



Multi National Forces - West

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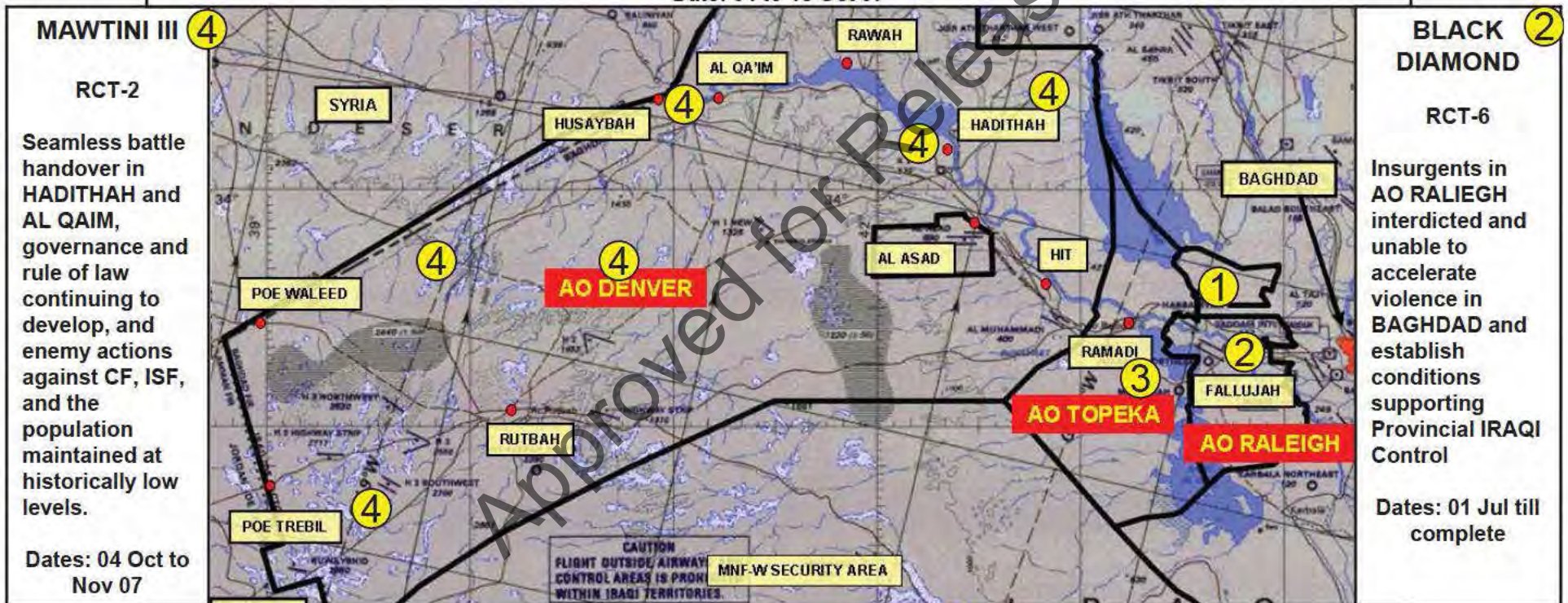
MNF-W Ongoing Operations

Operation FAHWAT AL ASAD ①

MNF-W and 1st IA Div

MNF-W, in partnership with the AL ANBAR provincial leadership and the PRT, conducts security and stability operations to defeat AQI, neutralize the insurgency, build security and governance capacity, and sustain economic development IOT enable the transition to AL ANBAR provincial control and self reliance

Date: 04 to 18 Oct 07



MAWTINI III ④

RCT-2

Seamless battle handover in HADITHAH and AL QAIM, governance and rule of law continuing to develop, and enemy actions against CF, ISF, and the population maintained at historically low levels.

Dates: 04 Oct to Nov 07

BLACK DIAMOND ②

RCT-6

Insurgents in AO RALIEGH interdicted and unable to accelerate violence in BAGHDAD and establish conditions supporting Provincial IRAQI Control

Dates: 01 Jul till complete

Operation AUGUSTUS ③

1-3 BCT

Terrorist cells defeated and stability and security maintained throughout the RAMADAN period. RAMADAN becomes a period of increased unity and security instead of a period of increased violence

Date: 07 Sep to 15 Oct 07

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Transition from MNF-W to PRT/ePRT Lead

1. MNF-W commenced planning to transition aspects of the economics and governance lines of operation from a DoD to DOS lead.
2. MNF-W hosted an interagency transition working group (TWG).
 - A. Participants: OPA, MNF-W, PRT, ePRTs, RCTs/BCT. (OPA is an integral part of the process.)
 - B. Discussed impact of force drawdown/realignment.
 - C. Discussed potential impact of PIC on PRT/ePRT.
 - D. Committees formed to work:
 - 1) Life support/transportation/security
 - 2) Governance
 - 3) Economics
 - 4) Rule of law
3. Conducting weekly VTCs and monthly TWG meetings.
4. **END STATE:** A pre-TOA plan that adequately shifts the post-PIC role of the PRT/ePRTs from operational to advisory role in effort developing governance, economics, and the rule of law in Al Anbar.

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