CCJ3 INFORMATION PAPER

SUBJECT: PLAN FOR SECURITY IN AL FALLUJAH.

1. PURPOSE: To provide the CDR with information on 3rd Infantry Division's (ID) plan for securing Al Fallujah.

2. DISCUSSION: The following are highlights from 3 ID’s plan for securing Al Fallujah (Tab B).
   a) 3 ID plans to secure al Fallujah through the execution of Operation DESERT SCORPION. During this operation 3 ID will conduct offensive operations from 15-30 JUN 03 to defeat remaining non-compliant forces and neutralize destabilizing influences in their AO in order to create a secure environment. 3 ID will concurrently execute an intensive IO and CMO effort to provide support to the local government and assistance for the town’s economic growth.
   b) Key tasks to accomplish this mission are as follows:
      • Establish observers to continue to collect and develop target folders within 3 ID’s AO.
      • Conduct coordinated attack on DIV directed targets in AO.
      • Establish an effective IO campaign before and after operations to inform local populace of available goods and services.
      • Identify immediate OCPA assistance following the operation to support government and economic growth.
      • Conduct local assistance meetings with locals to identify needs.
      • Assist local government in recruiting and equipping Iraqi Police, Security, and Iraqi Military forces.
   c) The endstate of this operation is the destruction of destabilizing forces and influences within 3 ID’s AO and provision of basic assistance to the local populace.

3. RECOMMENDATION: None, for information only.

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