

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE TASK FORCE (CITF)  
REPORT OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY

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1. DATE OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY 17 Oct 02	2. PLACE GTMO	3. ACTIVITY NUMBER [REDACTED] b(7)-5
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4. REMARKS

Subject interview of: (UNK) [REDACTED] - b(7)(C)-5

Date/Place: 17 Oct 02/GTMO

On 10/17/2002, [REDACTED] was interviewed at Camp Delta, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. The interview was conducted by [REDACTED] interviewing personnel included Special Agent (SA) [REDACTED], Federal Bureau of Investigation and SA [REDACTED] Criminal Investigative Command (CID). Language Specialist [REDACTED] was present as an interpreter. [REDACTED] provided the following information:

[REDACTED] asked to see investigators because he wanted to provide information regarding other detainees in his block. [REDACTED] who lives in cell 39, is the current leader of the Arabs in [REDACTED] block. [REDACTED] is on a hunger strike and is attempting to get other detainees to join him. [REDACTED] suspects that [REDACTED] refuses food when brought by the soldiers, but eats food passed to him by his neighbor once the soldiers leave. [REDACTED] does not [REDACTED] but there is an [REDACTED] in his block who translates [REDACTED] statements for [REDACTED] and the other [REDACTED].

[REDACTED] speaks English. He uses this ability to cause trouble in the block. [REDACTED] intentionally misinterprets statements made by the soldiers in a way that makes the soldiers appear cruel. He also misinterprets statements made by the detainees so that the soldiers do not get the real story. The soldiers should not use [REDACTED] to translate for them.

[REDACTED] told the other detainees to lie about their cells and look sick when the media came in to film the release of the recently freed detainees. The [REDACTED] in the block refused to listen to [REDACTED] but [REDACTED] did try to make themselves look sick when the cameras came in.

The Arabs in Camp Delta want to see a judge before they will talk. They are attempting to force the Americans to decide who is a criminal and who is not, by refusing to talk to investigators.

[REDACTED] has not heard of any plans for a mass suicide attempt in Camp Delta.

The Arab detainees which [REDACTED] knew as [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] have been moved out of [REDACTED] block.

When [REDACTED] was arrested and held by [REDACTED] men, he was told by a man called [REDACTED], who worked for [REDACTED] that he would be seen by [REDACTED] and then released. However, [REDACTED] never saw [REDACTED]. Instead, [REDACTED] and four of his companions were turned over to the Americans. They were taken to Bagram, where [REDACTED] companions were released. Only [REDACTED] was kept in custody and eventually flown to Cuba. [REDACTED] suspects that he was kept because he was the leader of the group. [REDACTED] was never told by [REDACTED] or the Americans why he was turned over to the US forces. [REDACTED] heard a rumor that the Americans were paying people for bringing in prisoners. He does not know if this is why he was given to the US forces.

[REDACTED] has not received any mail since he arrived in Cuba, even though he has sent several letters to his family telling them how to reach him.

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