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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION TASK FORCE
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FORT BELVOIR, VIRGINIA 22060

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

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(1 of 1)

CITF-CDR

12 May 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

Subject: Interrogation Incident Report (LES)

1. (LES) The purpose of this memorandum is to report an incident of possible inhumane prisoner/detainee interrogation techniques related to us by Mr. [REDACTED], b7(C)-1 b7(D)-2 b7(E)-1 Department of Defense (DoD) Contract Linguist. On 12 May 04, [REDACTED] reported to SA [REDACTED] (AFOSI) and SA [REDACTED] (USACIDC) that he had b7(C)-2

overheard Mr. [REDACTED] DoD Contract Linguist, state that he was involved in at least two b7(C)-2 questionable interrogation techniques while on duty in Iraq (NFI). As described by [REDACTED] b7(C)-2 through [REDACTED] witnessed an unidentified interrogator have a detainee (NFI) choked with a rope noose. The interrogator lifted the detainee up slowly until the detainee stated he would talk if let down. The interrogator then lowered the detainee to the ground, whereupon, the detainee provided a confession. Further, [REDACTED] described to [REDACTED] he b7(C)-2

witnessed an AFOSI Agent (NFI) place a gun to the temple of a detainee until he confessed. [REDACTED] b7(C)-2 advised this information was related to him by [REDACTED] in early May 04.

[REDACTED] further stated he was unsure of the different agencies [REDACTED] was attached to b7(C)-2 b7(D)-2 b7(E)-2 during his tour in Iraq.

2. (LES) [REDACTED] b7(C)-2 advised that the Navy Inspector General Team did not question him during their recent visit to Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. [REDACTED] was unsure of which agency or company to report the aforementioned information to. It is unknown if [REDACTED] has been questioned by Law Enforcement/Inspector General personnel concerning the above-described incidents. b7(C)-2

3. (LES) SA [REDACTED] b7(C)-1 and SA [REDACTED] b7(C)-1 believe this to be a non-law enforcement (LE) interrogation technique for which they are required to report (ref. MFR, 2 Oct 03, Interrogation Procedures Guidance). It is believed that the above situations, as described, are questionable techniques as defined by law and regulation. It is our understanding that agents must report any such action to their RAC immediately, and the RAC will provide a MFR on the incident to the DSAC.

4. (U) The POC for this memorandum is SA [REDACTED] b7(C)-1 or SA [REDACTED] b7(C)-1, CITF-GTMO/LNAE.

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