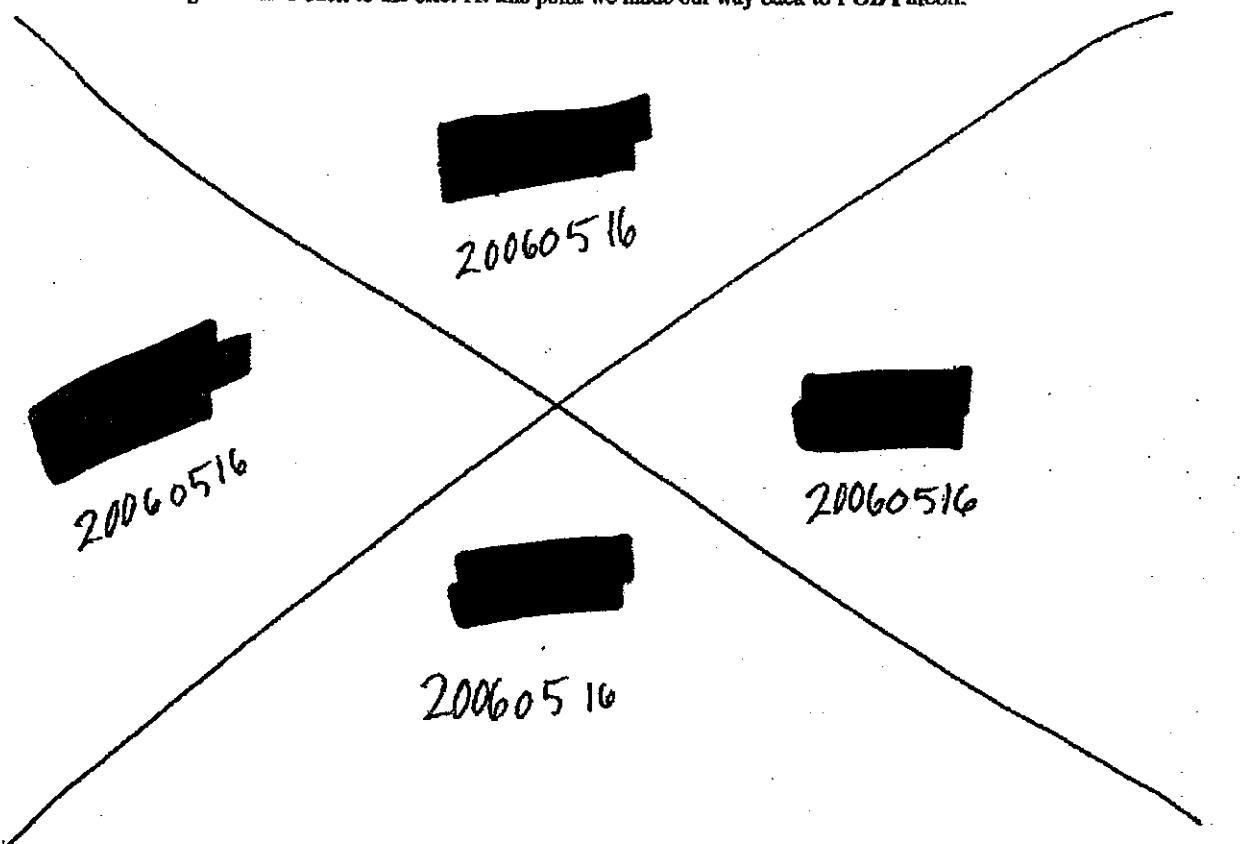
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8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS HHC 2/506 SCOUTS			

9. SPC [REDACTED] WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:
On the date of 16May06, in the approximate grid of [REDACTED], at the approximate time of 0430, I was driving the third vehicle in the three-vehicle convoy. The gunner of my vehicle saw and stated another vehicles presence. The three of our vehicles began turning around. Whenever I had turned my vehicle around I saw the taillights or brake lights of the civilian vehicle. I waited until the other two vehicles past my vehicle and then I followed behind them at a conservative combat distance. I heard lots of yelling. Then shots were fired. I was unable to see anything except a few tracer rounds due to the small buildings in the area. We then cordoned off the area and waited for another element to bring an interpreter. We took the interpreter to the IP station and brought the IP's back to the site. At this point we made our way back to FOB Falcon.

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I [REDACTED] HAVE READ OR HAVE HAD READ TO ME THIS STATEMENT WHICH BEGINS ON PAGE 1, AND ENDS ON PAGE [REDACTED]. I FULLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ENTIRE STATEMENT MADE BY ME. THE STATEMENT IS TRUE. I HAVE INITIALED ALL CORRECTIONS AND HAVE INITIALED THE BOTTOM OF EACH PAGE CONTAINING THE STATEMENT. I HAVE MADE THIS STATEMENT FREELY WITHOUT HOPE OF BENEFIT OR REWARD, WITHOUT THREAT OF PUNISHMENT, AND WITHOUT COERCION, UNLAWFUL, INCLUDING, OR UNLAWFUL INDUCEMENT.

WITNESSES:

[REDACTED]

AMERICAN SCOUTS 2-506 101ST ADV P/D

[REDACTED]

AMERICAN SCOUTS 2-506 101ST ADV P/D

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to

administer oaths, this 16 day of May, 2006

at [REDACTED]

AMERICAN SCOUTS

2-506 101ST ADV P/D

(Authority To Administer Oaths)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Headquarters, 2nd Battalion, 506th Infantry (Air Assault)
FOB Falcon, Baghdad Iraq

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24 May 2006

MEMORANDUM FOR: Commander, 4th Brigade, 4th Infantry Division, FOB Prosperity, Baghdad
Iraq

SUBJECT: 15 May 06 Scout HHC 2-506 IN EOF storyboard discrepancy

1. The purpose of this memorandum is to explain the discrepancy in the Storyboard for the 15 May 06 Scout HHC 2-506 EOF incident.
2. On 15 May 06 the Scout PLT 2-506 IN conducted an EOF in Dora in Baghdad vic grid [REDACTED] vic Muhalla 824 in which they saw a white van driving during curfew with lights off in the [REDACTED] vicinity of a tier I IED site on [REDACTED]. The storyboard indicated that the vehicle was taken to the Al Dora IP [REDACTED] Station and tested for X-Spray and a positive TNT was the result. This was a report the TOC received from B/1-35 AR which was not correct. The PLT that went to Al Dora IP station X-sprayed the wrong vehicle, a dark sedan, not the white minivan. Thus the positive test was not included in the findings of the 15-6. the white minivan was never tested for X-spray.
3. This does not change my belief that the LN was conducting AIF related activities and the actions taken by the soldiers in the EOF were justified.
4. POC is the undersigned at [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
MAJ, IN
Battalion Executive Officer

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For use of this form, see AR 190-45; the proponent agency is DDCOPS

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

AUTHORITY: Title 10 USC Section 301; Title 5 USC Section 2951; E.O. 13397 dated November 22, 1943 /SSN/.

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE: To provide commanders and law enforcement officials with means by which information may be accurately identified.

ROUTINE USES: Your social security number is used as an additional/alternate means of identification to facilitate filing and retrieval.

DISCLOSURE: Disclosure of your social security number is voluntary.

1. LOCATION ZONE 25 S. BAGHDAD, IRAQ	2. DATE (YYYYMMDD) 2006/05/15	3. TIME 2327	4. FILE NUMBER
5. LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME [REDACTED]	6. SSN [REDACTED]	7. GRADE/STATUS E4/SPC	
8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS HHC SCOUTS 2/506TH 101st ABN INF (AASSLT)			
9. [REDACTED]			

, WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

After inserting the Sniper Rouge element into their hide site at 050340MAY2006 we continued on a routine patrol through Zone 25. Just before mandatory curfew ended I spotted a white van driving up from the north around [REDACTED]. We decided to pull it over for curfew violation. When we approached the vehicle it started to speed away. I was in the rear truck along with: SPC [REDACTED] (driver), and SPC [REDACTED] (TC). While gunning for the rear vehicle I heard shouting and multiple shots from the lead vehicle. By the time we got up to the van everything was over and we established 360 degree security awaiting A Co's arrival.

END OF STATEMENT.

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STATEMENT OF SPC [REDACTED] TAKEN AT FOB FALCON DATED 2006/05/15

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(Signature of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

HHC SCOUTS 2/506TH

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

HHC SCOUTS 2/506TH

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to
administer oaths, this 15 day of MAY, 2006
at FOB FALCON, IRAQ

(Signature of Person Administering Oath)

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(Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

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(Authority To Administer Oath)

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SECTION VI - AUTHENTICATION (para 3-17, AR 15-6)

THIS REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE. (If any voting member or the recorder fails to sign here or in Section VII below, indicate the reason in the space where his signature should appear.)

MAJ [REDACTED]

(Recorder)

(Investigating Officer) (President)

(Member)

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SECTION VII - DISSENTING REPORT (para 3-13, AR 15-6)

To the extent indicated in Inclosure _____, the undersigned do(es) not concur in the findings and recommendations of the board. (In the inclosure, identify by number each finding and/or recommendation in which the dissenting member(s) do(es) not concur. State the reasons for disagreement. Additional/substitute findings and/or recommendations may be included in the inclosure.)

(Member)

(Member)

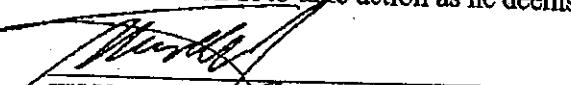
SECTION VIII - ACTION BY APPOINTING AUTHORITY (para 2-3, AR 15-6)

The findings and recommendations of the (investigating officer) (board) are (approved) (disapproved) (approved with following exceptions/ substitutions). (If the appointing authority returns the proceedings to the investigating officer or board for further proceedings or corrective action, attach that correspondence (or a summary, if oral) as a numbered inclosure.)

Add
Every patrol will have an interpreter.

Also the patrol did not complete exploiting any intelligence from the suspect vehicle. They checked for weapons, but nothing else. In the future the patrol will check w/ x-spray and check the driver ID to find out whether or not he is on any suspect lists.

I approve the Findings and Recommendations and remand to the BDE CDR to take action as he deems appropriate.


THOMAS C. MAFFEY
Brigadier General, US Army
Assistant Division Commander (Maneuver)