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[REDACTED] 501st FSB, 1AD

In December 2003, I was the nightshift NCOIC for the 501st FSB detainee in-processing station at 1BCT, 1AD BSA. [REDACTED] was the dayshift NCOIC. B6

On 25 December 2003, about 25 detainees were brought into the in-processing station. I remember that one detainee was carried in because he could not walk. He was unresponsive and I referred him to the 501st FSB medical clinic. The detainee eventually died after being transferred from the BSA.

I remember that the detainee was cold to the touch. He had a very low body temperature and was unresponsive to a sternum rub. He was not wearing a shirt or shoes and his pants were falling down. He appeared dirty. I do not remember seeing any bruises on his body or his face. There were no external indications that he had been beaten.

B3 I do not recall any detainees named [REDACTED] B3 I do not recall seeing any detainees named [REDACTED] or any brothers of the detainee who died. I do not recall hearing or being told of any claims of abuse or mistreatment. I never heard any rumors about detainees being sodomized with objects. I never saw any indication that a detainee had been sodomized with an object; but I do not know if I would have known if it had, in fact, occurred.

I recall that some detainees were brought to the BSA with bruises. I am not sure how or when these bruises were caused. But sometimes the bruises appeared fresh. I saw detainees with bruises in the stomach area, face, shoulders and arms. I have no idea if these injuries were caused during capture or in detention or if they preceded capture. If the bruises were bad I would refer them to the medical clinic.

The bruised detainees I saw were from across the brigade. But I recall encountering a significant number coming from 2-3 FA BN. I spoke with someone in [REDACTED] about the bruising but I cannot recall who or when. Afterwards, [REDACTED] B2
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I know that detainees were kept longer at the 2-3 FA holding facility than other facilities. I heard this was because the [REDACTED] B2
B3 But I have no indication that any of the cases of bruising that I saw had any relation to units. I did not hear any rumors or see any indication that [REDACTED] were abusing detainees at [REDACTED]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this
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Notary Public's Signature
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