

CIVCAS CELL INITIAL ASSESSMENT

Allegation #	561			
Source(s)	WebOps	Date Received	27 June 2017	
Casualty Estimate	6 killed			
Incident Date	25-27 June 2017			
Location	Al-Ta'mim (IVO MGRS: (b)(1)1.4a IVO Kirkuk, IZ			
Allegation	1. Description of allegation: Claims that CF Airstrikes Caused Six CIVCAS in Al-Ta'mim, Kirkuk: Anti-Gol Iraqi media outlet, Al-Rafidain News (@rafidenchannel) reported via Twitter that CF airstrikes killed six civilians in airstrikes southwest of al-Ta'mim (Kirkuk province). The report, cited "media sources" as saying that the CF aircraft struck IVO the town of al-Abasi, southwest of Kirkuk, near the Hamrin Mountain Range, and destroyed a number of residences in the area in addition to killing six civilians. This topic trended and resonated at a low level in the Arabic IE. 2. Is this in Airwars? NO If yes, Title: Synopsis: Quality of Reporting:			
Analysis	a CCAR. If no, move to 2. 2. Does the allegation include	Tabaqah, Manbij, Tabaqah, then move the source (even if there and all derived from or all the source (even if there and all the source of	range? YES to number 3. tilding? NO to number 4. e are multiple sources, look at whether ne source)? YES If yes, move to 4.b. s it provide specific facts that may	

SECRET//REL TO USA, FVEY

SECRET//REL TO USA, FVEY

	4.c. Has media interviewed witnesses and/or victims? If yes, then contact journalist and re-
	assess. If no, then close the allegation.
	5.a. Are any of the sources high quality? If yes, move to 6. If no, move to 5.b.
	5.b. Are there at least two corroborating sources (total of 3) that independently reported the allegation, OR does it provide specific facts that may warrant a CCAR? If yes, move to 6. If no, close the allegation.
	6. Does the allegation contain sufficient information on the time, location and details to make an assessment of credibility? YES I.e., does it provide enough information to determine the date within 48 hour; does it provide enough information to determine a neighborhood, landmark, or other way to where the alleged incident occurred within a .5km radius? If yes, move to 7. If no, close the allegation.
	25-27 Jun 2017 MAT – no results CAOC – no results CJTF log and kmz – no results There are no strikes within or IVO of this location.
	7. Are there any potentially corroborating strikes? If yes, answer the below questions and task CCAR. If no, close allegation. NO
Non-US Coaliti Involvement	on None
Decision	Close at IA; insufficient evidence to corroborate the allegation due to no potentially corroborating strikes in the area at the time of the allegation. See Enclosure 1.
Report Approved By:	(b)(3) 10 USC 13Cb; (b)(6)

SECRET//REL TO USA, FVEY

