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Subject: GTMO OSC 5/7/04 Discussion with Vice Admiral Church, Inspector General, United States Navy

Importance: High

I met with Vice Admiral Church for 45 minutes this morning within the context of the Inspector General review of detention/interrogation procedures at GTMO.

I provided him with an overview of the FBI's mission and organization in GTMO. At his request, I also explained to him how the FBI operates in close coordination with JTF-GTMO operationally; however our interviews are conducted in strict compliance with DOJ/FBI policy and training, with the exception of Miranda. He clearly understood the distinctions between our training and policies, as opposed to those of the DOD.

His main interest was in interagency interview coordination procedures, which I explained in detail. It was clear he wanted to be able to document that the FBI could not move, interview or otherwise interact with detainees unilaterally.

I believe he went away satisfied that FBI operations in GTMO are essentially transparent to our JTF-GTMO and inter-agency partners.

Members of Vice Admiral Church's staff will be randomly interviewing JTF and possibly FBI employees this afternoon. More to follow if any of my folks are interviewed.

Regards,

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