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[redacted] Special Agent (SA), Counterterrorism Division, FBI Headquarters, EOD: [redacted] was contacted regarding his knowledge of any aggressive treatment, interrogations, or interview techniques at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (GTMO). After being advised as to the identity of the interviewing Agent and the purpose of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information to thirteen specific special inquiry questions:

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[redacted] described his 15 month TDY assignment at GTMO as a Case Agent tasked to participate in detainee interviews. During his tenure, [redacted] was part of an interview team which consisted of FBI investigator(s), Department of Defense (DoD) investigator(s), and a translator. Investigator(s) representing DoD, were from Army Criminal Investigative Division (CID), Air Force Office of Special Investigations (OSI), and Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS). According to [redacted] the FBI SA usually took the lead role during detainee interviews. However, DoD investigators also participated in detainee interviews and on occasion took the lead.

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[redacted] never participated in any aggressive treatment, interrogations, or interview techniques employed on detainees at GTMO inconsistent with FBI or DOJ policy/guidelines. However, during the summer of 2002, [redacted] walked into a Camp Delta observation room and noticed a detainee in an interview room rubbing his leg due to possibly being placed in a stress position. The detainee was wearing leg irons and was handcuffed with cuffs chained to his waist. [redacted] advised the chains were adjusted to force the detainee to stand in a "baseball catcher" position. The detainee was being questioned by two military officers. [redacted] was unable to provide the names of the military officers or the name or number of the detainee. [redacted] verbally reported this incident to [redacted] (JAG USMC Reserve). [redacted] did not have any substantive contact with [redacted] regarding this matter.

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[redacted] advised that during the fall of 2002, detainee #63 was being held in the Navy Brig at Camp Delta. According to [redacted] the FBI questioned detainee #63 for approximately two months with negative results. The military then moved detainee #63 to Camp X-Ray. General [redacted] requested permission to

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utilize "special interrogative techniques" on detainee #63. [REDACTED] stated the FBI and DoD investigators had no further contact with detainee #63, once he was transferred to Camp X-ray.

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During December 2002, Lieutenant [REDACTED] Nurse, U.S. Navy, informed [REDACTED] that detainee #63 had been admitted to the base hospital for hypothermia. During a daily staff meeting, [REDACTED] inquired about detainee #63 being admitted to the hospital for hypothermia. Lieutenant Colonel [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] that detainee #63 was not diagnosed with hypothermia. [REDACTED] told [REDACTED] that detainee #63 had low blood pressure along with low body core temperature. According to [REDACTED] no additional information was provided to him regarding detainee #63.

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[REDACTED] described his understanding of DoD authorization for the permitted use of harsh/aggressive interrogation techniques as "very unclear". [REDACTED] advised he became aware of DoD authorized techniques via meetings with General Miller.

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[REDACTED] had no substantive contact with Military Police or other U.S. government personnel at GTMO regarding detainee conditions or treatment and was unaware of any specific allegations of misconduct or mistreatment by U.S. personnel alleged by interviewees or others. [REDACTED] stated he had no pictures, video, audio, notes, or other documentation which depicted or described aggressive treatment, interrogations or interview techniques employed at GTMO or knowledge of anyone else who has in possession of such items.

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