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CCJ3 INFORMATION PAPER

SUBJECT: CJTF-4 PATROLS IN BAGHDAD

1. PURPOSE. To answer questions from the Commander, CENTCOM in reference to the make-up, size and frequency of patrols in Baghdad..
2. DISCUSSION: ANSWERS TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ARE PROVIDED
 - a. Q: How many dismounted patrols, of what size, are we putting on the street each 24-hour period in Baghdad?
A: During the last reported 24 hour period, there were [1.4a] dismounted daylight patrols and [1.4a] dismounted night patrols for a total of [1.4a] dismounted patrols. The size of the patrols range [1.4a, 1.4g] as required by each particular mission.
 - b. Q: How many HMMWV-mounted patrols?
A: During the last reported 24 hour period, there were [1.4a] mounted daylight patrols and [1.4a] mounted night patrols for a total of [1.4a] mounted patrols. As of the last report, CJTF-4 has not published a breakdown of tracked vs. wheeled patrols.
 - c. Q: How many patrols do we need to be doing?
A: CJTF-4 states that the frequency of patrolling will be increased and decreased as demanded by the situation in Baghdad. The amount of patrols that are currently being conducted are considered by the command to be appropriate.
 - d. Q: What forces does CJTF-4 need to add?
A: CJTF-4 has commented that they have the forces in place to successfully carry out the Baghdad mission. There are a total of 40,471 US personnel currently in Baghdad.
3. RECOMMENDATION: None, for information only.

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