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KEY TASKS:
- Make safety and security the first priority without being risk averse
- Continue operations to find MND-C’s MISCAP Soldiers and kill or capture those responsible for the attack against our MISCAP Soldiers
- Continue conducting offensive operations to kill or capture irreconcilable extremists and criminals
- Develop options for the employment of CLCs that will not join ISF
- Partner with ISF across the AOR in order to facilitate transition and set conditions for sustainable Iraqi control of the Security line of operation (LOO)
- Defeat extremists conducting sectarian violence through lethal and non-lethal means
- Interdict accelerants to Baghdad’s sectarian violence in order to sustain the improved security situation
- Neutralize VBIED, EFP, IDF and sniper networks through lethal and non-lethal means
- Disrupt sanctuary areas in south and east Baghdad and in north Babil in order to prevent the staging of accelerants

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I WILL BE FOLLOWED BY MARNE 6, WHO WILL COVER THE COMMANDERS INTENT
ASSESSMENT:
The overall security situation in MND-Central has dramatically improved since 31D TOA due to the following reasons:
- Increased CF presence and aggressive operations have resulted in the death of 14 division HVTs and 27 detained HVTs.
- The expansion of CLCs within MND-C continues to deny the enemy FOM.

CURRENT SITUATION:
- AQI elements are disrupted, limiting their freedom of movement and relying on smaller cells to conduct harassment fire against CFs.
- AQIs last remaining support zone exists in the Khanasaal area in Hammers OE (OP Grand Slam).
- Muqtada al Sadr’s cease fire has resulted in a decrease of SEG related attacks.
- Reporting indicates SEG are utilizing the cease fire as an opportunity to smuggle and cache weapons.
2/3 BCT
2/3 BCT – Arab Jabour, Iraq

- **Commander:**
  - BOG: 11 MAY 07
  - TOA: 15 JUL 08

- **Significant Activities:**
  - **MARNE TORCH I** – Attack into northern Arab Jabour
    (15 JUN 07 – 15 JUL 07)
  - **MARNE TORCH II** – Disruption operations in central and southern Arab Jabour (15 SEP 07 – 15 OCT 07)
  - Establishment of Arab Jabour and Hawr Rajab governance centers and concerned citizen security contracts.
  - **MARNE THUNDERBOLT** – Attack into
2/3 BCT AO and Threats

THREATS:

- Former AQI Stronghold / Staging Area for attacks into Baghdad
- IEDs, HBIEDs, and DBIEDs remain the greatest threat to coalition forces.
- Indirect Fire, Small Arms Fire, and Suicide Bombers are the greatest threat to ISF and concerned citizens.
- Southern Arab Jabour was an AQI staging area up until 22 JAN 08 and is currently being cleared by coalition forces and concerned citizen groups will be formed.
2/3 BCT Mission

- **Mission:** MARNE THUNDERBOLT (22 JAN 08 – On-going)
  - 2/3 BCT, in coordination with ISF, conducts full spectrum operations to clear OBJ WAYCROSS and RTE CHEVY and attacks east IOT to establish a permanent presence in Arab Jabour and Sayafiyah, secure the population, deny the enemy sanctuary in the Brigade's southeastern OE, and prevent accelerant attacks into Baghdad.

- **Key Tasks:** MARNE THUNDERBOLT (22 JAN 08 – On-going)
  - Conduct aggressive IO and PAO campaigns to publicize and exploit ISF led operations and facilitate transition.
  - Maximize integration of Concerned Local Citizens (CLCs) into operations to exploit their knowledge of the area.
  - Conduct precision strikes against confirmed hostile targets.
  - Retain key terrain in vicinity of the existing fixed-site locations in AO SPARTAN to protect the force, maintain persistent presence, enable offensive operations, and enhance the security of the local population.
## 2/3 Operations Summary

**COMPLETED LAST 14 DAYS:**

**ATHENS:** (21DEC07-15JAN08)
- Attack into Busayef IOT destroy AQI staging areas and cache sites.
- 13x IEDs found, 3x Caches found, 1x VBIED found
- 5x KIA, 1x WIA, 10x Detainees
- 1x IA WIA, 1x US WIA

**CORINTH:** (23DEC07-15JAN08)
- Attack into Zambrinyah IOT set the conditions for 5-7 CAV.
- 16x IEDs found, 5x HBIEDs found, 273 houses cleared
- 35x KIA, 7x WIA, 19x Detainees
- 1x US KIA, 1x IA KIA, 12x US WIA, 3x IA WIA

**ON-GOING / PLANNED NEXT 14 DAYS:**

**COLISEUM:** (19JAN08-31JAN08)
- 1-30 IN attacks into Arab Jabour and Baija IOT secure the population.

**MUSTANG THUNDERBOLT:**
(15JAN08-15FEB08)
- 6-8 CAV conducts area security IOT facilitate PB MEADE construction.

**WARPAINT THUNDERBOLT:**
(20 JAN 08 – 18 MAR 08)
- 5-7 CAV attacks to seize OBJ NETS and OBJ MAGIC IOT establish CCGs and deny AQI staging areas.
Completed Operations Highlights

ATHENS 1-30 IN:
(21DEC07-15JAN08)
• Attack into Busayef IOT destroy AQI staging areas and cache sites.
• 13x IEDs found, 3x Caches found, 1x VBIED found
• 5x EKIA, 1x EWIA, 10x Detainees
• 1x IA WIA, 1x US WIA

CORINTH 6-8 CAV:
(23DEC07-15JAN08)
• Attack into Zambriniyah IOT set the conditions for 5-7 CAV
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Current Operations Highlights

THUNDERBOLT:
(22JAN07-Current)

- 2,399 US Soldiers, and 2,289 IA Soldiers involved in the operation
- 42x AQI KIA, 4x AQI WIA, 62 AQI detained
- 2x US KIA, 17 US WIA
- 3x IA KIA, 5x IA WIA
- 3x CLC KIA, 11x CLC WIA
- 88x IEDs Found, 28x Caches Found, 6x HBIEDs Reduced, 74x IEDs destroyed by kinetic strikes
- 107x CAS Strikes totaling 202,000 lbs of ordnance
- 632x Iraqis entered into BATS/HIDES.
Recent Engagements

- 21 JAN 08 – Sheik Jumah, Sheik Khudayir, Sheik Muhammed
  - Sheiks provided information on routes in and out of Sayafiah.
  - Sheik Jumah provided information on AQI leadership structure, current strength, and location of insurgents.
  - Sheik Jumah emphasized that CLCs cannot be active until coalition forces control Sayafiah.
  - Sheik Jumah and Khudayir stated their future CLCs are ready for the arrival of coalition forces.
- 24 JAN 08 – Sheik Nasr
  - Sheik Nasr said all the military age males in Al Sur Village have left and only women and children remain.
  - Sheik Nasr said coalition air strikes on the 10th and 20th were so accurate, AQI killed a number of local nationals AQI thought were responsible for providing information to coalition forces.
  - Sheik Nasr said all of the DIV HVTs have left southern Arab Jabour.
3/3 BCT
3HBCT, 3ID OPERATIONS SUMMARY

COMMANDER 3HBCT, 3ID: (b)(3), (b)(6)

3HBCT TOA DATE: 4 APR 07

1. Captured 29 HVI’s
2. Grew ISF from 3700 to 4400
3. Established CLC Program (5741 CLCs)
4. $15 million in CERP projects completed
5. Mentored Mada'in Qada Government
6. Court returns to Mada'in Qada – Judges now issuing warrants and IPs executing warrants
7. Established the “Voice of the Mada'in” radio station

BLUF: 3HBCT, 3ID maintains pressure on the enemy across all Lines of Operation: Security, Transition, Reconciliation, Economics, Governance, Rule of Law, and Communication
**MISSION:** 3 HBCT conducts Full Spectrum Operations (FSO) ICW Iraqi Security Forces (ISF) and CLCs, to interdict accelerant elements freedom of movement from the Mada'in Qada into Baghdad and prevent sectarian violence.

**Purpose:** Prevent violence and allow the local populace to live in a more secure environment.

**Decisive Point:** We must, along the lines of operation, keep pressure on the insurgent which removes the conditions that cause the local populace to give sanctuary to the accelerants and their facilitators.

**Key Tasks:**
1. Security: Interdict accelerants entering Baghdad. Continue offensive operations to kill or capture extremists; neutralize IED, IIF, and sniper networks; defeat sectarian violence through lethal and nonlethal means to sustain the improved security situation. (MND-C 2,3,6,7,8,9)
2. Protect the force: Make safety and security your first priority without being risk adverse; improve your positions daily, execute operations in a safe manner, and mitigate assessed risks. Maintain the warrior ethos, never allow yourself or a battle buddy to be taken prisoner. (MND-C 1)
3. Transition: Partner with, and assist, the ISF to enforce the rule of law and develop capabilities; develop CLCs south of Salman Pak to thicken the lines of security. (MND-C 5,10,11,12)
4. Governance: Create conditions for Iraqi self-reliance within the Qadis by further developing functioning, efficient local and Nahia councils who can provide essential services to the people. (MND-C 13,14,16)
5. Economics/Employment: Remove conditions conducive to the insurgency by developing self-sustaining employment in agriculture, industry, and small businesses to create economic growth for the Nahis. (MND-C 4,14)
6. Rule of Law: Return the Qadis to the judiciary to enforce law by investigating and prosecuting local criminals and provide legitimacy to the Qadis government. (MND-C 16)
7. Communications: Inform, influence and assess the people in Mada'in Qada to not support the insurgents, integrate US and Iraqi media into operations to ensure that we reach the target audience with the right message; conduct consequence management in everything we do. (MND-C 15)
8. Treat all people with dignity and respect throughout the operation.

**Endstate:** 3 HBCT partnered with ISF and CLCs operate without overt sectarian bias. and Police anti-rogue Shia extremists. Sunni extremists and Iranian proxies are unable to move accelerants into BAGHDAD. Nahia institutions and ESS are functioning and secure as they gain support from the population within AO HAMMER. A stable and self-sustaining economy is established by the Qadis and Nahia governments with increased employment and sustained growth. Iraqi populace feels secure and has confidence that their Nahia governments address the needs of the people (MND-C 15) it has set the conditions for a successful RIP/TOA to 2/1 BCT and for future transition of security to the ISF.

Partners: CF and ISF together plan, train and execute CON operations to protect the population. CF is now conducting some independent operations where and when necessary. CF continues to provide enablers while ISF develops its own capability, particularly in the area of sustainment. (MND-C FRAGO 124)
# 3HBCT, 3ID OPERATIONS SUMMARY

## LAST 14 DAYS:

**OPN SPARROW SUNRISE**: 7 CLC CPs established along RTE Sparrow, 9 IEDs were found, 3 UXOs removed, 1 RPG attack causing no damage or injuries, and 7 EKIA.

**OPN ZELIG SUNRISE**: 11 CLC CPs established, 10 IEDs found, 3 SAF engagements, 2 attack aviation engagements, 1 RPG attack, 1 x IA KIA and 3 x IA WIA, 2 x CLC WIA, 1 CLC KIA and 13 EKIA.

**OPN TALON XXV**: TST Raid captures BCT HVI #1

**OPN MEGIDDO III**: TST Raid captures BCT HVI #7

**SOF**: Captures BCT HVI #1 in Baghdad

**1/101 ABN (AASLT)**: Captures BCT HVI #2 in Samarra

## NEXT 14 DAYS:

**OPN DURAIYAH SUNRISE**: (28 JAN 08) Deliberate clearance south of Salman Pak in conjunction with ISF and CLC.

**LEAFLET DROP**: (28 JAN 08) Over Al Bawi, Salman Pak and along RTE Wild

**OPN ANCERVILLE**: (6 FEB 08) Air Assault into southern Khanassar

RIP of 13th Georgian BN into COP Cleary

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3HBCT, 3ID KEY LEADER ENGAGEMENTS

1. Mushen Nasser Al-Rubayi, Mada’in Qada Mayor
2. Sheikh Nouri, Mada’in Qada Support Council Chairman
3. Sheikh Ali, Mada’in Qada CLC Leader
4. Judge Abbas, Mada’in Qada Chief Judge
5. Judge Razaak, Mada’in Qada Chief Investigative Judge
6. MG Kareem, 1st NP DIV CDR
7. BG Adnon, Mada’in Qada IP Chief
8. BG Aamir, 1/1 NP Commander
9. b 8  3/1 NP Commander
10. b 8  2/3/8 IA BN Commander
4/3 HBCT MISSION

MISSION: Beginning Q3A 1 JAN 2016, the HBCT, in partnership with ISF and the GOC, conducts full-spectrum operations to:
- SECURE the populace
- DEFEAT Shura and Shura Enablers
- NEUTRALIZE Shura and Shura Resistance Groups
- INTRODUCE the concept of accountability through NORTH BAGHDAD
- INCREASE THE CAPACITY of the ISF, Provincial, and Municipal Governments and Economic Systems
- TRANSITION security and local development tasks to the ISF and local Governments

In order to:
- Allow MND-C and Iraqi Security Forces to interact with the southern approaches to Baghdad, reduce sectarian violence, maintain security while transitioning tasks to Iraqi Security Forces, and create conditions for long-term stability.
- Resolve operational/diplomatic issues.
- Ensure conditions for long-term stability and sustainability.

PURPOSE: Allow MND-C and Iraqi Security Forces to interact with the southern approaches to Baghdad, reduce sectarian violence, maintain security while transitioning tasks to Iraqi Security Forces, and create conditions for long-term stability.

KEY TASKS BY LOC:

SECURITY
- Make safety and security the first priority, without being risk averse.
- Acquire information and intelligence to prevent terrorism.
- Integrate the flow of intelligence through NORTH BAGHDAD.
- Secure the population by allowing ISF, governance, and economic leverage.
- Deduct ISF and Shura interdiction capabilities.
- Respond to Shura resistance group threats and neutralize them.
- Increase ISF’s endurance and sustain long-term operations.
- Develop and implement a program that establishes and maintains the effectiveness of the ISF in these gaps.

TRANSITION
- Transition ISF to ISF and other employment opportunities.
- Replace I MTT and partnering capabilities to maximize integration with ISF, while maintaining year-round stability.

ECONOMICS
- Process quickly and efficiently to establish employment and quickly reduce the security dividend.
- Employ long-term sustainability measures and development solutions.

GOVERNANCE
- Enhance the capabilities and capacity of local Governance and establish new linkages to the Provincial, Municipal, and GOC.
- Develop linkages between Provincial, Municipal, and GOC and enhance the ISF’s ability to conduct operations in these capacities.
- Strengthen ISF’s ability to conduct operations in these capacities.
- Establish an effective, non-essential, and inclusive OIC Council that consists of representatives from all local and Provincial officials and institutions.

COMMUNICATIONS
- Use dynamic information operations by integrating PAO and ISF to enhance the ISF’s ability to conduct operations in these capacities.

REASSESS
- Maintain operational readiness through constant training and reevaluation.
- Retain readiness and operational fundamentals.
• **GOOD Morning Sir – Vanguard 6**
• **SIGACTS and events since last report by line of operation.**
• **Starting with SECURITY.**
3/101 ABN (AASLT)
3 BCT, 101st ABN (AASLT)

BCT CDR: (b)/(3), (b)/(6) and BCT CSM: b 3 b 6

3 BCT Assumed battlespace on 2 Nov 07

Past Significant Activities since TOA:
- Operation Marne Courageous (BCT Air Assault in Owesat and Al Betra to establish forward presence West of the Euphrates River and exploit MISCAP leads)
- Integration of ePRT in all aspects of BCT operations
- 2 x patrol bases established since TOA for a total of 13
- Transitioning 1 x IN BN from AO Rakkasan to 2/3 BCT in support MND-C
- 2 x additional IA BNs established since TOA 6/4/6 and 3/2/11 IA
- CLC transition
- 20% more businesses operating in MMD and Yusifiyah farmer markets
- $1.5 million QaQa Water treatment plant project to provide 400K residences with clean drinking water
Mission Statement

3/101 BCT conducts full-spectrum operations to assist the GOI and ISF in stabilizing acceptable security levels (interdicting accelerants into Baghdad, defeating sectarian violence, and securing the population) in order to continue to increase the capacity of Iraqi security forces, and foster local government and economic systems that set the conditions for long-term Iraqi self-reliance.

Key Tasks:
- Neutralize AQI, irreconcilable extremists and criminal networks that threaten security
- Interdict accelerants to Baghdad and prevent sectarian violence
- Disrupt extremists in the Jackson Corridor and Said Abdullah Corridor
- Partner with ISF to facilitate transition
- Transition ISF to tactical overwatch in order to put Iraqis in charge of their security.
- Monitor and control Concerned Local Citizens initiatives in order to thicken the security lines, and assist their integration with the ISF.
- Ensure ePRT and Government support teams are resourced with the right people, skill sets, and enablers to focus resources and expertise in the development of governmental and economic capacity.
- Foster "grass roots" governance movement that links local councils to the Nahiya Councils
- Operationalize information operations by integrating PAO and IO into all operations in order to ensure we reach the target audiences with the right messages.
Operations Summary
31 Jan – 14 Feb

- Security LOO: Operation Buccaneer 2 (C-IED mission), OPN Iron Boston – Air Assault, OPN Eagle Morningstar Phase III – Air Assault, OPN Niagra – C-IED in MMD, Operation Morningstar Phase V. Establishment of CLC positions, Ashura Festival security operations in MMD and Yusifiyah, Internal realignment of AO Rakkasan in support of (Operation Marine Thunderbolt), CLC transition, OPN Iron Moore’s Creek Bridge – Air Assault


- Governance LOO: Conduct battle handover of projects and SOIs of Sheiks, local councils, agriculture and essential service missions. Continue to monitor and develop Nahira governments to coordinate with the Qada leadership. School and Clinic Assessments, Zone Utilities Commission Meetings, CF attendance at Nahiyah and Qada Council meetings with ePRT and GMO personnel.


- Economics: Farmers Association Meetings, Chicken Farm assessments and poultry operations, USAID representatives meet with local leadership, Microgrant payments, and Chicken Co-op meetings.

* Main effort: CLC transition and Realignment of forces in AO RAKKASAN
214 FB
1 GB
AO Kartli Introduction

- 214th FIRES BRIGADE
  - Commander: (b)(3), (b)(6)
  - 21 APR 07- Boots on Ground
  - 20 JUN 07- Assumed Command FOB Delta

- GEORGIAN BRIGADE
  - Commander's Name:
    - Outgoing (3GB): (b)(6)
    - Incoming (1GB): (b)(6)
  - Unit Time in the Battle space:
    - All 3GB CPs Operational: 24NOV07
    - 1GB ADVON arrived in Country: 10JAN08
    - Main Body Training (Kuwait): 10-22 JAN08
    - 3GB/1GB TOA: 4FEB08
214th Fires Brigade Significant Activities

**Significant Activities**
Established 6 GB Check points IOT limit accelerants and explosives being brought across the Iranian boarder.

Fully integrated over 6 different Coalition Forces.

Worked hand-in-hand with the Iraqi civil engineers to establish over $4 million worth of CERP projects for the betterment of AO Wasit and the local populace.

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**Last Confirmed IDF Attack on FOB Delta**
27 AUG 07

**Last IDF Attack in AO Kartli**
27 DEC 07 (IDF on CP 5)

**Last IED/EFP in AO Kartli**
09 DEC 07 (IED on Bismarck)
Last Confirmed IDF Attack on FOB Delta

Last IDF Attack in AO KarTli

Last IED/EFP in AO KarTli

17-24 JAN 08

The primary threat in AO KARITLI continues to be IEDs, primarily on ASRs Bucharest, Kiev, Topeka and Bismarck. ASR Roswell is still suspected to have IEDs emplaced between Numaniyah and Zubadiyah. ASR Roswell route status remains RED. The last IED attack occurred on ASR Bismarck, between CP 5 and Al Aziyyah, on 09 DEC 07 with 3 KIA and 1 WIA. ASR Bismarck route status remains BLACK north of the intersection with Route Fenway.

Shi'a extremist elements are still capable of conducting complex attacks with SAF, RPG’s, and IED’s. IED’s continue to remain the most viable, casually, causing threat to FOB Delta. The last IED attack against FOB Delta took place on 07 AUG 07. Numaniyah appears calm as IA and IP elements from Al Kut have been conducting patrols and CPs in and around the city. FOB Germany reported the discovery of two IEDs IVO FOB Germany. The IEDs was picked up by ISF and turned into the Numaniyah IP HQ.

14c. Reporting indicates an additional threat to FOB Delta is overt and covert collection efforts by LN’s either being intimidated or coerced by Shi’a extremists or through active Shi’a extremists or 14b. 14d. entering the AO for legitimate and non-legitimate day to day business. There was one report confirming this during this reporting period. Also there has been several reports about the Shia Extremist Cell, Jund Al Sama (Army of Heaven), planning to conduct attacks in AO KarTli, specifically the Wast oil storage facilities.

The probability of attacks on the Marine Sentry CP’s increases the longer they are in use by the 3 GA BDE. Due to the anticipated effectiveness of the new CP’s throughout the province, FOB Delta and the CP’s are expected to be targeted by Shi’a Extremists. Any LN’s who are employed at the CP’s or FOB Delta or do contract work for CF are expected to be targeted for assassinations or extra-judicial killings, unless they work for the Shi’a Extremist Groups.

Continued current and past reporting indicates that the risk of kidnap attempts against US/CF soldiers continues as a viable threat. Current reporting identifies FOB Delta as a primary location for such efforts, since its overall size and extensive perimeter could make it appear a softer target than other CF installations.

Finally, as the Ashura- Araboob holiday period approaches AO KARITLI can expect an influx of Shia pilgrims transiting to Karbala and Baghdad for observances and celebrations. As of the date of this assessment there has been at least five (5) threat reports of attacks against pilgrims but none of those are planned for AO KARITLI. However, the possibility of targets of opportunity presenting themselves thereby increasing sectarian violence remains viable in and while transiting AO KARITLI. US and CFs have requested increased ISF coverage for situational awareness (SA) during this period. Increased coordination with ISF has also been initiated to limit and/or prevent any violent incidents inside AO KARITLI.
214th Fires Brigade Mission

214 Fires Brigade provides Command and Control of FOB Delta IOT protect the force, conduct full spectrum operations that allow coalition and US forces to interdict the flow of accelerants through Wasit Province and aggressively engages the Wasit government, tribal leaders and partners with Wasit Iraqi Security Forces IOT improve security and gain local government and popular support for GoI and CF operations.

Key Tasks
- Emphasize safety and security without being risk adverse.
- Provide unity of command to secure FOB Delta, protect the force and the LOCs
- Receive and integrate the coalition forces
- Develop and implement an IO plan
- Engage the Wasit Governor, Provincial Council, tribal leaders
- Partner with 3/8 IA and Wasit IP's
- C2 the construction of enduring CP & PBs
- Establish CF capability & coord fire support
- C2 Convoy security ops
- ICW EPRT & the EL SAL BN; conduct civil-military operations
1GB Mission Brief

- 1st Georgian Brigade in conjunction with the Iraqi Security Forces, conducts Full Spectrum Operations in AO Kartli. TF Marine interdicts the flow of accelerants into Baghdad through 6 Checkpoints and Patrol Bases, reinforces Iraqi Border Security Operations at PB Badrah, and conducts engagements with leaders and the populace in order to prevent the movement of accelerants through the Wasit Province into Baghdad and improve security conditions.

- The 13th Battalion, 1st Georgian Brigade will deploy to COP Cleary, in AO Hammer to establish permanent CF presence in the AO.
### Operations Summary Next / Last 14 Days

#### LAST 14 DAYS:

**214 FB:**
- C2 and coordinates all operations in Wasit
- Assisted in 1GB RSOI
- Conducted PRT engagements ISO JCP

**El Salvador BN:**
- Conducted CIMIC Operations vic Al Kut, Sheik Saad, Badrah, Numaniyah
- Conducted combined CIMIC operations ICW 214th, LITH, and Georgian CIMIC vic of the 6 Marine Sentry CPs

**Lithuanian PLT:**
- Completed PSD mission CERTEX
- Participates in Combined CIMIC Operations

**511th MP CO**
- Conducts PTT Operations with Al Kut and Numaniyah Police Forces
- Provides PSD for PRT Engagements and 214th Battlefield Circulation
- DSTARC (Delta Sustainment Training and Refresher Course) Tactical training with IPs

#### NEXT 14 DAYS:

**214 FB:**
- C2 Combined CIMIC Operations CP2,3,4
- CONOP and Movement plan for 1GB TOA
- Continue to assist with 1GB integration

**El Salvador BN:**
- Continued CIMIC Operations throughout Wasit

**Lithuanian PLT:**
- Conduct PSD for Leader Battlefield Circulation
- Participates in Combined CIMIC Operations

**511th MP CO**
- Continues PTT Operations with Al Kut and Numaniyah Police Forces
- Provides PSD for PRT Engagements and 214th Battlefield Circulation
GB OPERATIONS SUMMARY

Operations
• Last 14 Days
  – CPs, QRF Mission
  – RSOI 1GB
  – 1GB Training
    • SYMPHONY Systems
    • IED Lanes
    • Drivers Training

• Next 14 Days
  – 1GB LS/RS Rides
  – 3GB/1GB TOA: 4FEB08
  – Movement of 13th Bn to COP Cleary
  – Continue CP/QRF Missions
## LAST 14 DAYS:

**Al Kut Park Assessment**: 7 Coordinate with the DG of Municipalities and discuss the GCI plan to restore Parks & Recreation and provide assistance on park renovation.

**Chief Judge & Provincial Council**: CDR 214 FB and PRT met with Waat Provincial Appeal Court Chief Judge Faeq Hattab Dhrumad at the Waat Court House to discuss CP/PRT support and rule of law issues.

**Governance Center**: (h)1(6) met with the DG's of Water/Ressources and Agric to further discuss and plan development of numerous projects ongoing with the PRT.
- Discuss/Plan upcoming projects with DGs of Agriculture and Water Resources.
- Meet head of Women’s NGO- Women’s Support Institute IOT discuss Women’s Initiatives.

**Provincial Council**: Discussed the development of a USAID funded IZDIHAR Small Business Development Center at Waat University.

**Textile Factory**: Met with Chairman, Gen Mgr and staff. Wasat State Company for the Textile Discussed capabilities of the factory (products/employment) tour of factory is next engagement – date TBD.

**IFC Meeting**: Discussed capabilities (EFTS/FBFI banking) and services Al Kut Investment Bank offers.

## NEXT 14 DAYS:

**Numaniyah City Council AG Meeting**: Meet with the Numaniyah City Council to discuss agricultural needs.

**Jassan/Badrath Courthouse**: (28 JAN 09) Conduct visit to advance Local Governance Initiatives.

**Sheik Sali’d Bridge Opening**: (29 JAN 09) Attend opening of Bridge and Primary Health Clinic.

**Governance Center**: (30 JAN 09) Meet with Procurement Assistance office to determine their support of the business community and support of the budget process.

**Mohammed Abd Zaid Engagement**: (30 JAN 09) Discuss JAMSISOm, meeting to be held on FOB Delta in the Conference room.

**Al Kut Tech Inc**: (30 JAN 09) To discuss Women’s initiatives for the betterment of the Iraqi people.

**RIP of 13th Georgian BN into GOP Cleary**: (1 FEB 09)

**Al-Harr Aj Business**: (4 FEB 09) To meet with livestock, fish farmers, beekeepers, poultry farmers.
3rd Region Border Transition Team (BTT 4300)

- 3rd Region Border Transition Team
  (h)(3) (h)(6) - Team Chief BTT 4300

- BTT 4300 Time in Battle space
  - 4 DEC 07 - Arrive in Kuwait
  - 22 DEC 07 - Arrive at Patrol Base Shocker
  - 1 JAN 08 - Transition of Authority

- Significant activities
  - 1 Jan - UTC Improvement of force protection measures at new patrol base.
  - 18 Jan - GEN Petraeus visits PB Shocker and the Zubatiya POE
  - 18 Jan - 7 illegal border crossers from [41] are detained and returned to [42]
  - 23 Jan - BTT 4300 OE extended south to include Khoezena border fort.
  - 26 Jan - ADM Fallon visits PB Shocker and the Zubatiya POE
BTT 4300 Mission and Key Tasks

MISSION: NLT 1 JAN 09, BD trains, advises, and assists the 3rd (reg) Region Department of Border Enforcement (DBE) and synchronizes operations of the DBE w/CF forces in the MND-C AOR to enable security of the IRZ border in West Province making the border untenable for smuggling and eliminating 14b, 14d. On order, transitions border security operations to provisional 3rd Region DBE control.

KEY TASKS:

- Ensure the execution of safe operations without being risk adverse IOT to protect all Coalition forces. To the maximum extent set the conditions through advise, training, and assistance for the DBE to execute safe and effective operations in a hostile environment.
- Serve as the MND-C HQ Joint Advisor to G2 and coordination between the DBE, Georgian DBE and other MND-C elements to facilitate synchronized operations.
- Maintain the BTT forward operating capacity to enable TT durable presence with the ISF to facilitate the advise and assist mission concurrent with DBE operational planning and execution IOT enable the capacity for effective DBE and POE operations.
- Set the conditions through training, advice, and assistance for the DBE forces to meet and exceed TRA and ensure effective Border Patrol and POE operations IOT make the Border untenable for smuggling.
- Set the conditions for DBE cooperation and effective joint operations with local IA and IP forces IOT enable transition of the operation to ISF forces in Phase III.
- Enable DBE operations through the synchronized and focused use of Coalition efforts in support of smuggling interdiction and COIN operations.
- ICWI 21st FB, engage Border ISF, city leaders, and sheikhs to seek opportunities to expand legitimate business, disassociate themselves from the smuggling of accelerants, and deny safe haven to smuggling operations.

- 1.4b, 1.4d

- Influence the local population along the border to deny safe haven to terrorists and the smuggling of accelerants.
BTT 4400 Operations Summary

LAST 14 DAYS
- MAIN EFFORT - ZURBATIYA POE TF has maintained a daily presence at the POE. Transition teams have manually secured 100% of the military-aged males residing and working in the border area. Cargo and fuel trucks and pedicabs are subject to a series of inspections including X-ray, unloading, and random screening.
- TF continues to improve force protection at PB JOCKER. The ECP has been modified to standard. Lighting poles have been improved and coordination with 3rd DSE has been made to reduce dead space around the perimeter.

NEW illegal border crossings captured in 2nd BN A/A and 1 captured in 3rd BN A/A.

NEXT 14 DAYS
- MAIN EFFORT - ZURBATIYA POE TF monitors completion of key projects at the POE including security, drinking water, and installation of improved power for the affected border area. Continue daily presence and monitor the area.
- Conduct a DSE combat live fire exercise at PB JOCKER, conduct border fort SWEAT-MGS assessments, and DSE TOT assessments.
- Conduct Transition of Authority for 1st BN BTT and for the Special Recon Company that provided the PB JOCKER base defense and security forces.

Briefed on Sundays.
Use information from Sunday thru Sat.
BTT 4300 Key Leader Engagements

1. CDR - MG Rashid
   BTT 4300 TM Chief
   Coordinates training events and engineer support within the region, and assists staff in planning, resourcing, and executing operations.
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2. CDR - BG Sami
   BTT 4301 TM Chief
   Engages MG Mohsen, Director General of IBE, to reference the Zarbaliya POE current projects and plans for future development.

3. CDR
   BTT 4321 TM Chief
   Engages with BG Sami 3 times a week. Teamed in BTT 4300 engage on other 2 days. Conducts POE assessments, coordinates for logistic support, and assists the POE staff in planning, resourcing, and executing POE operations.

4. CDR
   BTT 4322 TM Chief
   Engages with their respective Battalions 2-3 times a week. They conduct border patrol engagements, coordinate for training events, and assist staff in planning, resourcing and execution of border patrols.

5. CDR
   BTT 4323 TM Chief