

SWORN STATEMENT

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LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME [REDACTED]	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER [REDACTED]	GRADE/STATUS E-6	
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I, [REDACTED], WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:

ON 11 JULY 03 I DEPARTED FOR STING TO ARRUTBA AS BRF TO PROVIDE SECURITY FOR GREEN ONE'S VEHICLE THAT ~~WAS~~ ^{b(6)-2} SUPPOSEDLY HAD STRUCK A MINE. UPON ARRIVING I SET SECURITY IN PLACE, AND WAS TRYING TO GET ONCOMING VEHICLES TO SHUT OFF THEIR LIGHTS, SO SECURITY SOLDIERS WOULD BE ABLE TO USE NIGHT VISION GOGGLES. ONE OF THE LOCAL CIVILIANS WOULD NOT SHUT HIS LIGHTS OFF, SO I REMOVED HIM FROM THE TRUCK, SEARCHED HIM AND HAD A SECURITY TEAM DETAIN HIM. ONCE QRF'S MISSION WAS OVER, AND SOLDIERS WERE WITHDRAWING BACK TO THEIR VEHICLES I TOOK CONTROL OF THIS DETAINEE AND WALKED HIM TO WITHIN 15 METERS OF THE INNER PERIMETER AND ^{b(6)-2} TIED HIS HANDS WITH HIS HANDS ZIP STRIPPED BEHIND HIS BACK. AT THIS POINT, I WAS LOOKING FOR LIGHTNING ^{b(6)-5} CAPT. [REDACTED]. AFTER FINDING ^{b(6)-2} ^{b(6)-5} THE CPT. [REDACTED] I EXPLAINED THAT THE DETAINEE DIDN'T WANT TO SHUT HIS LIGHTS OFF AND THAT, "THEY DIDN'T RESIST, BUT THEY SURELY DIDN'T HELP!" I NEEDED TO KNOW IF CAPT. ^{b(6)-5} [REDACTED] WANTED ME TO RELEASE THEM OR KEEP THEM FOR QUESTIONING. AT THIS POINT THE COMMANDER WALKED TOWARDS THE DETAINEE, IN WHICH I THOUGHT HE WAS GOING TO CUT THE ZIP STRIPS AND RELEASE. AT THIS TIME I SEEN MY COMMANDER KICK THIS MAN IN THE RIBS A MINIMUM OF 2 TIMES AND STOMP HIS BOOT ON THE BOUNDED DETAINEE'S NECK AND PART OF HIS FACE SAYING WORDS TO THE EFFECT OF, "TELL ME WHO DID THIS OR I WILL KILL YOU." AT THIS TIME I WAS STARING IN DISBELIEF AND WENT TO GET HIS INTERPRETOR TO TRY TO DEFUSE THIS SITUATION. ONCE HIS INTERPRETOR WAS WHERE THE DETAINEE WAS, WORDS WERE EXCHANGED THAT I DIDN'T

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