

CIVCAS Tracker

CLASSIFICATION: ~~SECRET~~

RELEASABILITY: ~~REL TO USA, FVEY~~

Allegation

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ALLEGATION NUMBER: 639

ALLEGATION STATUS: Closed

INCIDENT DATE: 18-Feb-2016 00:00

COUNTRY: SYRIA

OPENED DATE: 26-May-2017 00:00

LOCATION OF INCIDENT: Shadadi - Al
Hasakah Province
(95AL)

MGRS: Not Reported

NEAREST MAJOR CITY: Not Reported

COORDS UNKNOWN: No

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RELEASABILITY: NONE

ALLEGATION DATE: 26-May-2017 00:00

SOURCE: Airwars

SOURCE TYPE: Social Media

February 18th 2016: Al Shadadi, Al Hassakah governorate, Syria
Summary: Multiple civilian sites in the city were allegedly targeted by Coalition F-16s and F-15Es according to reports, reportedly leading to the deaths of 12 civilians.

DESCRIPTION: According to the Damascus Center, "According to field information, the raids were carried out by white and blue/gray fighter planes on civilian areas inhabited by displaced persons from Dayr ez Zawr, Aleppo and Hassakah. Those areas struck included:

- Ina'ash al Reef clinic - the only health center in the city of Shadadi
- Al Tahrir secondary school
- A'llawi al Saleh school for basic education
- Mohammad al Faress school for basic education.
- al Amal school for basic education.
- The municipal building and the building of the former Socialist Arab

Baath Party operating in the town
 - The former Building Directorate of the region (of the internal security forces in Syria)"
 Civilians reported killed: 12
 Reported injured: 32
 Sources: Damascus Center for Human Rights Studies [Arabic], Al Bawaba [Arabic], Ahmad Awwad - local activist [Arabic],
 Quality of reporting: Fair
 Coalition position: For February 17th-18th the Coalition reported that "Near Al Hasakah, four strikes struck three separate ISIL tactical units and destroyed an ISIL building."
 And for February 18th-19th the Coalition reported: "Near Al Hasakah, four strikes struck two separate ISIL tactical units and destroyed five ISIL vehicles and two ISIL fighting positions."

Initial Assessment

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INITIAL DATE: Not Reported

INITIAL ASSESSMENT: Not Reported

Assessment Details

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ASSESSMENT UNIT: TF 94-7

ASSESSMENT TASK
DATE: Not Reported

NON-US COALITION NATION: Not Reported

ASSESSMENT RESPONSE:

There was 1 strike (RTF Strike # (b)(1)1.4a) in the vicinity of Shadadi on 18 February 2016. The strike targeted ISIL tactical vehicles being transported on a flatbed truck traveling on a road located approximately 3.4 miles north-west of Shadadi. The strike was taken in favorable conditions when no civilians were in the vicinity. Post-strike imagery from ISR FMV showed no collateral damage from the strike. Based on review of imagery from ISR FMV and the strike description mismatch with that of the alleged CIVCAS, Task Force 94-7 has determined that this reported CIVCAS allegation is not credible.

ASSESSMENT CIVCAS: No

FURTHER ACTIONS DIRECTED: Not Reported

LESSON LEARNED/ROOT CAUSE: Not Reported

ASSESSMENT KILLED: 0

ASSESSMENT INJURED: 0

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CLOSED DATE: 31-May-2017 00:00

US INVESTIGATION REPORT DATE: Not Reported

CLOSED AT: CCAR

EX GRATIA: No

CIVCAS: NO

COMMENTS: Not Reported

KILLED: 0

INJURED: 0

PAO RELEASE DATE: 07-Jul-2017 10:25

NA: No

REASON FOR NO RELEASE: Not Reported