Exhibit 63
DATE: 18 AUG 02

TO: ALEC

SUBJECT: EYES ONLY - DETAILS OF 17 AUGUST INTERROGATION OF ABU ZUBAYDAH:

TOR: 180802Z AUG 02

S-B-O-R-E-T 180758Z AUG 02

CITE 10635

TO: PRIORITY ALEC INFO

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1. ACTION REQUIRED: 1) DEFER TO ALEC FOR DISSEM OF PORTIONS OF BELOW IN INTEL FORMAT.

2. SUMMARY: DURING DAY 14 OF THE AGGRESSIVE INTERROGATION PHASE, (ABU ZUBAYDAH) (SUBJECT) PROVIDED NO NEW THREAT INFORMATION REGARDING PLANNED OR FUTURE TERRORIST ATTACKS AGAINST THE U.S. SUBJECT WAS INTERROGATED TWICE ON 17 AUGUST,

END OF SUMMARY.

3. ON 17 AUGUST, DAY 14 OF THE AGGRESSIVE INTERROGATION PHASE, 2002 COB AND DCOS ALSF ACCOMPANIED BY IC SERE SPECIALISTS (INTERROGATORS), RESUMED INTERROGATION OF ABU ZUBAYDAH (SUBJECT) IN TWO SEPARATE SESSIONS THE SESSIONS FOCUSED INTENTLY ON INCLUDING THE POSSIBLE LINK TO 9/11 AND FUTURE ATTACKS

THIS SESSION DID NOT SURFACE NEW THREAT INFORMATION, BUT SUBJECT'S RESPONSE DID STRONGLY SUGGEST THAT THE 9/11 ATTACKS
13. FOR THE RECORD, PICKING UP WHERE DETAILED 16 AUGUST
REPORTING LEFT OFF, FOLLOWING ARE DETAILS OF SUBJECT'S ACTIVITY: AT
16 AUGUST, SUBJECT WAS PLACED IN THE LARGE BOX AFTER
CLEANING/BANDAGING HIS WOUND. 17 AUGUST, SUBJECT WAS
REMOVED FROM THE LARGE BOX AND SEATED ON THE FLOOR, HOODED, UNTIL
HOURS WHEN HE WAS MOVED TO THE SMALL BOX. AT SECURITY
TEAM REMOVED SUBJECT FROM THE SMALL BOX AND HAD HIM STAND, HOODED,
AGAINST THE WALLING WALL. AT SUBJECT WAS MOVED IN TO THE
LARGE BOX BY SECURITY TEAM, WHERE HE REMAINED UNTIL REMOVED BY
SECURITY TEAM AND SEATED, HOODED, ON THE FLOOR. SUBJECT WAS MOVED
FROM THE FLOOR TO THE LARGE BOX AT HOURS BY SECURITY TEAM. AT
SECURITY TEAM WITH MEDICAL STAFF OPENED THE LARGE BOX;
SUBJECT CLEANS HIS WOUND. SUBJECT WAS RETURNED TO THE LARGE BOX AT
THIS BEGAN THE NEW 24-HOUR PERIOD. SUBJECT WAS REMOVED
FROM THE LARGE BOX AT , AND THE NEW INTERROGATION BEGAN AT
INTERROGATION SESSION WAS CONDUCTED ENTIRELY WITH SUBJECT
AGAINST THE WALLING WALL WITH ROLLED TOWEL/NECK SUPPORT AROUND HIS
NECK. IT WAS COMPLETED AT HOURS, WHEN INTERROGATORS AND
DEPARTED ROOM TO CONSULT WITH REMAINDER OF INTERROGATION TEAM. THE
SECOND INTERROGATION SESSION BEGAN AGAIN WITH SUBJECT
STANDING AGAINST THE WALLING WALL WITH ROLLED TOWEL/NECK SUPPORT
AROUND HIS NECK. THIS SESSION LASTED UNTIL WHEN SUBJECT
WAS SEATED ON THE FLOOR AT INTERROGATOR RETURNED TO
THE ROOM AND ASKED SEVERAL MORE QUESTIONS AS
SUBJECT STOOD AGAINST THE WALL.
THE ROOM, SUBJECT REMAINED STANDING AGAINST THE WALL, HOODED. AT
INTERROGATOR RETURNED TO THE ROOM TO CLARIFY A FEW OF
SUBJECT'S COMMENTS WHEN INTERROGATOR DEPARTED SUBJECT WAS SEATED ON THE FLOOR,
HOODED. SECURITY TEAM MOVED SUBJECT TO THE LARGE BOX;
SECURITY TEAM DEPARTED THE ROOM

14. FILE: 

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END OF MESSAGE

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