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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director Central Intelligence

FROM: Christopher J. Walker, Director

SUBJECT: Information for 12 April SSCI Hearing.

Here is the information that you requested:

- 1. A catalogue of CIA written Congressional Notifications since 2001 regarding CIA renditions, detentions and interrogations (Attachment 1)
- 2. A list of all Members and Staff briefed on CIA Interrogation program. (Attachment 2)
 - Total Members and Staff briefed on Interrogation program (no EIT discussion) = (88)
 - Total Members and Staff briefed on Interrogation program (including EITs) = (68)
- 3. A list of all Members and Staff briefed on CIA Rendition program 2001-present. (Attachment 3).
- 4. List of current SSCI information requests to CIA. (Attachment 4)

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			Ranking Member Harman	
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15-Jul-2004.	IG Report on CTC Program	SSCI	Chairman Roberts ·	٠.
			Vice Chalman Rockefeller	
6-Aug-2004	Provided general overview of renditions,	SGAC		
	detention and interrogation			
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25-Jan-2005	EITs :	HPSCI .	Chairman Hoekstra	·
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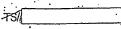
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D/OCA began the meeting by outlining the three purposes of the meeting. The IG then briefed his report. He said that at first much went right with the debriefing and interrogation program, although the program was put together quickly. (He briefed from the paper attached.) He said that there was considerable substantive success; thousands of reports had been written; interrogations had led to the exposure and defeat of terrorist cells and terrorists. Chairman Goss asked how many of the reports were "strategic" and how many were "tactical".

The IG indicated he was not sure. Ms. Harman asked when did we begain using "enhanced techniques." The DDO responded that it began with Abu Zabayda. The IG indicated that the interrogations were legal, including the use of enhanced techniques. The General Counsel said that the effort was working effectively under the DOJ I August 2002 memo which was the legal foundation for the debriefings and interrogations. The IG indicated that the I August memo did not address Article 16 of the Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman, or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. AThe article 16that required signatory Sstates to prevent in any territory subject to their jurisdiction acts of cruel, inhuman and degrading treatment or punishment not amounting to torture. The question was whether CIA's use of the enhanced techniques would transgress U.S. obligations under Article 16. The IG indicated he was also bothered in that the DOJ I August document did not address interrogations as we carried them out. He said that for the

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most pan letainees were well handled, except for the event in November 2003 in which a CIA officer brandished a handgun in front of a detainee. He indicated that was the event previously reported to the Chairman and Ranking Democratic Member. The DOJ, the IG indicated, took no action on that case. It was also true	
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Argnanistan in which David Passaro, a CIA contractor, was involved. Passaro was recently indict on four counts of assault. He allegedly beat a person who subsequently died. It took a period of time for DOJ to me to the indictment because people who needed to be interviewed were scattered. The IG said the common link in the cases is that the Agency officers lacked timely guidance, training, experience and judgment.	ove .
interrogated with the waterboard. On one, the IG felt it had been used excessively, beyond what the IG thought was agreement with DOJ. Khalid Sheikh Mohammed (KSM) got 183 applications The I indicated the guidance in cables sent to the field evolved over time and that the guidance did not get to everybody was involved in debriefing interrogations. In January 2003, the DCI issued guidance, seven months after the first debriefings began, and addressed only those detained Harman asked if we were talking about the She asked why the DCI guidance was late. The IG indicated that guidance in gone out earlier, but the real guidance was in January of 2003. The DDO explained that after 9/11, "we were thrown into a furly of actions." There was lots of confusion over interrogations, the enhanced program, and what was fulls.	IG /ho nad n
authorized. A for instance, no one was authorized to do interrogations. This was also true at He indicated that every instance of wrongdoing was promptly reported and investigated by the IG. He said there we no instance of the IG being kept in the dark. reaction to the Attorney General's seeming withdrawal of an earlier opinion that enhanced interrogations did not "shock the conscience" and that the techniques, therefore, were constitutional.	as ·
The Chairman asked whether had stood down in their activities. The IG said no. Rep. Harman noted that the liid not specify interrogations an only authorized capture and detention. She asked whether we had questioned detainees before the The GC said yes, but no enhanced techniques had been used before Abu Zabayda and there was	
Abu Zabayda and enhanced techniques which started in August 2002. In August 2 there was a lengthy unclassified opinion by DOJ generally discussing interrogations. In a separate and classified opinion addressed to John Rizzo, OGC, DOJ concluded the ten specific CIA techniques, which included the waterboard, were legal for use with Abu Zabayda.	2002
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(S) The GC laid out the legal analysis. The Attorney General had consistently advised the NSC Principals that the CIA techniques did not violate US statutes, met all obligations under the treaties, including Article 16 of the Torture Convention, and would not violate U.S. constitution standards were those standards to apply to aliens overseas. But the AG's willingness to stand behind these prior statements changed after DoJ'sthe lengthy unclassified legal memo on interrogations leaked and after the Abu Ghurayrabib scandal. CIA is now seeking to have DoJ reaffirm its prior written opinion that CIA's techniques doid not violate the torture statute, and to issue a new written opinion on Article 16 of the Convention Against Torture and U.S. constitutional standards. At the same time, CIA is seeking renewed policy approval from the NSC Principals to continue using the enhanced interrogation techniques.

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The enhanced techniques were described in considerable detail, including how the water board was used. The General Counsel described the process by which the techniques were approved by a bevy of lawyers from the NSC, the Vice President's office and the Justice Department, including the Criminal Division and the Attorney General

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On 10 May 2004, CIA's General Counsel outlined for the staffers the legal regimen that diopated our interrogation activities that principally arose from the Geneva III and IV agreements. Fig described the differences between the two Geneva agreements as they pertained to tituation. He indicated that was following Geneva, and in fact that some of our rules might be described as more stringent than Geneva required.

The General Counsel had previously received White House concurrence to acknowledge that, with respect to counterterrorism, which was approved by the White House and the Attorney General. These were deemed lawful and were not strictly under the Geneva agreement. He indicated that the Chairmen and Rnaking Members of the Senate and House Intelligence Committees had been briefed as well as staff directors, but those are the only Members/staff of Congress that had been briefed. Mr. would pass on the details of the General Counsel's briefing to his principal, Sen. Inouye,

> Stanley M. Moskowitz Director of Congressional Affairs

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Mr.
Minority Staff Director
Select Committee on Intelligence
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear

- (%) Enclosed are responses to questions posed by you and other staff members of your Committee during the 15 April 2005 Counterterrorism briefing. Our response to Question 6 relative to the Interagency Intelligence Committee on Terrorism (IICT) will be forthcoming.
- (y) Because of the sensitivity of the information, access should be limited only to those individuals on your staff briefed on this compartment.
- (M) Should you have any questions regarding this matter. please do not hesitate to call me or contact of my staff at

Sincerely,

Joe Wippl Director of Congressional Affairs

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Question 2. Why were these statements/claims declassified for use in the various speeches cited in the Congressional Notification if there was no corrobation of the reporting? Who authorized the declassification of this material? Who made the decision to use this uncorroborated reporting?

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Question 5. One of the briefers said that lying is a detainee strategy, as are allegations of torture, and that this is in their Training Manual. Please provide details via reporting, finished intelligence, or provide a copy of this portion of the Training Manual.

Response:

(D) The Training Manual can be found on the Internet in various locations, one being the Department of Justice website. The address to the specific page is:

http://www.usdoj.gov/ag/trainingmanual.htm

(The search term "al Qaeda Training Manual" can be used to get to the manual once you are on the DOJ website.)

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Response:

(U) Response will be forthcoming.

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Question 9. Please provide copies of the DoJ opinions provided to CIA on issues such as renditions, detainees, and interrogations—to include how to interpret Article 16 of the International Convention Against Torture. If we cannot provide copies, please provide dates for the array of opinions so that SSCI can ask DoJ for them.

Response:

In order for the SSCI to have the most current opinion, please make this request directly to the Department of Justice.

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Senate Select Committee on Intelligence

General Michael V. Hayden Director, Central Intelligence Agency

12 APRIL 2007

(U) Thank you Mr. Chairman and members of the Committee.

(PSI) On 14 February 2007, we discussed renditions, one of the key tools the Central intelligence Agency uses in the Global War on Terror; today, I have come to speak with you in more depth about a related program, our detention of key members and associates of al-Qa'ida. The Committee may remember that I have spoken with you in some detail on the subject of the CIA Rendition, Detention and Interrogation program in September 2006.

(T81) (NF) This Statement for the Record will focus on the detention program authorized by the ... und established in the wake of the March 2002 capture of senior al-Qa'ida lieutenant Abu Zubaydah, expanding on my oral remarks with details about the history of the program, the safeguards we have built into it, the reasons CIA is best placed to manage this high value detained interrogation and debriefing effort:

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/NF) History of the Detention Program

if was not until the capture of key al-Qa'ida lieutenant Abu Zubaydah in March 2002 that the need for a CIA program became clear. Abu Zubaydah was an up-and-coming lieutenant of

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Usama Bin Ladin (UBL) who had intimate knowledge of al-Qa'ida's current operations, personnel, and plans. Because of the importance of his information to protecting the United States, it was necessary for US officials to interrogate Zubaydah to ensure that: 1) the US Government had timely access to actionable intelligence, 2) all US Government intelligence, homeland security, and law enforcement questions were asked, 3) there was no filter between Zubaydah's information and the US Government.

(T8). While FBI and CIA continued unsuccessfully to try to glean information from Abu Zubaydah using established US Government interrogation techniques, all of those involved were mindful that the perpetrators of the 11 September attacks were still at large and, according to available intelligence reportedly, were actively working to attack the US Homeland again. CIA also knew from its intelligence holdings that Abu Zubaydah was withholding information that could help us track down al-Qa'ida leaders and prevent attacks. As a result, CIA began to develop its own interrogation program, keeping in mind at all times that any new interrogation techniques must comply with US law and US international obligations under the 1984-UN Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman and Degrading Treatment or Punishment.

(PS// A handful of techniques were developed for potential use; these techniques are effective, safe, and do not violate applicable US laws or treaty obligations. In August 2002, CIA began using these few and lawful interrogation techniques in the interrogation of Abu Zubaydah. As stated by the President in his speech on 6 September 2006, "It became clear that he (Abu Zubaydah) had received training on how to resist interrogation. And so the CIA used an alternative set of procedures... the procedures were tough, and they were safe, and lawful, and necessary."

Prior to using any new technique on Abu Zubaydah, CIA sought and obtained from the
Department of Justice an opinion confirming that none of these new techniques violated
US statutes prohibiting torture or US obligations under the UN Convention Against
Torture.

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- As CIA's efforts to implement these authorities got underway in 2002, the majority and
 minority leaders of the Senate, the Speaker and the minority leader of the House, and the
 chairs and ranking members of the intelligence committees were fully briefed on the
 interrogation procedures.
- After the use of these techniques, Abu Zubaydah became one of our most important sources of intelligence on al-Qa'ida,

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/NF) The Procedures Governing the Interrogation Program

(DE) The CIA interrogation program from late 2002 until the passage of the Detainee Treatment Act in 2005 included the use of 13 "exceptional interrogation techniques" (EITs) derived from the Department of Defense's SERE training program, which is used to prepare US servicemen for possible capture, detention, and interrogation in hostile areas.

- All interrogation sessions in which one of these lawful procedures are authorized for use
 must be observed by non-participants to ensure the procedures are applied appropriately
 and safely. These observers are authorized to terminate an interrogation immediately
 should they believe anything unauthorized is occurring.
- Any deviations from approved program procedures and practices are to be immediately
 reported and immediate corrective action taken, including referral to CIA's Office of the
 Inspector General and the Department of Justice, as appropriate.

(U) Shortly after 11 September 2001, the majority and minority leaders of the Senate, the Speaker and the minority leader of the House, and the chairs and ranking members of the intelligence committees were briefed on:

 Briefings to the chairs, ranking members, and majority and minority staff directors have been provided on multiple occasions since that time, and in the fall of 2005, in connection with discussion on the Detainee Treatment Act, several other members were briefed on the program, including the interrogation procedures.

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- The Department of Justice (DOJ) has reviewed procedures proposed by the CIA on more than one occasion and determined them to be lawful.
- The program has been investigated and audited by the CIA's Office of the Inspector General (OIG), which was given full and complete access to all aspects of the program.

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'NF) Benefits of the Program: Capturing Terrorists, Saving

(3/1) Since the 2002 inception of the program, high value detainee reporting has become a crucial pillar of US counterterrorism efforts. CIA assesses that a significant number of its knowledge of al-Qa'ida has been derived from detainee reporting, and well over half of our finished intelligence products on the group since 2002 make some reference to this reporting.

- For both warning and operational purposes, detained reporting is disseminated broadly among US intelligence and law enforcement entities and
- For today's briefing, I'm going to highlight a few key areas where detainee reporting has played a significant role: capturing other terrorists, disrupting plots, advancing our analytical understanding of and operations against al-Qa'ida, and helping to corroborate and direct other sources of collection. The President discussed some of these successes in his September 2006 speech and some of this material was briefed to staff members during previous Congresses, but I believe it is worthwhile for the sake of the current Committee to provide this explicitly detailed account to you today, so that you can get a better sense of why we view this program as so key to our fight against al-Qa'ida.

(SH , NF) Capturing Other Terrorists: Detainees have played some role—from identification of photos to providing in depth targeting information—in nearly every capture of al-Qa'ida members and associates since 2002.

- In March 2003, former al-Qa'ida external operations chief Khalid Shaykh Muhammad (KSM) provided information about an al-Qa'ida operative, Majid Khan, whom he was aware had recently been captured. KSM—possibly believing the detained operative was "talking"—admitted to having tasked Majid with delivering \$50,000
- Khan—confronted with KSM's information about the money—acknowledged that he
 delivered the money to an operative named "Zubair" and provided Zubair's physical

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description and contact number. Based on that information, Zubair was captured in June 2003.

• During debriefings, Zubair revealed that he worked directly for Jemaah Islamiyah (II) leader and al-Qa'ida's South Asia representative Hambali.

we used the information provided by Zubair to arrest Hambali.

- Next, KSM—when explicitly queried on the issue—identified Hambali's brother, 'Abd al-Hadi, as a prospective successor to Hambali. Information from multiple detainees, including KSM, narrowed down 'Abd al-Hadi's location and enabled his capture in Karachi in September 2003.
- Bringing the story full circle, 'Abd al-Hadi identified a cell of JI operatives whom
 Hambali had sent to Karachi for possible al-Qa'ida operations. When confronted with his
 brother's revelations, Hambali admitted that he was grooming members of the cell for US
 operations—at the behest of KSM—probably to continue trying to implement KSM's
 plot to fly hijacked planes into the tallest building on the US West Coast.

) In addition to these two key cases, a number of other significant captures have resulted thanks to detainee reporting. It is important to highlight that these cases involve law enforcement's use of our detainee reporting:

- Jose Padilla: After his capture in March 2002, Abu Zubaydah provided information leading to the identification of alleged al-Qa'ida operative Jose Padilla. Arrested by the FBI in 2002 as he arrived at O'Hare Airport in Chicago, he was transferred to military custody in Charleston, South Carolina, where he is currently being held.
- Iyman Faris: Soon after his arrest, KSM described an Ohio-based truck driver whom the FBI-identified as Iyman Faris, already under suspicion for his contacts with al-Qa'ida operative Majid Khan. FBI and CIA shared intelligence from interviews of KSM, Khan, and Faris on a near real-time basis and quickly ascertained that Faris had met and accepted operational taskings from KSM on several occasions. Faris is currently serving a 20-year sentence for conspiracy and material support to a terrorist organization.

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(SII) Disrupting plots: One of the fall-outs of detaining these additional terrorists has been the thwarting of a number of al-Qa'ida operations in the United States and overseas.

• The West Coast Airliner Plot: In the early planning stage of the attacks of 11 September, al-Qa'ida leaders considered an ambitious plot that called for striking both coasts of the United States with as many as ten planes in one operation. Usama Bin Ladin (UBL) reportedly scaled back that plan to the US East Coast only—saving the West Coast for a follow-on attack—and UBL specifically mentioned California as a target to be attacked in the weeks following 11 September, according to detainee reporting. Operatives assigned to this plot were detained during 2002 and 2003, including KSM. Evidence suggests—as I noted earlier—that Hambali was considering pursuing this plot, and his efforts were disrupted by his detention and his cell of operatives.

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- Heathrow Airport plot: Shortly after his capture in March 2003, KSM divulged limited information about his plot to use commercial airliners to attack Heathrow Airport and other targets in the United Kingdom; he discussed this plot probably because he believed that key Heathrow plotter Ramzi bin al-Shibh, who had been detained six months previously, had already revealed the information. KSM speculated that the operation was completely disrupted with the detention of senior al-Qa'ida planner Khallad Bin Attash and Ammar al-Baluchi; a variety of other reporting suggests this assessment is accurate.
- The Karachi plots. Key members of al-Qa'ida's Pakistan network who were detained in 2003 have provided details of the anti-US attacks they were planning in Karachi against the US Consulate, Westerners at the airport, and Western housing compounds.

Zubaydah in March 2002, we had large gaps in knowledge of al-Qa'ida's organizational structure, key members and associates, intentions and capabilities, possible targets for the next attack, and its presence around the globe. Within months of his arrest, Abu Zubaydah provided details about al-Qa'ida's organizational structure, key operatives, and modus operandi. For example, it was Abu Zubaydah, early in his detention, who identified KSM as the mastermind of 9/11. Until that time, KSM did not even appear in our chart of key alo-Qa'ida members and associates.

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• In the years since 9/11, successive detainees have helped us gauge our progress in the fight against al-Qa'ida by providing updated information on the changing structure and health of the organization, in part because they can help illuminate other sensitive collection platforms for us.

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//NF) Army Field Manual

(DIF) The Army Field Manual (FM 2.22.3) governs the interrogation of large numbers of detainees held by the US Military, who are captured in the course of traditional military hostilities. It is used by U.S. military personnel to help them collect tactical military intelligence from military detainees. Should the CIA be limited only to the interrogation techniques contained in the new Army Field Manual,

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continuing a covert CIA detention and interrogation program. The CIA program has proven to be effective after c

authorizing additional techniques. It must be noted that the cover sheet for FM 2.22.3 clearly states the manual is "Approved for public release; distribution is unlimited", hence UNCLASSIFIED. Consequently, we must assume that AQ and other organizations have or can easily obtain a copy and train their people to resist these techniques and the methodology. Hence, we have not only laid out our game plan for the taking but have included the entire playbook as well. As a result, should our interrogation of AQ suspects be limited to the techniques outlined in the field manual, we are left with very little offense and are relegated to rely primarily on defense. Without the approval of EITs to compliment the techniques approved in FM 2.22.3, we have severely restricted our attempts to obtain timely information from HVDs who possess information that will help us save lives and disrupt operations. Limiting our interrogations tools to those detailed in the field manual will increase the probability that a determined, resilient HVD will be able to withhold critical, time-sensitive, actionable intelligence that could prevent an imminent, catastrophic attack. In essence, we would be back to a pre-9/11 posture.

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for use with a detainee. Prior to being authorized for use, CIA requires a signed Executive Order, as required by the Military Commissions Act, and a DOJ opinion that each proposed method, whether applied individually or in tandem with others, would comply with applicable US law. Currently, seven EITs are under consideration.

At the entrance to an office in CIA's Counterterrorism Center is a sign and a reminder: "Today's date is September 12th, 2001." We make no apologies for this attitude or for the lawful and legitimate actions we have taken to counter al-Qa'ida. And let me be clear, our enemy is still potent and able to attack us here and overseas.

 While al-Qa'ida has conducted no new attack on the US Homeland, this is not for lack of trying. Al-Qa'ida was within weeks, if not days, of mounting an attack against planes

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flying into the United States from London last summer that could have been more lethal than the 11 September attacks, and its leaders also continue to try to gain access to chemical, radiological, biological, and nuclear weapons.

• Al-Qa'ida's only obstacle to attacking us again is our continued assertive effort to stop them. CIA's detention and interrogation program remains critical to our ability to sustain this effort and protect the American people from another attack. As the President stated in his 6 September 2006 speech to the nation on The Creation of Military Commissions to Try Suspected Terrorists, "... the most important source of information on where the terrorists are hiding and what they are planning is the terrorists, themselves."

Thank you.

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Subject: Phone call from NSC/LGL re NY Times article

I was called this morning by NSC Legal (who was calling at request of WH Counsel) in response to NY Times article over the weekend that SSCI would hold hearings on CIA's detention/interrogation of terrorists. NSC Legal (Dan Levin) asked whether any such hearing were scheduled. I told him I was unaware of any such hearings and that weekend reporting caught me by surprise. I also referred him to the Wolf Blitzer transcript (in todays Media Highlights) that indicated that SSCI was not planning to "investigate" but to "monitor" any CIA activities.

Mr. Levin asked me to check and get back to him whether SSCI has actually asked for any hearing. If they have not yet, but do at some point in the future, he would like to know soonest.

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Executive Summary:

(C) Panel three of this full HPSCI hearing on interrogations was conducted in line with the Committee's invitation lefter dated 6 July (attached). The hearing was structured as three panels comprised of witnesses from CIA, DOD, DOI and FBL This MFR reports the results of panel three, whose purpose as defined in the HPSCI invitation letter was to "discuss the value of interrogations to the intelligence community," to include "what information has been collected to date from detainee interrogations, its relevance, timeliness, and accuracy, and what intelligence is currently being sought from detainees in the Global War on Terrorism." The letter further enjoins panel three to "be prepared to provide an estimate of what the loss to the intelligence community would be if the interrogation process were to end completely." Lead witnesses for this panel were Lieutenant General William G. Boykin, Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence and War Fighting Support, Vice Admiral Lowell Jacoby, Director, DIA, Lieutenant General Keith Alexander, U.S. Army G2, John Pistole, FBI Executive Assistant Director for

. Deputy Chief, Directorate of Operations Near East and South Asia

(U) (Note: See mfr's C/2004-00588 and C/2004-00728 for the reports of results of hearing panels one and two, ectively.)

Summary Text:

(U) (NOTE: Information set forth herein is not a verbatim transcript of statements made at the hearing. Rather, it is a good faith effort to set down for the record information that was conveyed at the hearing.)

(U) Chairman Porter Goss opened panel three with a statement which prominently included the observation that detainee debriefings have led to the capture and thwarting of terrorists.

(S) Ranking Minority Member Jane Harman followed Chairman Goss with a statement which included the following assertions and observations: HPSCI still has not received all of the documents that it has requested; HPSCI has not been getting full and candid testimony on the detainee issue; panel three witnesses and briefers were strongly enjoined by Ms. Harman to provide full, candid answers to members' questions, and to avoid playing "20 questions"; she regretted that there was a significant element of CIA operations that the committee in full would not be able to address due to compartmentation and Gang of Four procedures; no one in the room doubts that interrogation is a tool that we must have; we need better HUMINT to penetrate terrorist cells; it is equally vital to operate within the scope of laws and accepted values; Ms. Harman hoped that reported successes would be put in their proper cost/benefit contexts; she noted that there were over 600 detainees in Baghdad and asked how much good, actionable intelligence was obtained from them, have we studied which tactics with detainees have been the most successful, noting that some say building rapport with detainees is the most successful tactic; Ms. Harman said that the U.S. Government must provide clear guidance to those in the field and claimed that this was not done in the past.

(8) At this point General Boykin read a prepared statement to the Committee in which he asserted that interrogation is a critically valuable tool, and, citing observations made by service personnel at Ft. Bragg, said that the most ortant factor in the capture of Saddam Hussein was interrogation.

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detainee information helps us to understand terrorist operatives and groups that don't operate/behave in a hierarchical manner, information obtained from Khalid-Shaykh-Muhammad in detention has been extremely valuable; working detainees is a building block process which involves taking information from one detainee, who often might think what he is providing is of little consequence, comparing/combining it with information obtained from another detainee in a manner that results in more valuable/actionable information; examples of this are the takedowns of Hambali,

and Majid Khan; good operations are thus derived from detainee information which are bits and pieces and which may be thought of as grains of sand on the beach—combined they make a recognizable beach; even today long term detainees like Khalid Shayk Muhammad and Zubayda are providing good information because their histories go back along way and often a tidbit they provide, while not initially operationally significant, ends up being the piece that completes the puzzle; DC/CTC closed by noting that he was personally persuaded that detainee reporting has saved lives.

- (U) Mr. Pistole next read his statement, followed by General Alexander, who was followed by Admiral Jacoby. Following the delivery of these statements, the hearing was opened up to members' questions.
 - (U) Butt: On a personal note, I'm thankful for the efforts of so many in the war on terrorism. We do follow the rule law and we can question what happened. At the end of the day we are proud of you and your efforts to the stop the at. Please don't lose faith or the commitment that's behind you. Is Saddam Hussein talking yet:
- Pistole: He is dissembling a lot and providing some historical information on the invasion of Kuwait. He refuses to talk about chemical weapons.
 - (U) Burr- Is there a line with Saddam that we won't cross on techniques?
 - (U) Pistole: The agents who are working the Saddam case are following standard FBI procedures.
 - (8) Burr: Have any methods used on Saddam required special approval?
 - (U) Pistole: No.
- (S) After his capture, We looked at the Milosovic example. Basically they were friendly discussions with an eye to future public prosecution.
 - (U) Burr. Were those indicted that were pointed out by the Attorney General from detainees?
 - (U) Pistole: Yes. Five of seven.
 - (U) Burr: If we didn't have the ability to interrogate would we have those five?
 - (U) Pistole: I can't say specifically. Generally, there would be a huge void.
 - Sy Harman: What are the costs in terms of the percent of folks who are not useful, wrongly detained, etc.? And

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what do you think of the value of enhanced techniques?

- In my view the benefits are huge and the costs are insignificant. Very few detainees don't provide us with good information, in our small part of the universe, the clandestine CT world.
- Alexander: We have 530 interrogators and the Chief of Staff is looking at adding 1,500 more. The first thing military commanders in the field want is more 97E's even to the point of trading off some of their combat troops.
- (S) Jacoby: CENTCOM and SOUTHCOM define techniques so I can't talk to you on that. At the strategic level, more investment is needed in interrogators. I agree with the information we obtain from detainees is of incalculable value.
 - (U) Hastings: What techniques were used that led to the capture of Saddam?
- (8) Boykin: Battlefield interrogation techniques by our special operations people who immediately interrogate detainess after capture. I can't say what the specific techniques are. SOCOM could comment on that. General Alexander and I went to Ft. Bragg to talk to interrogators. They all say unobtrusive forms of interrogation are the best.
 - (U) Hastings: Is sodium pentothol used on detainees?
 - (U) Alexander: No, we do not use it.
 - (U) Hastings: Do the Geneva Conventions speak to it?
 - (U) Alexander: I believe it would be considered coercive.
 - (U) Hastings: What is going on with the Saudi returnee?

I'm not sure but :

(8) Jacoby: We would feed questions

to feed to the Saudis.

- (U) Hastings: I'm tired of the Saudis. We should be on the ground there. If I were President I would call the King and the Crown Prince and tell them so.
 - (U) Boswell: Do you each think the path we have taken on interrogations is good?
- (U) Alexander. The path is good. We need to evolve the FM and make procedures clearer. We are in the process of taking the FM and reviewing it. This will take time but we will do it right.
 - (U) Jacoby: We're not where we need to be. We need to refine policies to meet new realities.
- (U) Boykin: We relied too much on our experiences in the first Gulf War. We have too many detainees and not enough interrogators. We have rapidly made up for the errors at Abu Ghraib.
 - (U) Ruppersburger: As a result of Abu Ghraib how has the mission effort been hurt?
 - (U) Jacoby: We did a paper on the damage done by public revelation of our techniques. The conclusion was that the hasn't been much impact.

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- (U) Ryppersburger: Are there procedures that we have stopped that should be resumed?
- Alexander: Yes. Diet and sleep management. Those, plus segregation which is still employed, are key. The guys in the pictures, none of them were of intel value except the guy who was bitten by the dog. None of the pictures were taken in the context of an interrogation.
 - (U) Ruppersburger: How much longer will be derive benefit from the 600 detainees at Guantanamo?
- (8) Jacoby: There are still some detainees at Guantanamo who we think are al-Qaida who have done nothing but recite the Quran. Continued detention should be decided on a case-by-case basis.
 - Boykin: We know the detainees are now being told, if you can hold out for 96 hours, you'll be ok.
 - (U) Reyes! How do you determine who is al-Qaida and who is not?
- We look at a lot of people, make connections, and can often determine their roles. Not all are sworn members of al-Qaida. We target people as to how significant they are. During raids we quickly separate out the wheat from the chaff. It is an amorphous movement and we cannot always clearly say who is and who is not.
- (S) Jacoby: There is a lot of pressure on individual interrogators to determine who is important and who is not. On detainee who was released was later identified as an al-Qaida trainer. It is not a science.
 - (U) Alexander. Some we thought were low level actors are now back in the fight.
 - (U) Reyes: What about the 1500 additional interrogators. Are they going to receive training in the Quran?
 - (I) Jacoby: One important piece is having Arab speakers teamed up with analysts:
 - (U) Reyes: Are the KSM and Saddam interviews being videoed?
 - (U) Pistole: I'm not sure.
- (U) Collins: I came prepared to do battle. In the past some on the Committee were here to do damage to the White House. I haven't seen that today. I'm proud of the Committee today. I wish though that every member of the committee had to go through SEER training, as I did when I was in the military. That training is tougher that anything the detainees see. I would also like to point out that the Committee has received all of the documents that it has requested. Some on the Committee are engaging in partisan attacks, like Representative Eshoo, which I greatly resent.
 - (U) Eshoo: Can you divide up your efforts?
 - (U) Alexander: We in the Army primarily do Iraq and Afghanistan. There are some reservists at Guantanamo.
 - (U) Jacoby: I need to check the numbers on that.
 - (U) Eshoo: What is CIA's involvement in interrogation?

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(IJ) Eshoo: Was CIA involved in the Abu Ghraib abuses?

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We know of none with the exception of what the IG has briefed.

(U) Eshoo: So your investigation centered on what you just said and nothing more?

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Right

Chat's it. If the

IG turns up more we will let you know.

(U) Holt: I have two examples of what the Committee has not received; the SOP for Guantanamo and the Afghanistan interrogation guidelines. What happened as a result of the Miller visit?

(S) Alexander. In early July 2003 the 589th asked what is our SOP, and developed an SOP based on the. Guantanamo model, but using Afghanistan procedures. There were 29 versus 24 procedures.

(U) Halt: Are interrogation and field interrogation different?

(S) Jacoby: We have debriefing and interrogation. Debriefing is used with cooperative detainees, interrogation with uncooperative. The two populations are worked differently.

(S) Holt: The guy who gave us Saddam, he was a cooperative source, right?

Solution of sources and techniques.

(U) Holt: Is there another set of procedures we haven't asked about?

(U) Jacoby: No.

(U) Holt: Is there an appropriate situation for ghosting detainees?

(U) Boykin: I think there is an appropriate place for delay of registration.

(S) Jacoby: Sometimes, it can be of extreme value if terrorists don't know that someone has been captured.

(U) Gibbons: I will note that the three open items are in process: Finally, I would note that today is HPSCI's 27th birthday.

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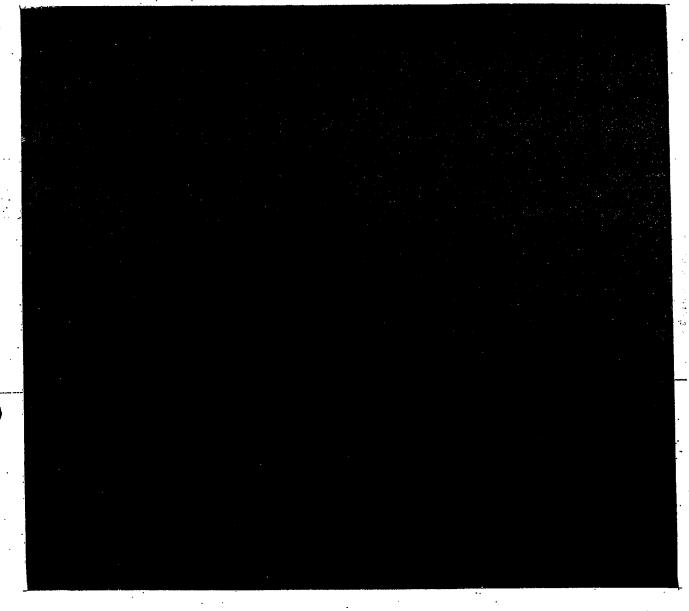
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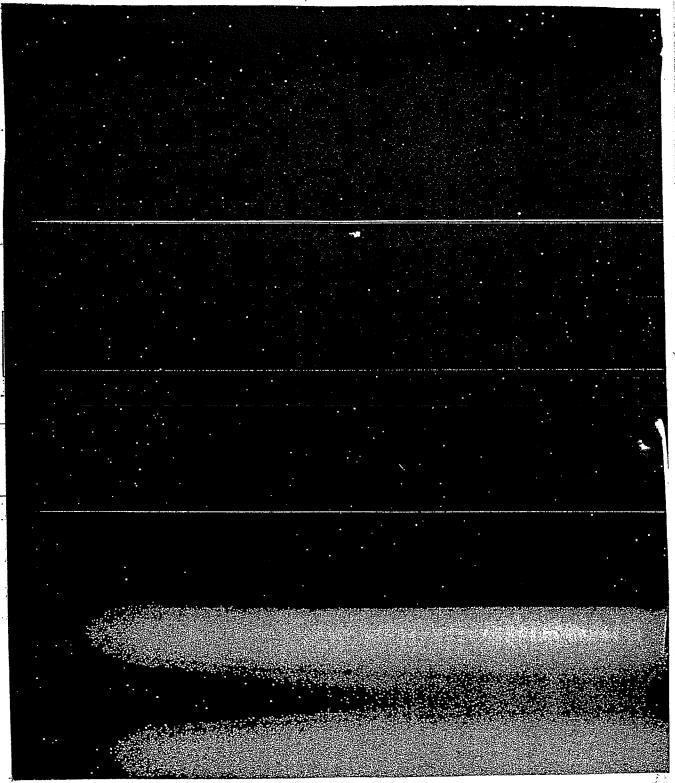
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