

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

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SUBJECT: RAHMAN DEATH INVESTIGATION - INTERVIEW OF JOHN B. JESSEN

ON JANUARY 2003, I INTERVIEWED JOHN BRUCE JESSEN REGARDING THE DEATH OF GUL RAHMAN. JESSEN IS A CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST EMPLOYED BY CIA AS AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR. JESSEN WAS DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN THE INTERROGATION OF GUL RAHMAN.

JESSEN HAS A PHD IN CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY AND SPENT 20 YEARS ON ACTIVE DUTY WITH THE US AIR FORCE. WHILE ON ACTIVE DUTY WITH USAF, JESSEN WORKED AS A PSYCHOLOGIST WITH THE JOINT PERSONNEL RECOVERY AGENCY. AFTER LEAVING ACTIVE DUTY WITH USAF, JESSEN WENT TO WORK DOD AS A CIVILIAN PSYCHOLOGIST. WHILE EMPLOYED BY DOD, HE SERVED AS THE SENIOR PSYCHOLOGIST FOR THE SURVIVAL, EVASION, RESISTANCE, AND ESCAPE (SERE) PROGRAM. ONE OF THE THINGS JESSEN WAS INVOLVED WITH IN THIS PROGRAM WAS THE INTERROGATION OF PRISONERS. DURING THIS PERIOD, JESSEN HAD CONTACT WITH CIA THROUGH DOD ON CAPTIVITY RELATED ISSUES. JESSEN STATED THAT HE WORKED FOR DOD FOR EIGHT YEARS. HE WAS SUBSEQUENTLY CONTACTED BY JOSE RODRIGUEZ, C/CTC AND ASKED TO COME TO WORK FOR CIA ON A SPECIAL PROJECT. JESSEN BEGAN WORK FOR CIA ON 20 JUL 2002.

JESSEN STATED THAT HIS DUTIES AT CIA HAVE INVOLVED THE INTERROGATION

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OF HIGH AND MEDIUM VALUE TERRORIST TARGETS (HVT, MVT). JESSEN STATED THAT HE HAS INTERROGATED PRISONERS AT [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] JESSEN IS INVOLVED IN THE USE OF ENHANCED INTERROGATION METHODS. JESSEN STATED THAT FOR THE MOST PART THERE HAS BEEN ONLY ONE PRISONER WHO HAS BEEN RECEIVING ENHANCED INTERROGATION TECHNIQUES; HOWEVER, RECENTLY ONE MORE PRISONER BEGAN RECEIVING THIS TREATMENT.

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JESSEN STATED THAT HIS FIRST TRIP [REDACTED] WAS IN NOVEMBER 2002. JESSEN STATED THAT HE WAS AT [REDACTED] UNTIL HE RECEIVED A MESSAGE ASKING HIM TO PROCEED TO [REDACTED] TO LOOK AT A FEW PRISONERS. GUL RAHMAN WAS NOT ONE OF THESE PRISONERS.

[REDACTED] JESSEN STATED THAT HE WAS ASKED TO LOOK AT THE PRISONERS TO DETERMINE IF THEY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED FOR ENHANCED INTERROGATION TECHNIQUES. JESSEN STATED THAT [REDACTED] TURNED OUT BE BE PRETTY COOPERATIVE.

JESSEN STATED THAT HE DEPARTED [REDACTED] ON [REDACTED] OCTOBER 2002 AND WENT THROUGH [REDACTED] CIRCA [REDACTED] NOV 2002. JESSEN COULD NOT RECALL IF RAHMAN WAS THERE WHEN HE INITIALLY ARRIVED, BUT HE THINKS HE RAHMAN ARRIVED SHORTLY THEREAFTER. JESSEN RECALLED THAT HE WAS GETTING ORIENTED TO [REDACTED] WHEN RAHMAN ARRIVED. JESSEN STATED THAT HE WAS NOT PART OF RAHMAN'S RENDITION. HE STAYED [REDACTED] APPROXIMATELY 2 1/2 WEEKS.

JESSEN COULD NOT RECALL THE DATE HE FIRST HAD CONTACT WITH RAHMAN, BUT HE DID REMEMBER THAT PEOPLE IN THE STATION WERE VERY OPTIMISTIC THAT THEY HAD SOMEONE WHO WAS GOING TO HAVE SOME GOOD INFORMATION. [REDACTED] SPOKE TO JESSEN ABOUT RAHMAN AT SOME POINT. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] JESSEN STATED THAT [REDACTED] ASKED HIM ABOUT INTERROGATING THE GUY. UPON REFLECTION, JESSEN STATED THAT HE MAY HAVE BEEN THERE FOR RAHMAN'S FIRST INTERROGATION, BUT THAT [REDACTED] ACTUALLY DID THE INTERROGATION. [REDACTED] AND JESSEN CONSULTED ABOUT THE INTERROGATION BEFOREHAND. JESSEN STATED THAT THEY COLLABORATED ON SOME OF THE APPROACHES HE MIGHT WANT TO TAKE WITH RAHMAN. JESSEN STATED THAT HE MAY HAVE BEEN THERE FROM THE START OF RAHMAN'S INTERROGATIONS, BUT HE DIDN'T BEGIN INTERROGATING UNTIL LATER BECAUSE HE WAS WORKING WITH THE OTHER PRISONERS. JESSEN STATED THAT HE LISTENED IN ON ONE OF THE EARLY INTERROGATIONS CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED] AFTER THINKING ABOUT IT, HE STATED THAT IT MAY HAVE BEEN THE FIRST INTERROGATION. JESSEN STATED THAT HE SAT BEHIND [REDACTED] DURING THE FIRST INTERROGATION WHILE [REDACTED] CONDUCTED IT.

WHEN DESCRIBING RAHMAN'S PHYSICAL APPEARANCE DURING THE FIRST INTERROGATION, JESSEN INITIALLY STATED THAT HE WAS WEARING PAJAMAS OR SWEATPANTS. AFTER SOME REFLECTION HE STATED, "HE MAY HAVE JUST HAD A DIAPER ON." JESSEN STATED THAT RAHMAN HAD CLOTHES ON AND OFF AS PART OF WHAT THEY WERE DOING TO HIM. JESSEN STATED THAT HE COULD NOT REMEMBER SPECIFICALLY WHAT HE WAS WEARING. SOMETIMES HE WOULD HAVE A BLANKET. IN TERMS OF HIS PHYSICAL APPEARANCE, HE DID LOOK ROBUST. HE DID LOOK TIRED, BUT HIS POSTURE WAS PRETTY GOOD, PRETTY COMPOSED.

JESSEN REVIEWED THE CABLE RECOUNTING THE FIRST TWO INTERROGATIONS. JESSEN STATED THAT THE CABLE IS PRETTY MUCH WHAT HE RECALLS. JESSEN SAID HE GAVE [] MANY OF THE BULLETS THAT WERE USED IN THE CABLE. JESSEN STATED THAT [] WAS A CAPABLE GUY, BUT HE REALLY HADN'T DONE THIS KIND

[] OF THING BEFORE. JESSEN STATED THAT HE PROVIDED [] WITH DESCRIPTIONS OF WHAT [] WAS ALREADY NOTICING.

JESSEN STATED THAT HE HAD GENERAL DISCUSSIONS WITH [] OVER A PERIOD OF TIME. JESSEN STATED THAT RAHMAN WAS OBVIOUSLY A VERY TOUGH CHARACTER. IT APPEARED TO US THAT HE WAS SMARTER THAN HE WAS LETTING ON. THE INTERPRETOR SAID HIS LANGUAGE WAS GOOD SUGGESTING A LEVEL OF SOPHISTICATION THAT WAS A LITTLE HIGHER THAN HE WAS PORTRAYING. JESSEN STATED THAT RAHMAN COULD HAVE BEEN SIMPLY AN INNATELY BRIGHT PERSON. UNFORTUNATELY, THE INTERROGATION WAS GOING NOWHERE. RAHMAN WAS NOT EVEN ADMITTING TO HIS NAME DESPITE A PREPONDERANCE OF INFORMATION. JESSEN NEVER SAW [] USE AGGRESSIVE OR HOSTILE INTERROGATION ON HIM. IT WAS ALL BUSINESSLIKE, BUT IT DIDN'T GO ANYWHERE. JESSEN STATED THAT ONE TIME HE INTERROGATED RAHMAN BY HIMSELF AND SLAPPED HIM. JESSEN DESCRIBED IT AS AN INSULT SLAP. JESSEN STATED THAT HE FELT HE LOST MORE GROUND THAN HE GAINED. JESSEN COMMENTED THAT SOME PEOPLE CAN BE INTIMIDATED, BUT WITH OTHERS IT SIMPLY BOLSTERS THEIR RESISTANCE. JESSEN AND [] MADE THE DECISION AT THAT TIME NOT TO USE THAT TYPE OF TECHNIQUE WITH RAHMAN. JESSEN AND [] TALKED ABOUT THE FACT THAT RAHMAN WOULD NEED PHYSICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL DEPRIVATION TO WEAR HIM DOWN SO HE WOULD HOPEFULLY BE MORE COOPERATIVE. JESSEN MADE SOME SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS TO [] NOT AFTER THE FIRST INTERROGATION, AND PUT A RECOMMENDED PLAN IN A CABLE. JESSEN RECALLED STATING SOMETHING TO THE EFFECT OF, "IT WASN'T GOING TO HAPPEN FAST, HE IS PHYSICALLY STRONG, HITTING HIM ISN'T GOING TO DO ANY GOOD. YOU HAVE TO WEAR HIM DOWN PHYSICALLY AND PSYCHOLOGICALLY. HAMMER HIM CONSISTENTLY WITH THE FACTS. IT WOULD TAKE ONE TO SEVERAL MONTHS TO GET HIM TO A LEVEL OF COOPERATION."

JESSEN STATED THAT HE THOUGHT THAT THE SLEEP DEPRIVATION STARTED RIGHT FROM THE BEGINNING.

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JESSEN STATED THAT [] DID A GREAT JOB SETTING UP [] [] DID NOT HAVE A VETTED PROTOCOL LIKE [] JESSEN SPOKE ABOUT THAT WITH [] AND A FEW PEOPLE IN HIS "FOOD CHAIN." JESSEN SPOKE ABOUT ESTABLISHING PROTOCOLS TO PROTECT [] THE PRISONERS, AND ENSURE THAT THINGS WENT ACCORDING TO HOYLE. [] JESSEN USED THE EXAMPLE OF HARD TAKEDOWNS THAT THEY USE TO SCARE A GUY. JESSEN STATED THAT IT WAS A GOOD TECHNIQUE, BUT THESE KINDS OF THINGS NEED TO BE WRITTEN DOWN AND CODIFIED WITH A STAMP OF APPROVAL OR YOU'RE GOING TO BE LIABLE. ALSO, IF YOU DON'T HAVE PARAMETERS OF WHAT YOU CAN AND CANNOT DO, YOU WILL TEND TO DRIFT. JESSEN ALSO STATED THAT WE HAVE [] GUARDS WHO ARE DOING A GOOD JOB []

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[REDACTED] JESSEN STATED THAT [REDACTED] HAD A GOOD COURSE OF ACTION, BUT NOT IN TERMS OF WRITTEN GUIDELINES. JESSEN STATED THAT HE HAD PLANNED TO DO THAT FOR [REDACTED] BUT GOT PULLED OUT BEFORE HE COULD BEGIN. JESSEN STATED THAT [REDACTED] WAS GOING TO PRODUCE SOME WRITTEN PROTOCOLS. JESSEN STATED THAT HE ALSO RECOMMENDED THAT THOSE OFFICERS WHO WERE IN TRAINING AT [REDACTED] COBALT HEADQUARTERS IN INTERROGATION, SHOULD GO TO [REDACTED] FOR OJT.

WHEN QUESTIONED ABOUT THE TIMING OF RAHMAN'S LOSS OF CLOTHING, JESSEN STATED THAT RAHMAN HAD CLOTHING AND DIDN'T HAVE CLOTHING PERPETUALLY WHILE HE WAS THERE. RAHMAN HAD HIS CLOTHING WHEN HE ARRIVED, BUT IT WAS LONG THEREAFTER THAT HE DIDN'T HAVE THEM. HE WENT BACK AND FORTH. [REDACTED] USED HIS CLOTHING A FEW TIMES TO TRY TO MANIPULATE AND MOTIVATE RAHMAN. JESSEN STATED THAT HE JUST COULD NOT RECALL SPECIFICALLY WHEN HE DID OR DID NOT HAVE HIS CLOTHING. JESSEN RECALLED THAT HE DIDN'T HAVE CLOTHING MORE THAN HE DID HAVE CLOTHING. USUALLY WHEN HE DIDN'T HAVE CLOTHING, HE HAD A BLANKET. JESSEN STATED THAT ONCE THE GUARDS HAD GIVEN RAHMAN A COLD SHOWER AS A DEPRIVATION TECHNIQUE. JESSEN ADDED THAT "IT WAS PRETTY DARN COLD THERE." RAHMAN WAS SHAKING A SHOWING THE EARLY STAGES OF HYPOTHERMIA. JESSEN ORDERED THE GUARDS TO GIVE HIM A BLANKET. JESSEN BELIEVES THAT RAHMAN MAY HAVE BEEN NUDE WHEN HE CAME FROM RENDITION WHICH IS NOT THAT UNCOMMON. JESSEN RECALLS THAT RAHMAN WAS WITHOUT CLOTHES VERY EARLY ON IN HIS INCARCERATION.

JESSEN STATED THAT THERE WAS A LOT OF FOCUS ON THIS GUY. HE BECAME THEIR NUMBER ONE PRIORITY.

JESSEN STATED THAT THE GUARDS WERE VERY FIRM AND DIRECT WITH ALL PRISONERS. RAHMAN ONCE THREATENED TO KILL THE GUARDS. THE GUARDS LAUGHED AT HIS THREATS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHEN JESSEN ASKED THEM TO PUT A BLANKET ON HIM AFTER HIS COLD SHOWER, THEY DID.

[REDACTED] JESSEN STATED THAT AFTER HE LEARNED THAT RAHMAN HAD THREATENED THE GUARDS, HE DID PAY ATTENTION TO HOW THEY TREATED HIM, [REDACTED]

JESSEN STATED THAT WHEN THE GUARDS GOT THE BOP TRAINING, THEY SEEMED PRETTY SWITCHED ON. WHEN [REDACTED] GAVE THEM INSTRUCTIONS THEY ALWAYS CARRIED THEM OUT. [REDACTED]

UPON QUERY, JESSEN DESCRIBED A "HARD TAKEDOWN." JESSEN STATED THAT IF A DETAINEE IS STRONG AND RESILIENT, YOU HAVE TO ESTABLISH CONTROL IN

SOMEWAY OR YOU'RE NOT GOING TO GET ANYWHERE. IF BOUND BY THE GENEVA CONVENTION, THIS PERSON WOULD NOT BREAK. YOU HAVE TO TRY DIFFERENT TECHNIQUES TO GET HIM TO OPEN UP. ONE OF THE TECHNIQUES IS ROUGH, THREATENING TREATMENT. TREATMENT SHOULD NEVER BE TO THE POINT THAT YOU HURT SOMEONE PHYSICALLY WHERE YOU INTERFERE WITH YOUR ABILITY TO GET INFORMATION, BUT YOU WANT TO INSTILL FEAR AND DESPAIR.

JESSEN STATED THAT SOMEONE LIKE RAHMAN IS JUST "TOO DAMN TOUGH." IF YOU WANT TO SEE IF ITS GOING TO WORK YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO USE A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT CONTROLLED THREAT, THE INDUCEMENT OF PSYCHOLOGICAL THREAT, NOT JUST PHYSICAL PAIN. THIS IS DONE BY SCREAMING AND YELLING, MAKING THREATS, SLAPPING, WALLING, AND HARD TAKEDOWNS.

JESSEN STATED THAT HE WATCHED A HARD TAKEDOWN ON GUL RAHMAN. IT WAS FORCEFUL, BUT THEY KNEW WHAT THEY WERE DOING. IT WAS DONE BY CIA'S RENDITIONS TEAM. HE WAS IN HIS CELL, HE WAS INITIALLY CHAINED OVERHEAD FOR SEVERAL DAYS. AS AN ASIDE, JESSEN STATED THAT HE WAS A VERY TOUGH GUY. JESSEN STATED THAT HE WENT IN TO SEE HIM AFTER A CONSIDERABLE PERIOD OF TIME AND HE HAD NOT HAD MUCH TO DRINK. WHEN ASKED IF HE WAS OKAY HE REPLIED, "FINE." WHEN RAHMAN WAS ASKED IF HE NEEDED ANYTHING, HE SAID, "NO, I'M FINE." THE RENDITIONS TEAM REHEASED THERE ROLES BEFORE CONDUCTING THE TAKEDOWN. THE ALL HAD A ROLE AND KNEW WHAT THEY WERE GOING TO DO. JESSEN STATED THAT HE WAS WATCHING. [REDACTED] HAD ASKED FOR SUGGESTIONS. JESSEN STATED THAT HE DOESN'T USE THIS AT ANY OF HIS FACILITIES. JESSEN STATED THAT THEY ENTERED RAHMAN'S CELL SCREAMING AND YELLING FOR HIM TO "GET DOWN." THEY DRAGGED HIM OUTSIDE AND CUT HIS CLOTHES OFF OF HIM. THEY SECURED HIM WITH MYLAR TAPE AND PUT A HOOD OVER HIS HEAD. THEY RAN HIM UP AND DOWN THE LONG CORRIDOR ADJACENT TO HIS CELL. THEY SLAPPED HIM AND PUNCHED HIM SEVERAL TIMES. ALTHOUGH IT WAS OBVIOUS THAT THEY WERE NOT TRYING TO HARM HIM AS HARD AS THEY COULD, IT WAS SOMETIMES PRETTY FORCEFUL. A COUPLE OF TIMES A HE STUMBLED AND WAS DRAGGED ALONG THE GROUND. HE HAD ABRASIONS ON HIS HEAD AND LEG. HE LOOKED LIKE HE HAD RECEIVED A "HARD TAKEDOWN" WHEN IT WAS OVER. HE HAD CRUSTY CONTUSIONS ON HIS FACE, LEG, AND HANDS. NOTHING THAT REQUIRED TREATMENT. HE WAS PLACED BACK IN HIS CELL. [REDACTED] MAY HAVE SAID SOMETHING TO HIM. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THIS HAPPENED EARLY, AFTER ONLY 2-3 INTERROGATIONS.

[REDACTED] JESSEN STATED THAT THE USE OF SLEEP DEPRIVATION WITH RAHMAN STARTED VERY EARLY. THE SLEEP DEPRIVATION WAS CONSISTENT FOR THE FIRST FEW DAYS. HE WAS CHAINED TO THE OVERHEAD BAR IN HIS CELL. HE WAS WITHOUT HIS CLOTHS MORE THAN HE WAS WITH THEM. WE GAVE HIM SOME CLOTHS AFTER HE ADMITTED HE WAS RAHMAN. PEOPLE CAN GO HUNDREDS OF HOURS WITH SLEEP DEPRIVATION AND NOT HAVE ILL EFFECTS. IT WEAKENS YOUR ABILITY TO RESIST AND MUSTER THAT ENERGY TO FIGHT BACK AGAINST WHAT IS GOING ON. IT'S A GREAT TECHNIQUE TO USE AND DOESN'T HURT ANYONE. FEAR OF THE UNKNOWN, SLEEP DEPRIVATION, WITH A FRIENDLY APPROACH MIXED IN ARE THE BEST TECHNIQUES. YOU CAN USE THIS ALMOST INDEFINITELY AND NOT HURT ANYONE. STANDING WITH

YOUR HANDS CUFFED OVER A BAR, YOU CAN'T DO THAT FOREVER. THEY DIDN'T LEAVE RAHMAN CHAINED TO THE OVERHEAD BAR TOO LONG, THEY WOULD LET HIM DOWN. SOME DAYS [] INTERROGATED RAHMAN TWICE A DAY, SOME DAYS ONCE, AND SOME DAYS NOT AT ALL. [] HAD A LOT OF WORK ON HIS PLATE. HE WAS RUNNING [] HE WAS COMPLETELY SNOWED UNDER WITH WORK. [] WOULD DO WHAT HE COULD. THAT'S WHY WE RECOMMENDED THAT [] [] SO WE COULD HAVE MULTIPLE PEOPLE WORK ON SOME OF THE PRISONERS ALL THE TIME.

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JESSEN STATED THAT RAHMAN WOULD HAVE LOST HIS CLOTHES AND DIAPER AT OUR DIRECTION. THE GUARDS WERE NOT DOING THINGS ON THEIR OWN. THEY WERE VERY ATTENTIVE TO WHAT [] TOLD THEM TO DO. []

JESSEN DESCRIBED [] AS VERY BRIGHT AND MOTIVATED. HE HAS GOOD INTUITION AND HIS INTERROGATION SKILLS ARE GETTING BETTER. HE SET UP [] IN A GOOD WAY. HE WAS DOING A GOOD JOB WITH THE GUARD FORCE AND WAS VERY LEVEL HEADED. HE DID NOT DO THINGS IN A REACTIVE WAY-HE IS VERY MEASURED. JESSEN SAID HE WAS THE GUY WITH ALL THE TRICKS BUT HE COULD TELL THAT [] WAS RUNNING ALL OF HIS SUGGESTIONS THROUGH HIS "BULLSHIT FILTER." FOR

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AN MVT FACILITY, THE ATMOSPHERE WAS VERY GOOD. NASTY, BUT SAFE. FOR SOMEONE WHO HAD NEVER BEEN INVOLVED IN ANYTHING LIKE THIS BEFORE, JESSEN SAID HE DID NOT SEE ANY HICCUPS IN SECURITY OR PRISONER SAFETY. JESSEN QUIPPED THAT THEY CHECKED PEOPLE MORE THOROUGHLY AT THE PRISON THAN THEY DID TO GET ON THE STATION COMPOUND. [] THE GUARD COMMANDER, SEEMED TO BE AN INTELLIGENT AND MOTIVATED PERSON. HE SEEMED TO WORK WELL WITH [] JESSEN SAYS HE TOLD [] THAT HE DID A GOOD JOB PUTTING THINGS TOGETHER.

[] JESSEN SAID THERE WERE SOME WEAKNESSES AT THE FACILITY. JESSEN BELIEVED THAT YOU NEEDED SOME DISINTERESTED PARTY IN THERE WHOSE JOB IT WAS TO WATCH THE PEOPLE DOING THEIR WORK. YOU NEED TO ESTABLISH OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES FOR EVERYTHING. YOU HAVE TO DEVELOP WRITTEN PROCEDURES FOR HOW OFTEN THEY GET WATER, THE TEMPERATURE OF THE FACILITY, HOW LOUD THE NOISE WILL BE. THE GUARD FORCE HAS TO HAVE WRITTEN PROCEDURES ON HOW TO HANDLE AND MOVE PEOPLE. YOU GOT TO HAVE CAMERAS TO MONITOR PEOPLE (YOU CAN MONITOR PEOPLE IN THE DARK.) YOU HAVE TO HAVE VIDEO COVERAGE IN THE INTERROGATION ROOMS. YOU HAVE TO BE ABLE TO EXPLAIN EVERY PHYSICAL PRESSURE YOU USE IN GENERAL TERMS, AND WHEN IT CAN BE USED, YOU HAVE TO TRAIN PEOPLE TO USE THEM, THEN HAVE OVERSIGHT OVER THE PEOPLE WHO USE THEM. YOU HAVE TO DO ANNUAL STATUS CHECKS OF THE PRACTICES TO ENSURE THEY ARE IN LINE WITH THE WRITTEN PROCEDURES AND THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO RIFT. THERE HAS TO BE A MEDICAL PERSON ON STAFF AND ON CALL. HE SHOULD MAKE ROUTINE VISITS TO THE PRISON. YOU NEED TO PROTECT YOUR PEOPLE AND HAVE ADEQUATE STAFFING. []

[REDACTED]

RAHMAN ADMISSION OF HIS IDENTITY WAS A COMPROMISE. HE KNEW HE WAS IN TROUBLE OVER HIS IDENTITY. JESSEN BELIEVED THAT RAHMAN DECIDED THAT SINCE WE HAD OVERWHELMING EVIDENCE THAT HE COULD ADMIT HIS IDENTITY, IMPROVE HIS CONDITIONS, BUT STILL KEEP THE THINGS THAT WERE IMPORTANT TO HIM A SECRET. IT WAS AN INTERROGATION BREAKTHROUGH, BUT RAHMAN HAD NOT BROKEN DOWN. JESSEN BELIEVES THAT WITHOUT THE PRESSURES THAT HAD BEEN EXERTED ON HIM, HE WOULD NOT HAVE MADE THE ADMISSION.

JESSEN STATED THAT HE INTERROGATED RAHMAN TWICE BY HIMSELF AND TWO OR THREE OTHER TIMES WITH [REDACTED] JIM MITCHELL, ANOTHER IC PSYCHOLOGIST ALSO INTERROGATED HIM ONCE.

RAHMAN APPEARED TO BE HEALTHY, FATIGUED, COLD, AND HE KNEW HOW TO USE PHYSICAL PROBLEMS OR DURESS AS A RESISTANCE TOOL. JESSEN STATED THAT THEY ONCE TRIED A PRAGMATIC APPROACH WITH RAHMAN BUT IT DIDN'T WORK. HE WAS STILL RESISTING WITH GREAT ENERGY.

JESSEN STATED THAT THERE WERE HEATERS PRESENT IN THE HOUSING AREA WHEN HE WAS WORKING ON RAHMAN. WHEN JESSEN FIRST ARRIVED [REDACTED] WAS IN THE 60'S DURING THE DAY, BUT WOULD DROP INTO THE 40'S AT NIGHT. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO HIS DEPARTURE IT FROZE AT NIGHT A COUPLE OF TIMES. THE PRISON WAS ALWAYS A LITTLE COOL BECAUSE IT WAS DARK. WHEN YOU ARE NOT MOVING IT IS WORSE.

[REDACTED] IN CLOSING, JESSEN STATED THAT HE WOULD WORK WITH [REDACTED] ANYTIME, ANYDAY. [REDACTED] SHOULD BE MADE PART OF THE LEAD HVT ELEMENT.

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