

MNC-I BUA 7 Feb 08

INTEL: Brief focused in ISF Intel Driven Operations. **No comments**

SWO: No comments

COIC: No comments

MEDIA: No comments

OPERATIONS: No comments

BOC: No comments

MND-N: 1756

LTG O: We are getting the reports of the SOI in Baquba as well as the police chief there, so we have to sort our way through it what the issue is there. We constantly here that issue and you know as well as I do that it's a Sunni/Shia issue. It concerns me that we continue to hear about that down in Baquba, so I need you guys to work your way through that. It is probably the essence of the issue in Baquba, and we are not going to straighten Baquba out until we get that figured out. I appreciate the update. Thanks.

MND-NE: No comments

MND-W:

LTG O: I will just say to everyone else, what you just heard was "...wire wrapped around them...". The other thing found this is probably something that is prevalent everywhere. We probably need to initiate a program just like this (reference Daughters of Fallujha). I know some of you have your own programs, and are doing this, but if not, I think in like Mosul, Baquba, and Baghdad and all these other main areas I think we need to initiate this program. And we can work with the GOI and get them to recognize them by explaining to them the threat. I think it is a very good and important program for us to maintain security and stability. So I would ask each and everyone one of you to take a hard look at implementing something along these lines.

MND-B: 1810

LTG O: Inquired on the status of the 15 detainees from last night's raid.

IH5: NSTR status at this time is they are still being in processed and run thru BATTs/HIIDS.

MND-C: No comments

MND-CS: No comments

MND-SE: 1822/3

LTG O: Thanks for the update and that's good news on the training on the waterways.

CJSOTF: No comments

316 ESC: No comments

FIRES: No comments

ALO: No comments

RECONCILIATION:

LTG O: At least we are showing that we are making progress. It is slow, but we are making progress.

TRANSITIONS: No comments

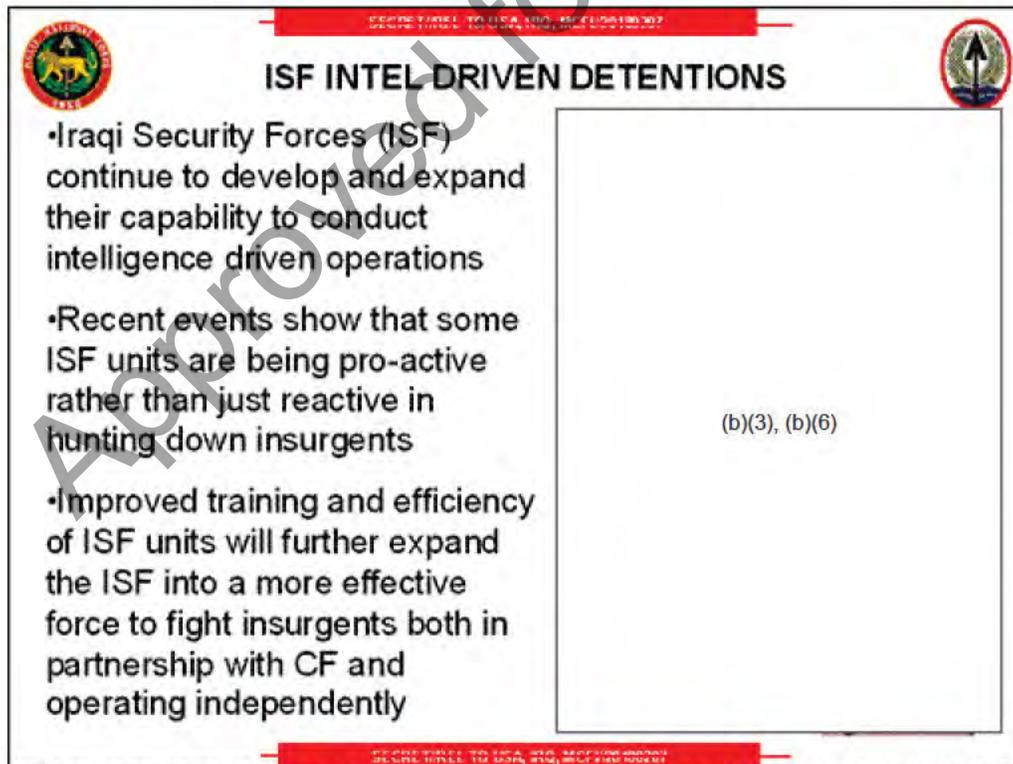
CHAPLAIN: No comments

COS: No comments

CG CLOSING COMMENTS:

LTG O: God bless all our Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen, Marines and Civilians. Phantom 6 out.

C2:



The slide is titled "ISF INTEL DRIVEN DETENTIONS" and features the USCENTCOM logo on the left and a circular emblem on the right. The main content is a bulleted list of three points. A large redacted area on the right side of the slide contains the text "(b)(3), (b)(6)".

- Iraqi Security Forces (ISF) continue to develop and expand their capability to conduct intelligence driven operations
- Recent events show that some ISF units are being pro-active rather than just reactive in hunting down insurgents
- Improved training and efficiency of ISF units will further expand the ISF into a more effective force to fight insurgents both in partnership with CF and operating independently

Tonight's Intel update is on ISF intelligence driven operations.

Iraqi Security Forces (ISF) consisting of Iraqi Army (IA) and Iraqi Police (IP) continue to develop and expand their capability to conduct intelligence driven operations. In addition to cache finds, which are substantial, recent reports from MNF-West, MND-Baghdad and MND-North, highlight important detentions of insurgents by ISF based on joint Iraqi and Coalition Forces (CF) generated intelligence.

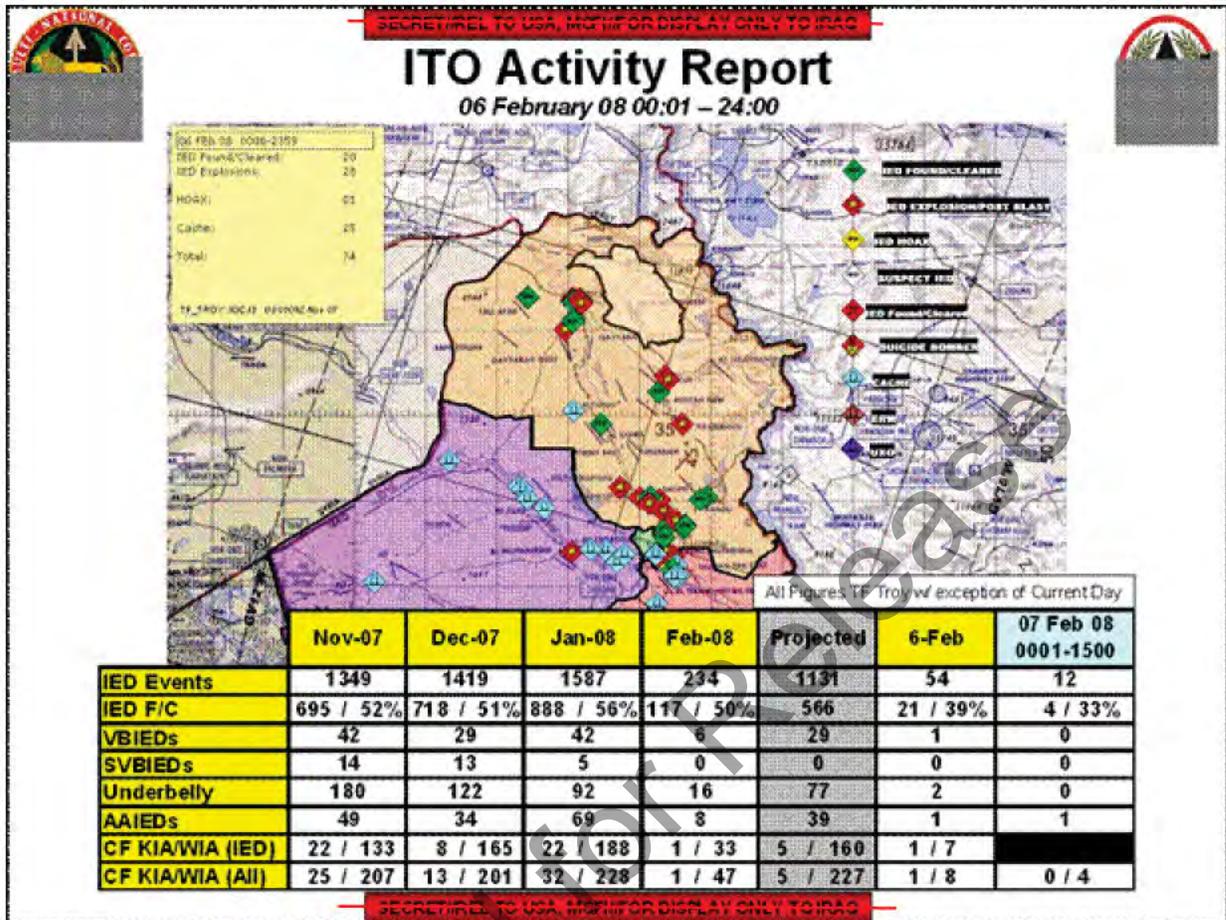
For example, on 20 January 2008, MNF-W reported that Coalition Forces and Faraj Iraqi Police detained three suspected insurgents 2km Northwest of Ramadi, while conducting a joint [1.4c] driven raid. The unit detained Ahmed Farek Abulahef, Abdulrahman Obad Jamel and Mohamed Faek Abdulahef for suspected involvement in a VBIED cell.

Similarly, on 10 January 2008, MND-Baghdad reported CF and Iraqi Army conducted a joint raid in Adamiyah, which resulted in the capture of two members of the Qahira non-compliant JAM Special Groups Cell operating in Qahira (MND-B). The IA had received multiple [1.4c] reports that this cell was intimidating Qahira Sons of Iraq members for the past week, threatening to murder them if they did not quit.

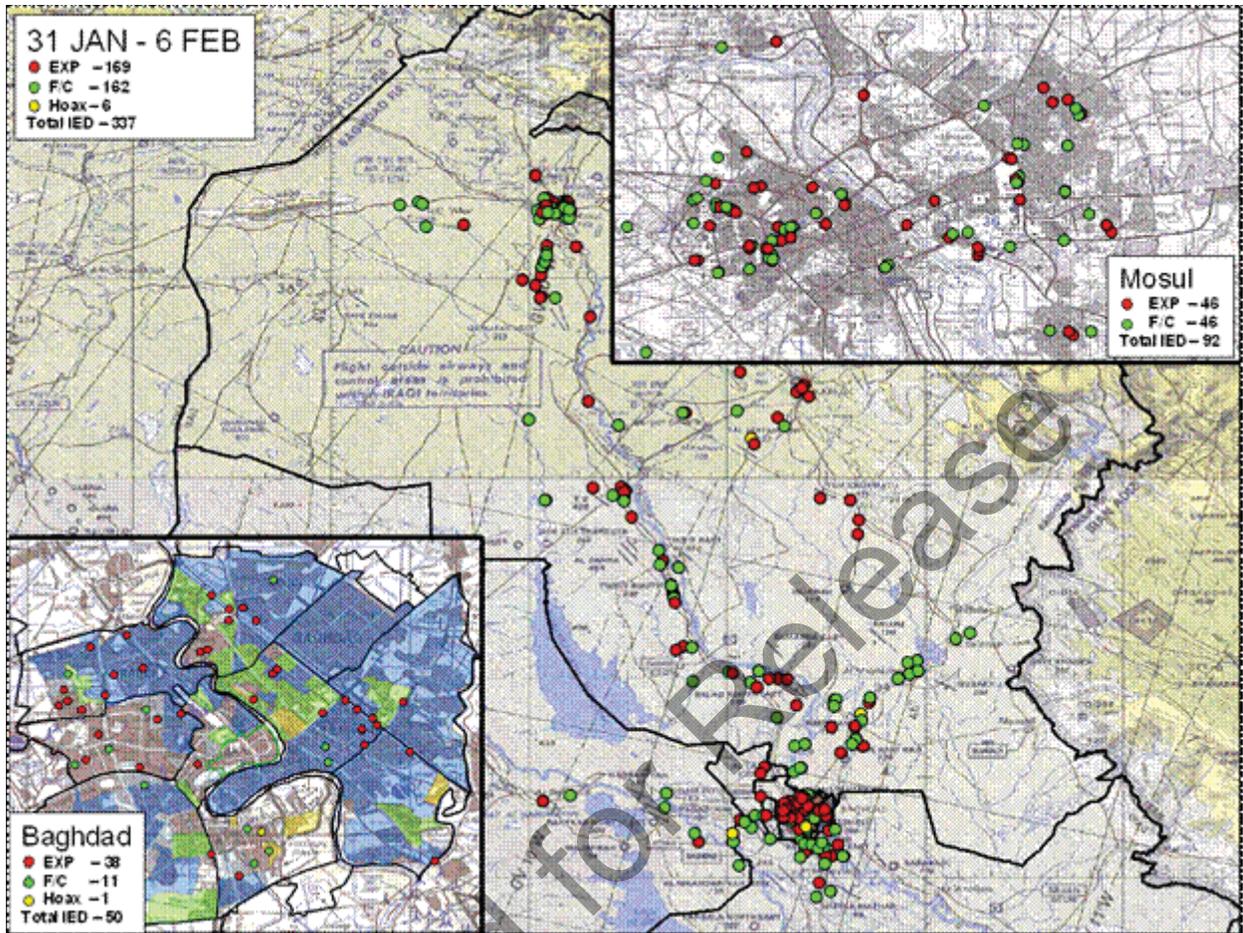
Furthermore, on 5 January 2008 MND-North reported the detainment of five suspected AQI members during an [1.4c] raid in Western Mosul; this occurred during Operation Heavy Harvest V. They were detained for suspected involvement in planning and facilitating attacks in Mosul. Additionally, in January 2008, Iraqi Police and Iraqi Army discovered and reported a number of weapons caches in both Fallujah and Kubaysah.

ISF [1.4c] raids, searches and detentions are contributing greatly to the number of captured AQI and non-compliant JAM Special Groups. Recent events indicate some ISF units are being pro-active in hunting down insurgents. ISF are now conducting more raids in which they take the lead role supported by coalition. Improved training and efficiency of ISF units, as well as confidence driven by these successes will further the expansion of ISF into an effective force to fight insurgents both in partnership with CF and operating independently.

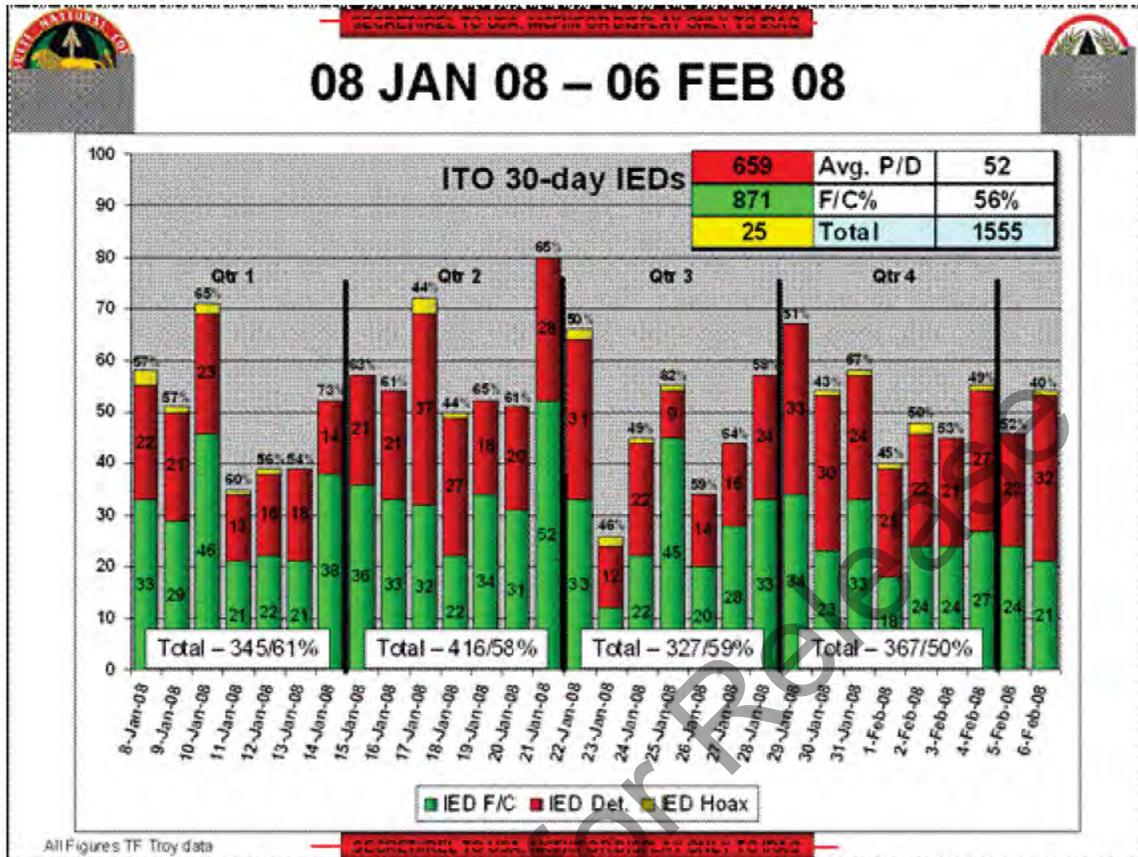
COIC:



Through 1500 today, there have been 12 IED attacks, with a 33% F/C rate. Directly to the left, you can see the final numbers from yesterday, the 6th. There were 54 IED attacks, with a 39% F/C rate. In the column labeled February are the totals for the month, through the 6th. In the Grey column, you can see projected totals. Sir, these totals may fluctuate due to only 6 days of data. The F/C rate for this month is 50%. The frequency of AAIEDs has decreased, with only 8 to date this month.

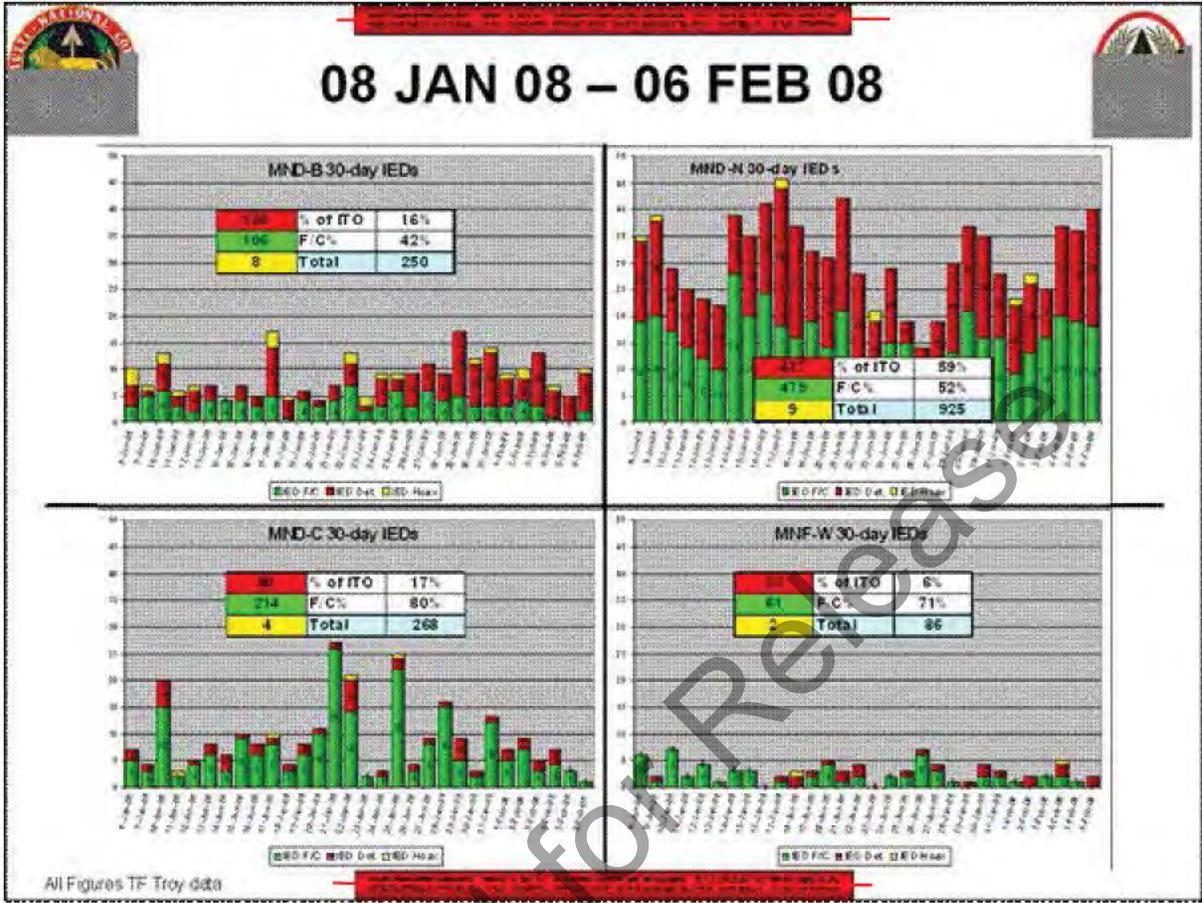


IED concentrations this past week remain in Mosul, although it is assessed that many enemy combatants are fleeing the area to support zones to wait out impending CF/ISF operations. This is illustrated by the emerging concentration of IED activity in southern Ninewa, which MND N assesses as a support zone and Staging area for AQI in Mosul. Within Baghdad, IED concentrations remain in Eastern Rusafa as well as an increase in attacks in Khadamiyah.

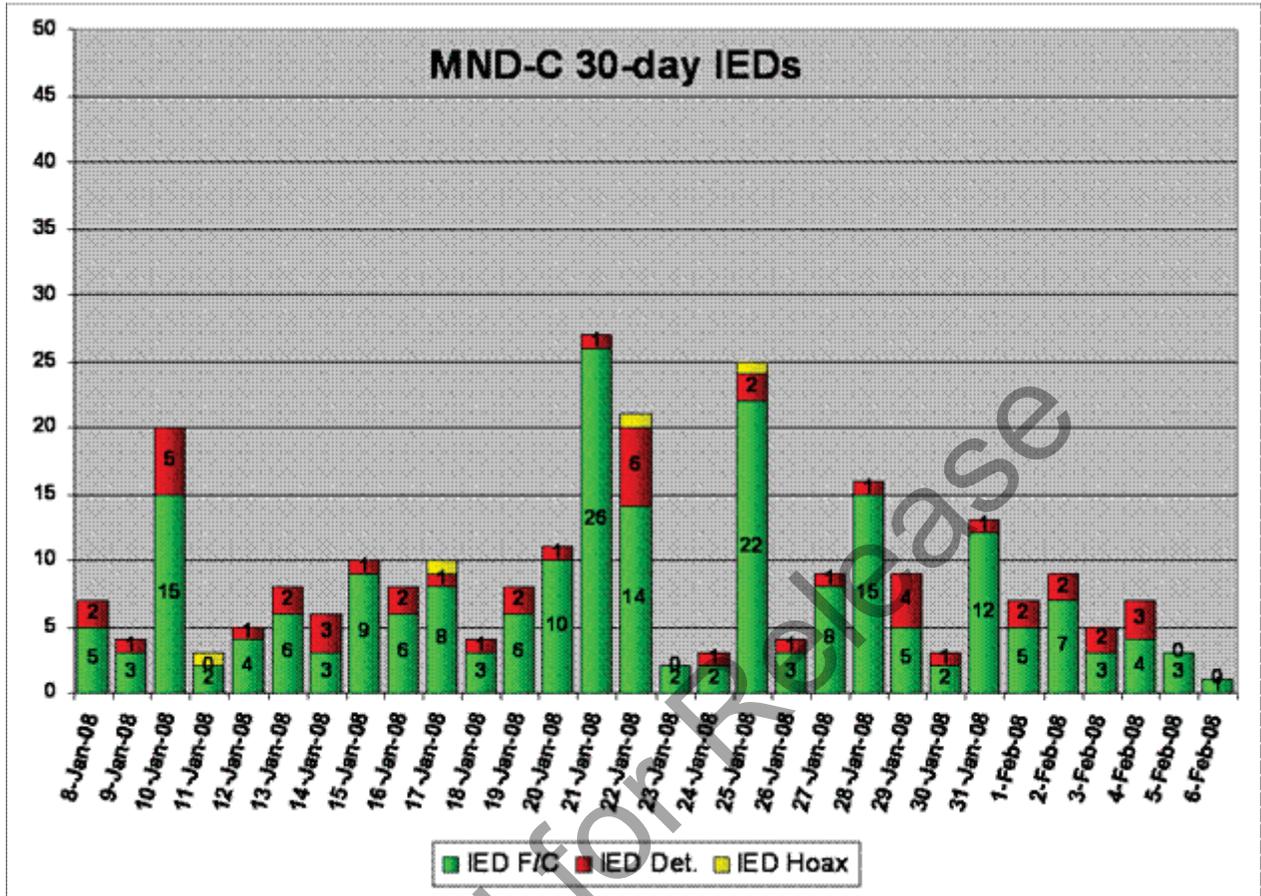


There have been 1555 IEDs the past 30 days, occurring at a rate of appx 52 attacks per day. Found and cleared rates suffered slightly this past week, but are still favorable at 50% over all.

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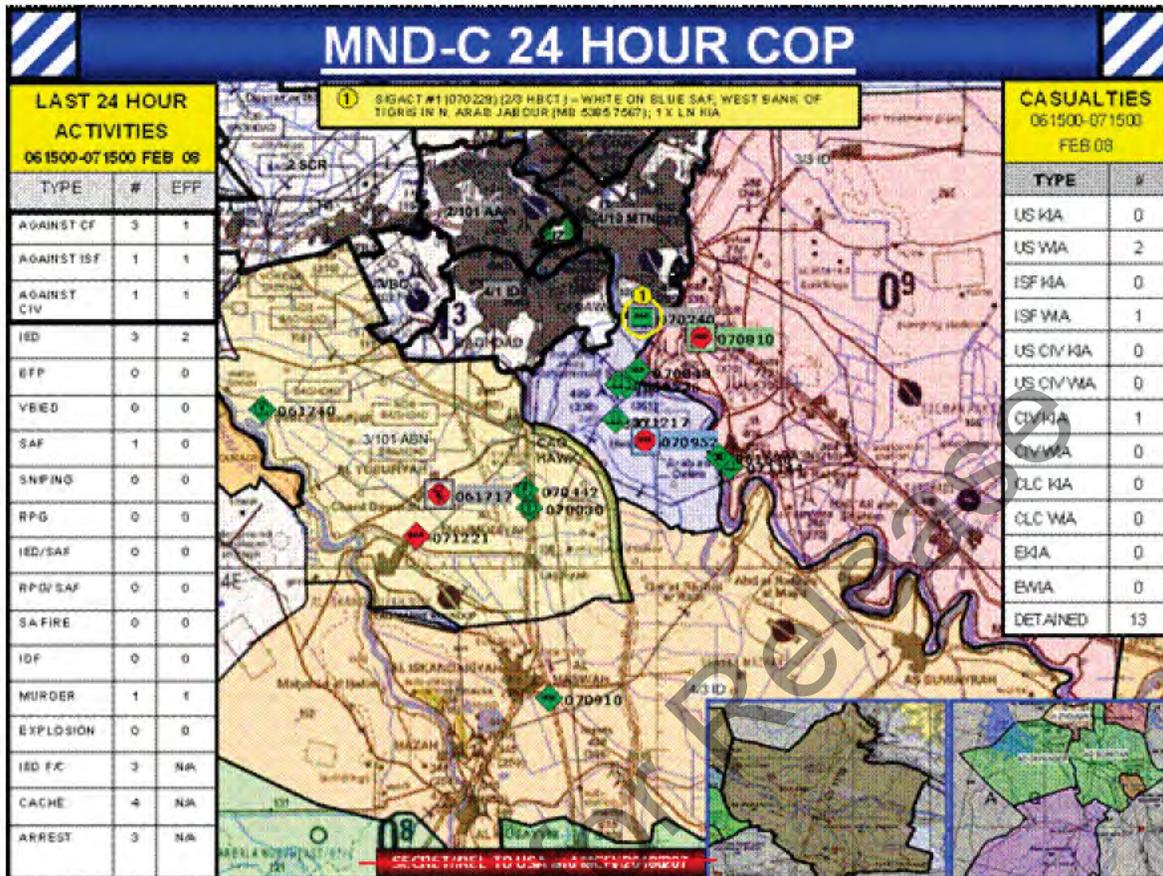


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Finally Sir, MND Baghdad shows an increase in IED detonations starting appx the 29th of January. MND-N maintains 59% of the ITO total with a 52% F/C rate. In MNF-W, you can see continued low attack rates accounting for only 6% of the ITO total, as well as high F/C percentages. **MND-C** IED activity accounts for 18% of the ITO total, as IED attacks steadily decrease with a record high F/C rate for the MND at 80%.

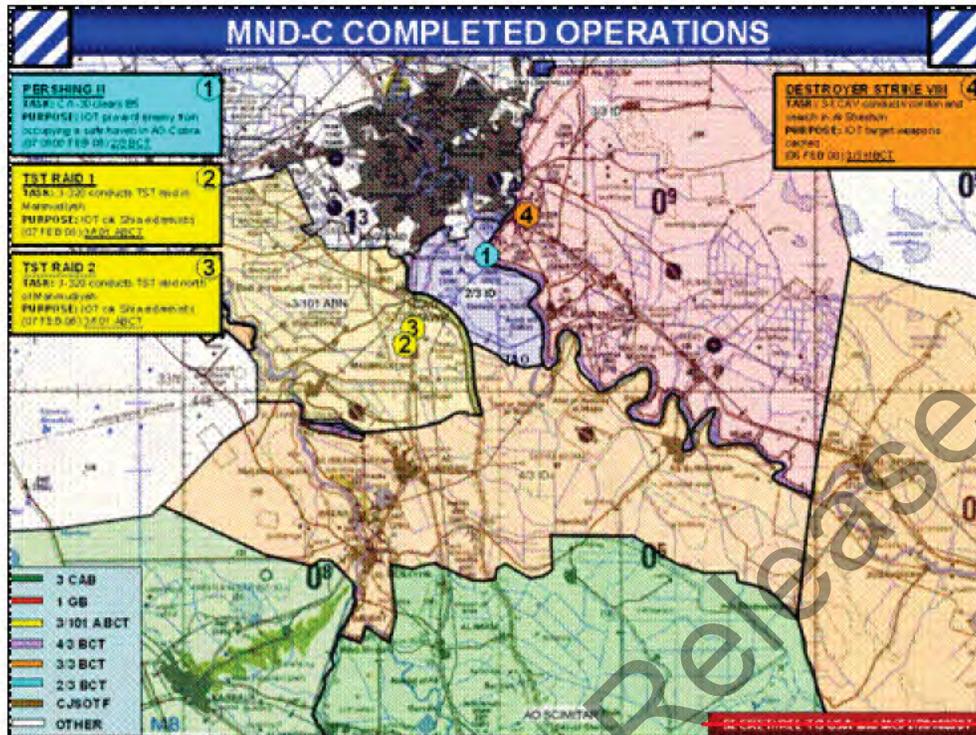
MND-C Marne:



Last 24 hours 18 total events with 1 reportable SIGACT. There were 5 reported attacks during the reporting period, 3 were effective.

Our 1 SIGACT was a White on Blue which resulted in 1 x LN KIA.

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(COMPLETED OPERATIONS)

In the last 24 hours we have completed 4 operations, 3 of which were TST raids. Operation PERSHING 2 was completed with NSTR.

3/101 BCT

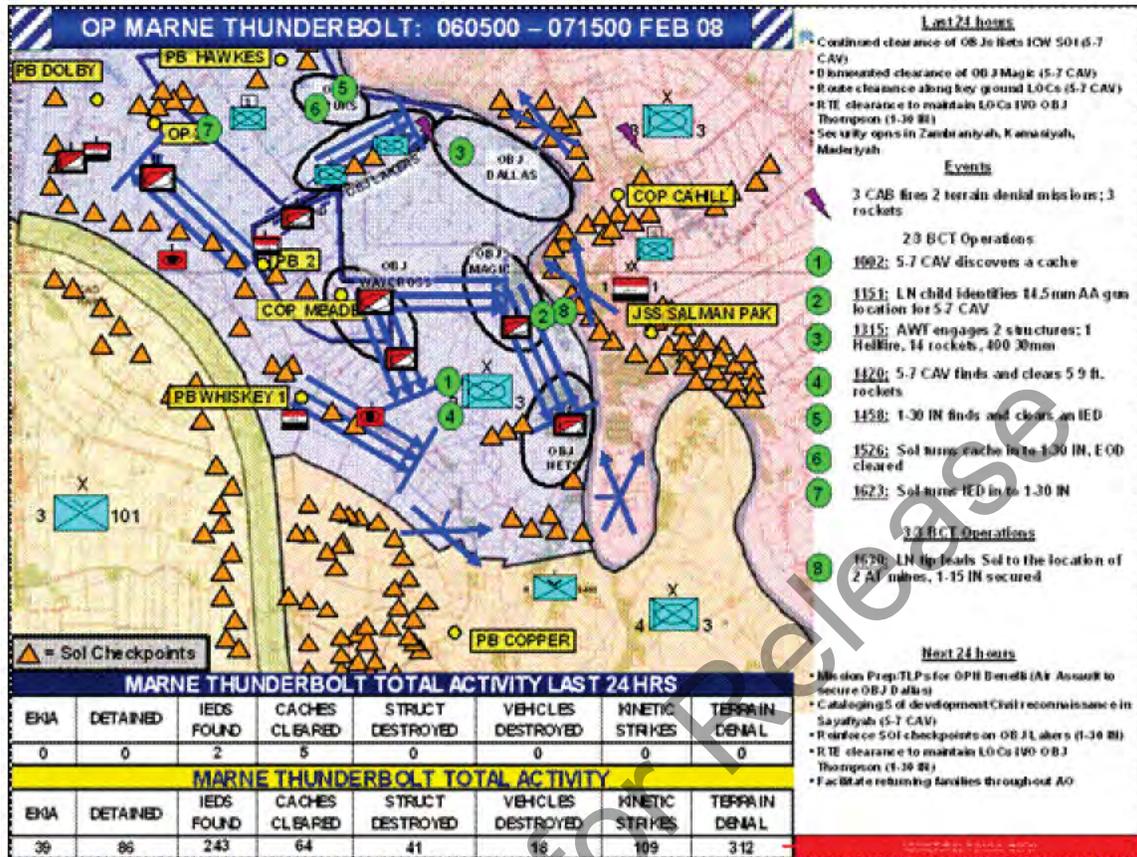
This morning, 3/101 BCT in coordination with 4/6 IA, conducted a TST raid targeting a Shia Extremist finance cell in Mahmudiyah, resulting in 4 x detainees.

Also this morning, 3/101 BCT executed a follow-on TST raid targeting a Shia Extremist IDF cell north of Mahmudiyah, resulting in 3 x detainees.



(OPERATION DESTROYER STRIKE VIII OPSUM)

Our one highlight OPSUM is from a TST conducted yesterday, by 3/3 BCT. Operation DESTROYER STRIKE 8 was a cordon and search north of Jisr Diyala targeting weapons caches, resulting in the capture and destruction of significant mortar and RPG systems and ammunition which included: 35 x 82mm, and 24 x 60mm mortar rounds.



(MARNE THUNDERBOLT)

MARNE THUNDERBOLT, PHASE II continues as 5-7 CAV conducted area security and the 2/3 ePRT conducted project assessment in Sayafiyah. Additionally, 5-7 CAV found a fully serviceable Anti-Aircraft gun, 45 cans of DSHKA ammunition, 4 hand grenades, and various RPG rounds lying unconcealed in a field to the southeast of COP Meade. SSE of this location found a buried cache containing 3 x 122mm rockets.

1-30 IN continues the clearance of route GNAT north of Sayafiyah. The Sons of Iraq continue to find caches throughout AO Battle, recovering a cache that contained 12 x 55 gallon barrels of UBE and a separate cache containing various landmines, ordnance, and HME.

6-8 CAV continues shaping operations to clear Zambraniyah and enroll returning local nationals into the BATS/HIDE system.

HOLLANDIA MEDICAL SUPPLY DROP, 3/3 HBCT

WHAT: MEDICAL SUPPLY EQUIP DONATION / DROP IN HOLLANDIA, SOUTH OF NARWHAN

WHY: AS THE ONLY MEDICAL CLINIC IN THE NINE NISSAN AREA, IT CONTINUALLY REMAINS IN SHORT SUPPLY OF CRITICAL MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT. TODAY'S MEDICAL DONATION WILL HELP TO ALLEVIATE SOME OF THESE PROBLEMS AND ALLOW IT TO BETTER SERVE THE LOCAL VILLAGES ALONG BUTLER RANGE ROAD. DURING THE OPERATION, MEMBERS OF BOTH THE IRAQI AND CF MEDIA INTERVIEWED VARIOUS INDIVIDUALS, NAMELY THE HOLLANDIA SHEIKS' COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE, THE SONS OF IRAQ LEADER, AND THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SHEIKS' COUNCIL. THE SONS OF IRAQ PROVIDED ADDITIONAL SECURITY FOR THE EVENT AND ALSO ASSISTED IN DOWNLOADING THE MULTIPLE BOXES OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES.

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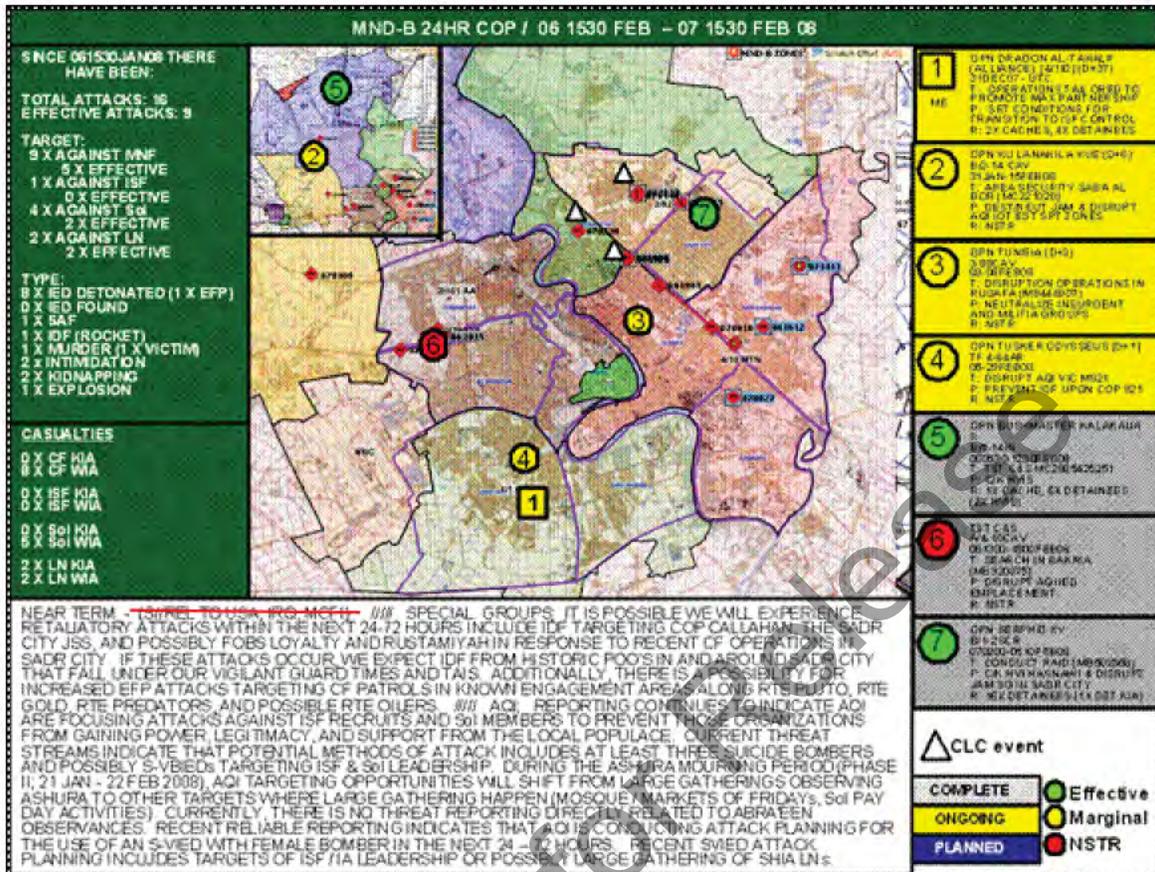
(HOLLANDIA MEDICAL SUPPLY DROP)

Yesterday, 3/3 BCT completed a medical supply drop at the only medical clinic in the Nine Nissan area south of Nharwan to help the clinic provide better care to the Iraqi Citizens in the area. Arab and western media were present and interviewed members of the Hollandia Sheiks' council and the Sol leader.

ISR AND PLANNING STATUS

Our ISR collection priority remains target development for Operation MARNE GRAND SLAM in support of PHANTOM PHOENIX.

MND-B Iron Horse:



There was a total of 16 attacks in the last 24 hours which is consistent with our 30-day average. (increased from 14 to 15 on 02 FEB 2008). Activity is concentrated East of the Tigris, with the majority attributed to Special Groups.

Attacks in today's reporting period include:

- 8 X IEDs (2 X EFP, 6 X UBE / conventional)
- 1 X SAF
- 1 X IDF (ROCKET)
- 1 X MURDER (1 X VICTIM)
- 2 X ACTS OF INTIMIDATION
- 2 X KIDNAPPINGS
- 1 X EXPLOSION

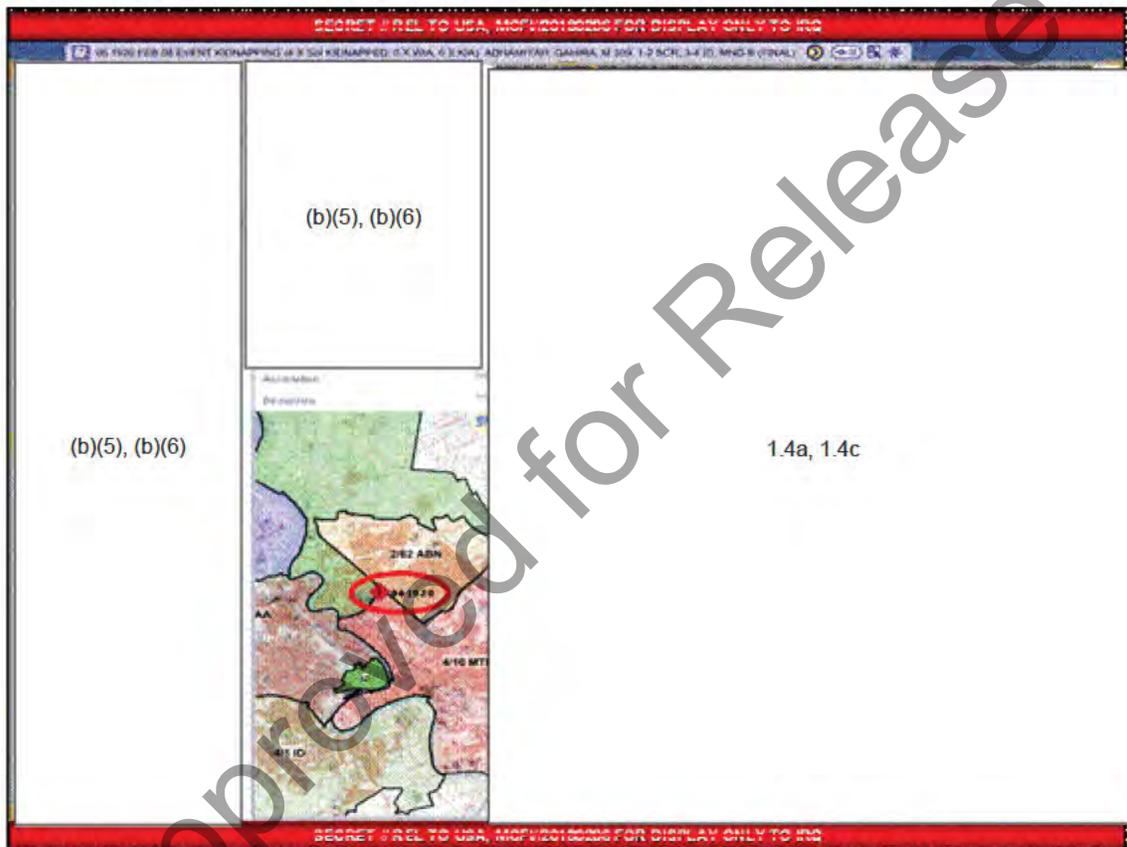
(EVENT 06 1612 (IED) & EVENT 07 0827 (EFP) // IED // PATROIT)

Last night and this morning, Special Groups attacked Coalition Forces with 3 x separate IED attacks in OE Patriot.

- Last night's attack was on the lead vehicle of a HMMWV patrol conducting operations in the New Baghdad Security District.
- This attack is in close proximity to a JSS and the location of an EFP attack from two months ago.
- This attack seriously wounded 2 X US Soldiers and 2 other Soldiers received WIA with concussions in the attack.

Additionally, a three-array EFP targeted a 4 X HMMWV convoy on route Brewers. Four (4) Soldiers were wounded in the blast. Two (2) were RTD with observation for concussions

- None of the penetrators impacted the vehicle, but damage and injuries were caused by the blast.
- EOD assessed the EFP had a PIR initiator and the lead vehicle's RHINO activated the device causing it to miss the target.
- The last EFP on Brewers was 30 JAN 08, within 500m meters of today's attack, resulting in 1 X US WIA.



(EVENT 06 1920 / EVENT 06 2028 / EVENT 07030 / EVENT 07 1140 // Sol
INTIMIDATION & KIDNAP)

There is a concentration of Sol related events to mention tonight:

Last night, local nationals reported that Special Groups kidnapped 4 x Sol from a Sol Checkpoint near the boundary between Adhamiyah and Sadr City.

- Local shop owners were instructed to stay indoors prior to the kidnapping.
- Special Groups disarmed 4 X Sol members at their checkpoint and took them to Sadr City.
- Subsequent reporting confirmed that the Special Groups beat / tortured the Sols and released them with instructions never to return to Sol Checkpoints or cooperate with CF.

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This morning, National Police disrupted a kidnapping near the same location as the event previously briefed.

- National Police engaged the Special Groups kidnapers at the Sol checkpoint, disrupting the attack.
- Special Groups abducted 3 x Sol and 3 avoided capture as a result of the NP action.
- We assess that these individuals have been moved to Sadr City.

The third SOI Related event consisted of a grenade attack on the home of Muqtar Abu Hisham, an Sol leader, with a grenade. We attribute this attack to Special Groups.

We have received reliable reporting and disseminated tear-line intelligence of escalated Special Groups' intimidation tactics on Sol's across northern Adhamiyah Sol. These Sol groups are predominantly Shia.

This reporting indicates that subordinates of Abu Fatimah, (3/4 BCT HVI #1), are overall responsible for these events. These tactics indicate an increase in intimidations of Sol, and reinforce that the Sol checkpoints are having an impact on SG criminal and insurgency capabilities.

There is one change to our near-term assessment based on historical reactions to operations conducted against Special Groups in or around Sadr City.

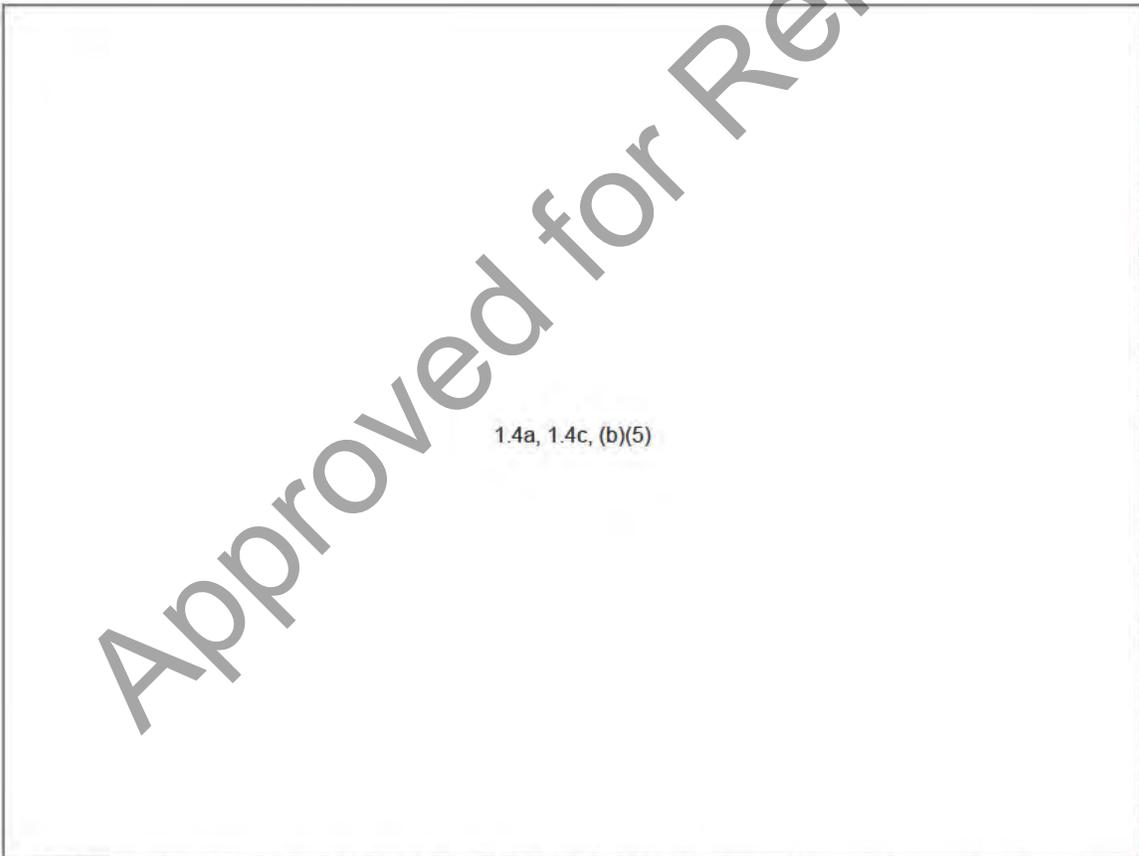
Special Groups in Eastern Baghdad have likely just completed a refit/resupply period. If an increase in attacks occurs, we expect this localized increase to last for 3 to 5 days.

Additionally, reliable intelligence indicates renewed AQI S-VIED attack planning with female bombers in MND-B. This attack planning is likely intended for MND-B, and will either target Sol and ISF leadership, or large gatherings of local nationals. Reporting indicates this attack may be executable in the next 24-72 hours.

[OPS UPDATE]

MND-B conducted 7x company-size or larger operations in the last 24 hours. Of note:

OPN DRAGON ALLIANCE in West Rashid, resulted in 4x Detainees and 2x Caches (various mortar/artillery rounds and 10lbs. HME).



2/25ID conducted OPN BUSHMASTER KALAKAUA II, a cordon and search to capture two AQI HVIs north of Taji. The operation resulted in the capture of 6x Detainees, including the two targets who belong to an AQI IED cell. Also found with the detainees were 3x rifles, 1x sniper rifle (with armor piercing ammo), and 4x 7" warhead casings.

OPERATION SERPHID XV	
1.4a, 1.4c	
SECRET//REL TO USA, MCFW/23110905 BTG: 220200AUG07	
KEY INFORMATION CF Personnel: 125 MOD Personnel: 0 MOI Personnel: 28 # of Vehicles: 10 X M1151, 4 X ISF UAH # of Aircraft: 1 X TUAV, 2 X FW Pre-Planned Fires: None Nearest City: SADR CITY Planned Start Date: A+96hrs Planned End Date: H+5hrs	
Task Organization ORF Staged at Ford	
Friendly Situation In support of Operation Schizha Gubi (Push Forward), CFT 2-325 AIR and partnered ISF elements remain postured to further control the security condition in the Sha'ab, Ur, Beida, and Al Thawra areas. In addition to the combined patrols operating from the Al Thawra DJSS, the Al Quds Police Station in Beida, and the Al Sha'ab Police Station in Sha'ab, precision raid will be conducted by selected element in CFT White in order to disrupt identified AIF operators.	Commanders Intent To conduct precision raids within Sadr City and disrupt known and identified Shia Extremists. Method (Key Tasks): Source PID target location, isolate the OBJ with dismounted maneuver elements; conduct a deliberate SSE on OBJ, engage individuals at each location to develop [1.4c] gain SA on JAM activities. Endstate: Sadr City no longer seen as a place of refuge for Shia extremist operators no longer able to operate freely // Coalition forces postured to continue operations based on collected intelligence
Political Impact in Area This mission will provide proof to the people and leadership of Sadr City that there will be no safe haven for militant or those who oppose the Baghdad Security plan through violent means.	Mission B2-384 conducts precision raid to secure ARKAN HASANOW VIC MB 50227 95856j NET Approval +96 UTC in Sadr City IOT disrupt Shia extremist command and control in Sadr City and develop additional intelligence through exploitation.
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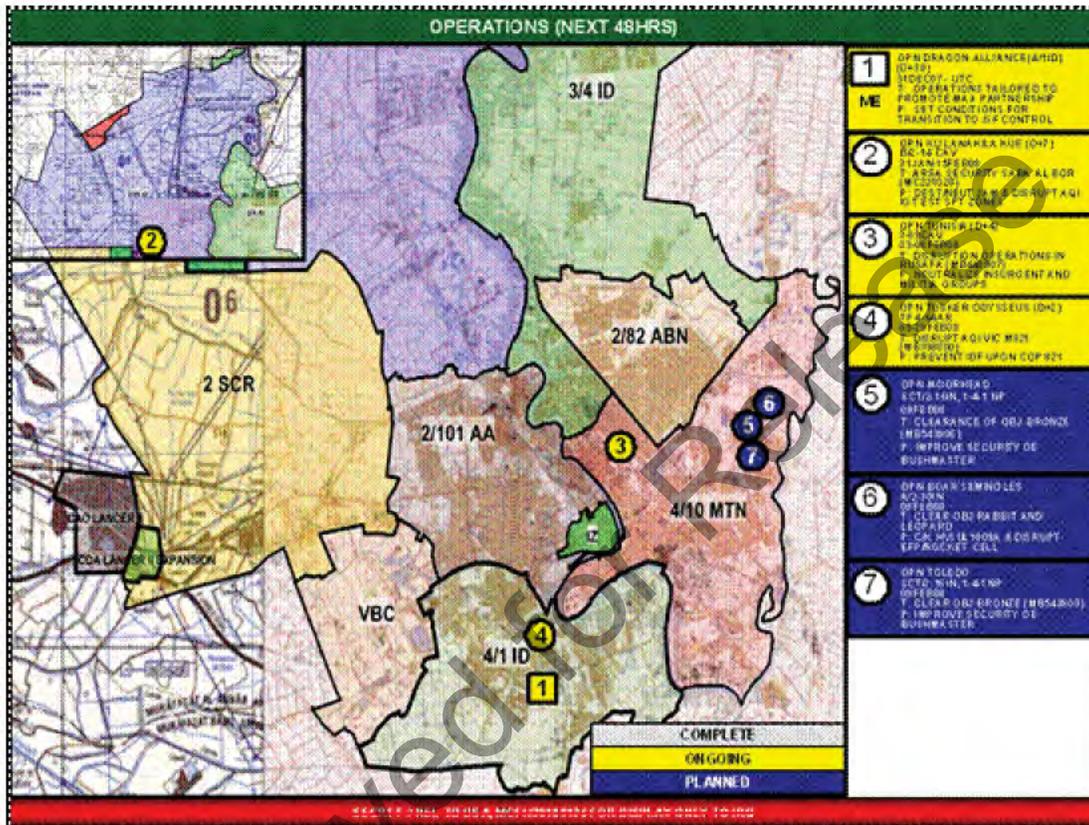
Last night, 2/82 ABN conducted OPN SERPHID XV, a [1.4c] triggered raid targeting Arkan Hasnawi (UA 0814 – MND-B HVI #7) in Sadr City during the period of darkness. The operation resulted in 16x detainees, of which 1x detainee died of wounds after CF returned fire during a SAF engagement. A LN woman also sustained a grazing wound during this SAF engagement.

Based on this operation, we can expect retaliatory attacks within the next 24-72 hours including IDF targeting COP Callahan, Sadr City JSS, and possibly FOBs Loyalty and Rustamiyah as well as increased EFP attacks targeting CF patrols in known engagement areas along RTE PLUTO, RTE Gold, RTE PREDATORS, and possible RTE OILERS.

SG/JAM will likely conduct a localized IO campaign targeting CF for entering Sadr City and injuring a Shia woman and killing an 'innocent civilian'. JAM may also organize a localized demonstration IVO the Sadr City JSS to protest CF actions.

We expect an increase in anti-CF rhetoric from local leaders and imams in Sadr City and possibly through Shaab / Ur. Some SG members in Sadr City, such as Hajji Mahdi, Hajji Thamer, and Sheikh Baqir, may leave the area for a few days in order to avoid further anticipated targeted raids directed against them in Sadr City.

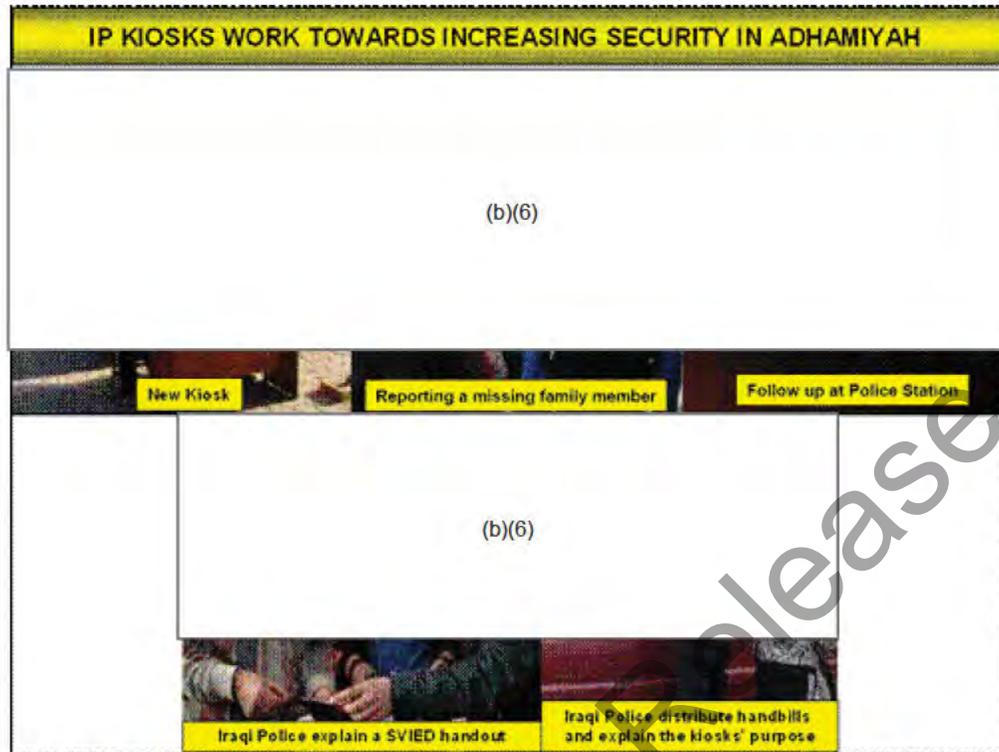
2/82ABN has been using loudspeaker teams to promote the CF IO message. We are tracking MNC-I's press release relating to this events and are continuing to closely monitor the situation in and around Sadr City.



MND-B will conduct 7x named operations in the next 24 hours.

4/10MTN will conduct three clearing operations in NewBaghdad to disrupt Special Group EFP and rocket operations in the area. 4/10 will also continue black market interdiction operations with OPN TUNISIA in Rusafa.

4/1ID will continue OPN DRAGON ALLIANCE and TUSKER ODYSSEUS in West Rashid, disrupting AQI operations in that area.



Tonight's good news story comes from 2/82ABN in Adhadiyah.

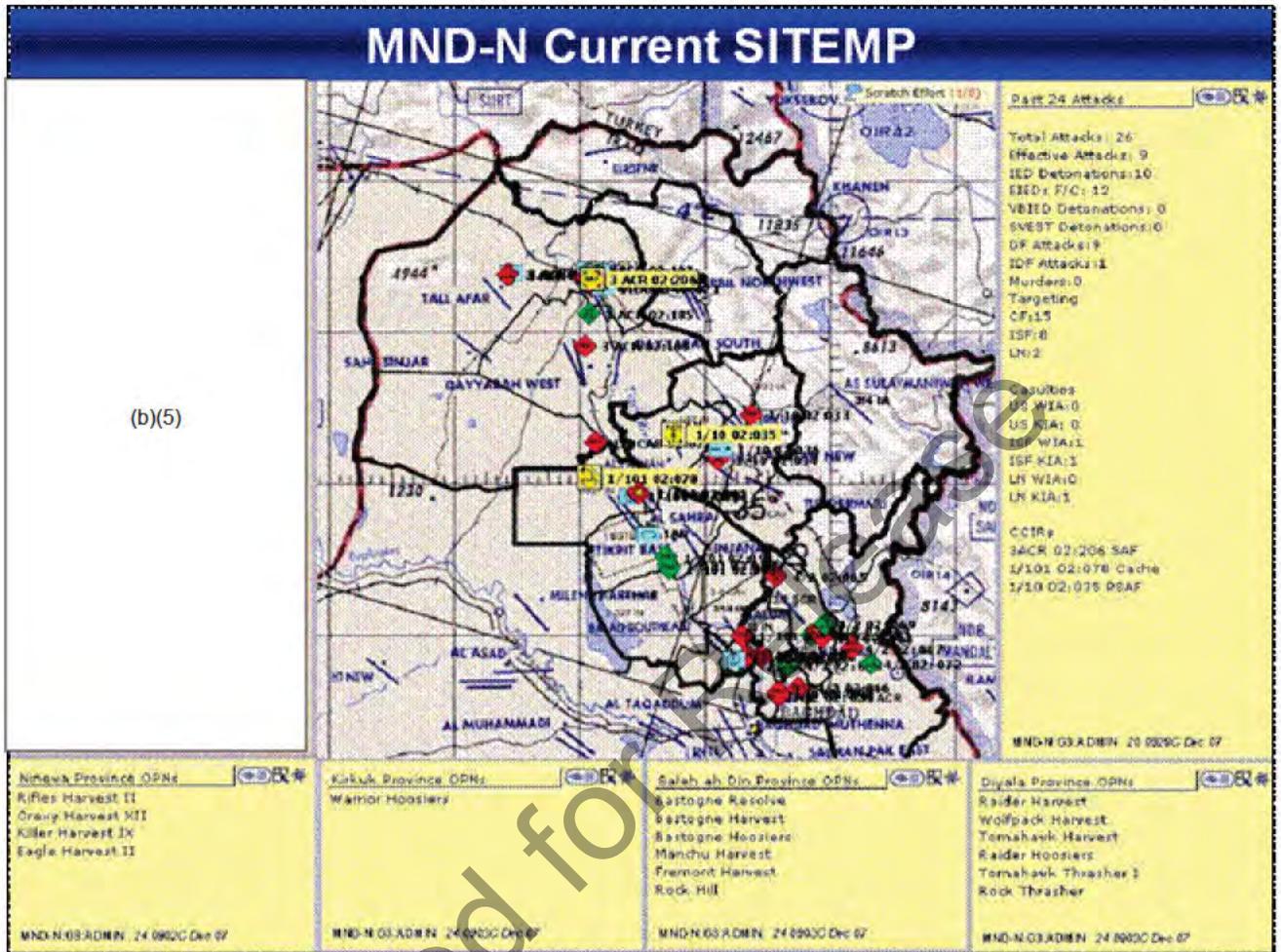
Iraqi Police kiosks are making a noticeable difference in the Al Sha'ab community of Adhadiyah. By incorporating Iraqi Police officers on street corners in local muhallas, Iraqi Security Forces now have a new intelligence collection asset.

Local citizens are becoming more comfortable with their presence and report criminal activity directly to the police on duty.

Additionally, the IPs use their presence to distribute suicide vest awareness handbills to the populace.

As their presence becomes a permanent fixture in the community, the Iraqi Police are able to become a fully integrated part of the local neighborhood.

MND-N Iron Soldiers:



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(1) During the past 24 hrs we faced 26 attacks and 3 CCIRs.

1/101 02:078 Cache
3ACR 02:206 SAF
1/10 02:035 PSAF

(2) Operations ISO Iron Harvest continues today with 13 company combined level or higher operations across our AOR. Sir, I would like to focus tonight on some of the attack data we have compiled since our TOA and a few of the operations being conducted in our provinces.

Ninewa 3ACR

(3) In Ninewa 3ACR has continued its CIED based operations targeting AQI Cells operating in the province today, focusing on Q-West and RTE Rainer in Mosul.

(4) TF 1-8 IN will begin Operation Eagle Harvest II tomorrow morning targeting specific areas in the south eastern side of Mosul conducting targeted search and clearance operations in coordination with 4/2 IA. This operation is intended to clear the area of AQI Cells operating here in order to establish COP Rock and other CPs for use by 4/2 IA units. During the operation multiple objectives have been identified as possible training sites and residences of HVI in an effort to neutralize these cells before beginning construction.

G2 Assessment- On 06 February, 2008, reporting indicated ISI elements conducted an arson attack against six cell phone tower locations in Mosul by setting the power generators on fire. Iraqi Police responded to the sites to extinguish the fires with no further activity indicated. Surveillance of the locations indicated that only one tower was located at the given sites and there was no indication that cell phone towers were located at the other grids. On 07 February, 2008, CF responded to reports of several cell phone towers ablaze in western Mosul. On screen is a map depicting the attacks for the 6th and 7th marked at red and yellow respectively. Aerial reconnaissance assets observed three generators on fire. During the flight, the team reported SAFIRE attack against their element. We assess this SAFIRE event as a small arms fire target of opportunity. There is no reported BDA. Initial assessments indicate no degradation to the cell phone service. These attacks may be viewed as possible attacks against the Asia Cell company if ISI believes the cell phone company is working with coalition forces. If this were the case, we will likely see this type of attack increase if it is deemed as a success. Intimidating Iraqi businesses who support coalition forces and the GOI is an enemy tactic used to undermine and disrupt the stability of the environment in regards to basic community services and governance. There is no further indication at this time to determine if these cell tower attacks are linked to the power lines attacks in January.

(6) On 5 Feb we had an incident of unrest at the Badoush Prison Complex. As you can see on the screen the timeline of events is as follows. We immediately responded to the incident and had the Commander of 2/2 IA the ERB Commander begin negotiations to put a quick end to the situation. Within an hour after their evening prayers all prisoners had returned to their cells with out confrontation. We will be monitoring the situation and try to discover why we had this incident.

ODA has conducted Operation Blackdog in the eastern side of Mosul based off of triggers around Abu Jaffar, an ISI IED Builder and Trainer responsible for multiple IED and SAF attacks on the east side of Mosul. We are still pending the OPSUM for this mission. If Abu Jaffar is captured his removal will not only remove an IED builder but also remove someone who is proficient in teaching others which is a skill set that will not easily be replaced by the ISI. Currently we are tracking four detainees from the OP but no confirmation yet if there was a jackpot.

Kirkuk 1/10 MTN

(7/8) Operation Chaos Hammer VII conducted by 2-22IN concluded yesterday north of the Hamrin Mountains targeting AQI/ISI sanctuaries and safe havens believed to be operating there. During the operation Ghayda IPs detained 15 individuals on their black list and discovered numerous IED materials, medical supplies and Jihadist letters. During the OP IPs from six different IP police stations took the lead during the clearing operations and 1.4c gathered indicated the surrounding area as other safe havens that AQI insurgents had been using. Future operations are currently being planned for later exploitation of this intelligence.

(7) 1/10 MTN in Kirkuk has been developing a number of operations throughout their AO in order to target AQI Cells and HVIs. Operations Hound Hammer Harvest 13, Tactical Tailor Harvest 2 and Chaos Thunder Strike 2 are all operations focusing on IED cells

throughout the province and are pending due to different triggers and [1.4c] on meetings we are targeting within the cells.

Salah ad Din 1/101 ABN

(9) In Salah ad Din we are continuing to target AQI and ISI support zones throughout the province. 1/101 has continued its focus in the Al Jazeera Desert outside of Bayji with Operation Manchu Harvest and near Balad with Operation Rock Hill.

(10) OPN Manchu Harvest another cache discovery yesterday finding IED materials that contained 22x 50Kg bags of ammonium nitrate mixed with Cocoa Powder and another 18x 50Kg bags of with only ammonium nitrate in them. This amounts to over 4,400 pounds of ammonium nitrate that could have been used to make approximately 800lbs of HME. A controlled detonation was conducted and 4-9 IN are continuing to exploit the area for further cache finds.

(11) OPN Rock Hill conducted by 1-32 CAV and IA are targeting a suspected AQIZ Logistical Node and safe haven reportedly operating east of Balad. This operation will begin tomorrow morning with a cordon and search conducted by the CAV and ISF targeting fighters and AQIZ cell members confirmed to be operating in the area through multiple [1.4c] sources.

Diyala 4/2 SBCT

(12) Sir, in Diyala, 4/2 is continuing with its operations focusing in the Diyala River Valley with Operation Wolfpack Harvest, Tomahawk Harvest and Tomahawk Harvest. Mission planning is still being conducted based off of the intelligence gathered from OPN Zuni however only Operation Tomahawk Thrasher is being conducted in that AO.

(13) 1-38 IN will be conducting Operation Rock Thrasher in northern Baqubah tomorrow targeting AQI in the vicinity of Windia and Hussayn Sayida. After the operation we will be looking to recruit and establish Sol in the area in order to retain the area facilitate future development in the area.

We have received a report of unrest with some of the Sol in Baqubah from SOTF-N. They have made claims against the IPs and Shia Militias operating in the city and have threatened to go on strike if a list of their demands are not met. The leaders have cited numerous examples of abuse, violence and evictions on the part of the IPs, including citing an incident where IPs reportedly kidnapped and murdered two Sunni girls. The Sol has presented a formal letter to their ODA Team stating that if no progress is done on their demands all ties will be cut and they will cease working. We are still working to verify all of this information and establish legitimacy to the allegations.

Non-Lethal

We had the UNESCO visit in Samarra yesterday. The key officials in the Samarra Mosque reconstruction effort, including representatives from GoI, UNESCO, Salah Ad Din Provincial Government, and local Samarra leaders and tribal sheiks, came together today in Samarra to discuss security, local economic development, and Golden Dome Mosque reconstruction. The group toured the Mosque site and discussed the plan for the mosque reconstruction, security improvements in Samarra, the Support Council

movement, and plans for Samarra's future urban renewal. While CF were not included in the vast majority of discussions, bringing together this group of people into the same room was in itself an accomplishment. Separate engagements this week by STRATOPS/USM-I, 1/101 BCT, and 2-327 IN will shed light on developments from some of the trip's Iraqi-only meetings.

At the SOC Cdr's HQ Conference Room in the Samarra Green Zone, the PGOV, SOC Commander, UNESCO Iraq Country Director, and former Mayor Mahmoud Kalaf discussed (with Iraqi media present) Samarra's improved security situation, the mosque reconstruction's importance to Samarra and plans for developing Samarra's city center by reopening and revitalizing Bank Street, as well as the need for a working courthouse, improved city services, and possible UNESCO sponsored projects to build schools and medical clinics. The PGOV discussed "some" money dedicated for Samarra in the 2008 budget.

(14) Finally, Sir, the 4/9 IA convoy towards Mosul left at 0200 this morning from Tayji and is expected to arrive in Mosul near 1200 hours. As of 1200 the convoy rested here at COB Speicher and will be expected to arrive at Mosul later tonight.

316th ESC Sustainer:

OVER THE LAST 24 HOURS, OVER THE LAST 24 HOURS THERE WERE 85 COMBAT LOGISTICS PATROLS WITH 3,088 TRUCKS. WE ALSO MOVED 167 PALLETS BY AIR.

# CORPS CLPS:	65	# VEHICLES:	2,527
# THEATER CLPS:	20	# VEHICLES:	561

FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS, THERE ARE 94 CLPS SCHEDULED CONSISTING OF 3,274 TRUCKS.

# CORPS CLPS:	68	# VEHICLES:	2,545
# THEATER CLPS:	26	# VEHICLES:	729

DURING THE PAST REPORTING PERIOD, WE EXPERIENCED A TOTAL OF ELEVEN EVENTS; SEVEN OF THESE EVENTS WERE ATTACKS ON OUR CLPS. THERE WERE FOUR IED ATTACKS, ONE GRENADE ATTACK, ONE FOUND AND CLEARED IED AND ONE ROCK THROWING. THESE ATTACKS RESULTED NO INJURIES TO COALITION FORCES.

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061610: 316 ESC; MND-N: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

062000: 213 ASG; MND-N: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

062246: 213 ASG; MND-N: NO INJURIES, 1 X M1083 DAMAGED, 1 X M1114 DAMAGED

070001: 213 ASG; MND-B: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

EOF

061630: 3 SB; MND-N: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

GRENADE

061845: 1 SB; MND-B: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

IDF

062025: 1-82 BCT; MND-SE: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

ACC

062031: 1-82 BCT; MND-CS: 1 X TCN INJURED AND 1 X TCN TRK DISABLED

062135: 3 SB; MND-N: NO INJURIES, 1 X M1117 DAMAGED

FCIED

070245: 213 ASG; MND-N: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

ROCK

070830: 7 SB; MND-C: NO INJURIES OR DAMAGE

REVIEW OF EVENTS AND TRENDS OVER THE PAST 24 HOURS SHOWS THERE WERE A TOTAL OF 19 REPORTED EVENTS ON MSRS, ASRS AND LOGBASES, AN INCREASE OF 1 FROM THE PREVIOUS REPORT. OF THE 19 ATTACKS, 37% (7) WERE ON 316th ESC UNITS.

SUSTAINMENT STATUS FOR ALL GS AND DS HUBS CURRENTLY AVERAGE 8.3 DAYS OF SUPPLY JP8 ON HAND AND AVERAGE 12.3 DAYS OF SUPPLY DF2 ON HAND. THERE ARE NO OPERATIONAL IMPACTS.

FOR SUPPORT OPERATIONS,, THE 7TH SB IS SUPPORTING THE DEPLOYMENT AND FIELD-TESTING OF THE EXPEDITIONARY WATER PACKAGING SYSTEM (EWPS) AT FOB DELTA. THIS SYSTEM, WHICH ARRIVED AT DELTA THIS MORNING, IS CAPABLE OF PRODUCING UP TO 7,000 BOTTLES OF WATER PER 10-HOUR SHIFT, SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCING THE TRANSPORTATION REQUIREMENT FOR BOTTLED-WATER RESUPPLY AT DELTA. IT IS EXPECTED TO BE FULLY OPERATIONAL BY MID-FEBRUARY, WITH THE FIELD TEST SCHEDULED TO RUN THROUGH AUGUST.

FRAG-5 AND OGPK INSTALLATION SITES HAVE COMPLETED 2,780 M1151 OGPK INSTALLATIONS. IN ADDITION, THEY HAVE COMPLETED 2,301 M1151 FRAG-5 INSTALLATIONS, 378 M1152 INSTALLATIONS, AND 384 M1165 INSTALLATIONS. ESC-OPERATED SITES COMPLETED THIRTEEN (13) M1151 OGPK INSTALLATIONS OVER THE LAST 24 HOURS.

CONVOY NUMBERS 06-07 FEB 08 (LAST 24 HOURS)

	CORPS CLP	CORPS VEH	THEATER CLP	THEATER VEH	Total CLPs	Total Vehicles
Day	24	967	0	0	24	967
Night	41	1560	20	561	61	2121
Total	65	2527	20	561	85	3088
PERCENTAGE OF CLPs CONDUCTED AT NIGHT						72

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MND-B LNO to MNC-I

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