

From: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) ID (US)
 To: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) Deputy SJA
 Cc: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) 1 ID (US); (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) 1 ID (US); (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)
 Subject: FW: 5Ws for Possible CIVCAS IVO Iraq, IZ, ATIO (b)(1) 1.4a NOV 16 (~~SECRET//REL TO USA, FVEY~~)
 Date: Wednesday, November 16, 2016 7:25:37 AM

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Ma'am,

Another CIVCAS allegation came in tonight from (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) Chief of Military Operations, AFCENT, to our BTL CPT, and our BTL CPT asked us to look into it. The e-mail chain is below, with pertinent parts copied into my e-mail.

Please advise on how you would like to me proceed.

WHO: CJOC-E

WHAT: Reported CIVCAS allegation from AFCENT, (b)(1)1.4a

WHERE: Mosul, IZ / (b)(1)1.4a

WHAT WE KNOW: CJOC-E conducted a Strike on 3x ARMED PAX with a MORTAR TUBE on 15 (b)(1)1.4a NOV 2016 at the location indicated above. This engagement was under ROE (b)(1)1.4a. The enemy was positively identified with a reasonable certainty to be Da'esh, engaging with Friendly Forces. (b)(1)1.4a scans were conducted by (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6)

WHAT WE DON'T KNOW: Post-strike, it was reported by AFCENT that the building across the street from the engagement caught fire due to secondary explosions from the mortar/mortar tubes, with local firefighters and emergency technicians responding. CJOC-E STRIKE CELL ISRLO is in the process of obtaining video feed from (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6) for further analysis. We do not know if there were any CIVCAS from the incident.

FROM AFCENT:

WHO: (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6) strike observed by (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6) ISO CJTF OP (b)(1)1.4a

WHAT: Building fire; possible civilian WIA/KIA

WHERE: Mosul, IZ / (b)(1)1.4a / 94AQ

WHEN: 15 (b)(1)1.4a NOV 16

WHY: Building caught on fire after a secondary explosion following strike.

NARRATIVE: (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6) observed (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6) conduct a strike against a mortar manned by 3x adult males at (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6) dropped (b)(1)1.4a. The bomb hit its target, but a building across the street caught fire as result of the strike. At (b)(1)1.4a a fire truck and ambulance arrived on scene. Number of possible civilians WIA or KIA is unknown.

WHO REPORTED THE CIVCAS: DGS-1 (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) CIVCAS (males/females/children): UNK
 Assessment (Possible/Probable, WIA/KIA): UNK Any additional pertinent information: N/A

v/r,
(b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

Very Respectfully,

(b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

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From: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)
Sent: Wednesday, November 16, 2016 3:24 AM
To: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6); JSARMY 1 ID (US) (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)
Subject: Fw: 5Ws for Possible CIVCAS IVO Iraq, IZ, AT0(1)1 45 NOV 16 - Correction to target coordinates
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(b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

-----Original Message-----

From: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6); USMC MARFORCOM (US) (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)
Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 11:57 PM
To: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)
Subject: FW: (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) 5Ws for Possible CIVCAS IVO Iraq, IZ, AT0(1)1 45 NOV 16 -
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(b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

BLUF: CJTF received the email traffic below from AFCENT regarding a possible CIVCAS incident today.

Please forward to the appropriate channels. Let me know if CJOC-E is already tracking.

-----Original Message-----

From: USARMY Camp Arifjan USARCENT Mailbox CJTF-OIRCJ33OPSO

Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 11:34 PM

To: (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) USMC MARFORCOM (US) (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

Subject: FW: [S//REL TO USA, FVEY] 5Ws for Possible CIVCAS IVO Iraq, IZ, AT0 (b)(1) 45 NOV 16 -

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From: (b)(1)1.4d, (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 11:22 PM

To: REL AUAB CAOC BATTLE DIRECTOR <rel.battledirector@afcent.af.smil.mil>; USARMY Camp Arifjan USARCENT Mailbox CJTF-OIR-CJ33-CHOPS <usarmy.arifjan.usarcent.mbx.cjtf-oir-cj33-chops@mail.smil.mil>;

USARMY Camp Arifjan USARCENT Mailbox CJTF-OIRCJ33OPSO <usarmy.arifjan.usarcent.mbx.cjtf-oir-cj33opso@mail.smil.mil>; USARMY Camp Arifjan USARCENT Mailbox CJTF-OIR-CJ33-DCHOPS <usarmy.arifjan.usarcent.mbx.cjtf-oir-cj33-dchops@mail.smil.mil>

Cc: REL AUAB CAOC /CCO <RELAUABCAOC.CCO@afcent.af.smil.mil>; AUAB CAOC BATTLE DIRECTOR <deputy.director@afcent.af.smil.mil>; AUAB CAOC COD CCOS <AUABCAOCC@afcent.af.smil.mil>

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Colonel,

The USN provided updated coordinates for this strike, highlighted below. Grateful if you would forward this update to JFLCC. Thank you.

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(b)(1)1.4d, (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

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From: (b)(1)1.4d, (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 4:21 PM

To: REL AUAB CAOC BATTLE DIRECTOR; 'CJTF CHOPS'; 'CJTF CJ33'; 'CJTF DCHOPS'

Cc: REL AUAB CAOC /CCO; AUAB CAOC BATTLE DIRECTOR; AUAB CAOC COD CCOS

Subject: [S//REL TO USA, FVEY] 5Ws for Possible CIVCAS IVO Iraq, IZ, AT0 (b)(1) 45 NOV 16

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Colonel,

As discussed, please see below 5Ws for possible CIVCAS resulting from a strike ISO Op (b)(1)1.4a CJFLCC would have been TEA; grateful if you would forward to them to look at this and complete the FIR. We have video and a story board if required. I work on a CSD account and cannot attach files to emails; let me know if you would like the video and story board and if required I will have the CCO send to you.

Please acknowledge receipt of this email.

Thanks.

(b)(1)1.4d, (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6)
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From: AUAB CAOC COD CCOS
Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 4:11 PM
To: REL AUAB CAOC BATTLE DIRECTOR
Subject: [S//REL TO USA, FVEY] 5Ws for Possible CIVCAS IVO Iraq, IZ, ATQ (b)(1)1. 15 NOV 16

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Sir,

BLUF: Possible CIVCAS after a strike in Mosul, IZ.

Video and imagery files have been saved in the folder:

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Additional information

Shooting Asset: (b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6)

Shooting Asset Un(b)(1)1.4a, (b)(6)

Nationality: US

Base: (b)(1)1.4a

Weapon Employed: (b)(1)1.4a

Supported Unit: CJOC-Erbil

ROE: US

Task: RECCE

Type of Control: Unknown

Time of 9L (b)(1)1.4a time of weapon release: (b)(1)1.4a time of impact: (b)(1)1.4a

Location: (b)(1)1.4a

Who reported the CIVCAS: DGS-1 (b)(3) 10 USC 130b; (b)(6) CIVCAS (males/females/children): UNK Assessment (Possible/Probable, WIA/KIA): UNK Any additional pertinent information: N/A

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