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Shahidi-Hassas District, Uruzgan Province, Afghanistan
- WHO: ODA
- WHAT: [REDACTED]
- WHEN: 210415ZFEB10
VEHICLE ONE

RIGHT SIDE  LEFT SIDE

POINT OF IMPACT OF HELLFIRE

Comments: Vehicle strike was a direct hit resulting in 10 to 11 casualties.
VEHICLE TWO

COMMENTS: Fragmentation of 2.75 inch Zuni rocket found in impact site. 
-Impact site was 5m from vehicle. 
-Damage was to rear of vehicle, front of vehicle was relatively undamaged.
VEHICLE TWO

Comments: Vehicle was spun from rocket strike.
VEHICLE TWO

POINT OF IMPACT OF ROCKET

WOMEN (3) FROM VEHICLE TWO

VIEW OF VEHICLE TWO FROM VEHICLE THREE
Comments: Impact was to the engine block
-Engine block absorbed most of the fragmentation and blast effects resulting in the rear of the vehicle having minimal damage.
-Wounded were massed on the left side of vehicle
Comments: Rear of vehicle sustained minimal fragmentation damage.
INVESTIGATOR COMMENTS

• Team arrived approx. three (3) hours after the strike.
• Bodies from vehicle two did not match blast pattern. KIA’s were lined up perpendicular on the right side of vehicle two, covered, and approx. 4 meters from the vehicle.
• Women confirmed bodies were moved.
• Front windshield from vehicle one was located approx. 100 meters to the Southwest of vehicle one. The windshield was moved from the original impact location.
• A 2.75 inch zuni rocket impact was found on approx. 80 meters on the east side of the road. There was a small pool of blood near the impact.
• Foot prints were found all over and around the site.
• No women or children were killed.
INVESTIGATOR COMMENTS

- There were 15 to 16 KIA on site. 10 to 11 from vehicle one, two (2) from vehicle two, and three (3) from vehicle three.
- Site was tampered prior to team arrival.
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LTC Oruzgan CIVCAS talking points / products

SOTF Training / Understanding of ROE & TD implementation
- Method of Command (Developed Sept 09)
  - in JUL 09; TD became central to all discussions, training, SOPs, CFF
  - OPDs with AOB Commanders, Team Leaders;
  - COMCISOTF-A strong emphasis
  - JRTC LFX vignette: 1st unit to exercise TD guidance at JRTC LFX/Peason Ridge (Sep 09): 4 hours on LFX on a 45-minute lane b/c implementing TD/BDA TTPs
  - Rehearsals with Fire Support (JUL 09, SEP 09) — Battle CPT “questions”
  - Advocate of GEN McChrystal TTP: How a General implements guidance (TD) that sticks — TD effective way to force proper behaviors by constraining battlefield TTPs and/or adding clarifying criteria. TD is good guidance.

Products (SECRET)

Discussion Points
- CDR’s intuition vs. Speculative Reporting: Held back on both
- CAS / EOF procedures
- Missed reporting on medevac – lost initiative on “first with the truth”
- ODA went from BDA site back to original mission: delayed debrief
- 1232 (27 Jan 10) 1 IED BIP
- 1232 (28 Jan 10) 1 PPIED strike (1 USSF KIA, 1 USSF WIA, 2 LN KIA)
- 3124 (08 Feb 10) 1 PPIED recovered

**IEDs 23 Jul 09-Present**
89 IEDs encountered
21 IED strikes (To include LN’s)
54 IEDs reduced
7 IEDs recovered
1 Booby Trapped TB Flag

**Casualties 23 Jul 09-Present**
2 USSF KIA
4 USSF WIA
1 ANA KIA
1 ANP KIA
3 ANP WIA
3 ASG KIA
10 ASG WIA
3 LN KIA
5 LN WIA
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