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MAIN HQ 7 ARMED BDE BASRAH PALACE GR QU 749771

121500Z APR 03

FRAGO 20 - OP SLAMMER

SCOPE OF ORDER. THIS FRAGO COVERS THE PROCESS THAT GOVERNS THE MOVEMENT OF DETAINEES FROM POINT OF PICK-UP ON THE GROUND, TO ARREST, HOLDING FOR UP TO 12 HRS AND THEN ONWARD TRANSPORTATION TO DIV EPW HOLDING AREA IN UMM QASR.

- 1. SITUATION. MOST RECENT INTSUM AND REVERSE SITREP APPLY.
- 2. MISSION. NO CHANGE.
- 3. EXECUTION.

CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS.

INTENT. NO CHANGE.

SCHEME OF MANOEUVRE. IN ORDER:

- PH 1 - APPREHENSION OF SUSPECTS AND REMOVAL TO BG HOLDING PEN.
- PH 2 - PROCESSING BY EMBEDDED RMP FOR RELEASE OR ONWARD DETAINMENT.
- PH 3 - COLLECTION BY DETAINEE ESCORT AND TRANSPORT TO PRISONER OF WAR HANDLING ORGANISATION

MAIN EFFORT. ENHANCE EFFICIENCY OF PW/DETAINEE COLLECTION PROCESS.

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TASKS.

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SCOTS DG. ADDITIONAL TASKS:

PROVIDE A DETAINEE COLLECTION AND ESCORT FORCE FROM CITY BG LOCS TO THE PWHO HOLDING AREA WITHIN 12 HRS OF ARRIVAL OF A DETAINEE AT EITHER OF THE CITY BG/A SQN QDG HOLDING PENS AT 30 MINS NTM.

2 RTR. NO CHANGE.

1 BW BG. ADDITIONAL TASKS:

- EST A BG HOLDING PEN TO SECURE DETAINEES FOR UP TO 12 HRS.
- EST A CUSTODY/ARREST CELL.

1 RRF BG. ADDITIONAL TASKS:

- EST A BG HOLDING PEN TO SECURE DETAINEES FOR UP TO 12 HRS.
- EST A CUSTODY/ARREST CELL.

A SON ODG. ADDITIONAL TASKS:

- EST A BG HOLDING PEN TO SECURE DETAINEES FOR UP TO 12 HRS.
- EST A CUSTODY/ARREST CELL.

3 RHA. - (IN ANTICIPATION OF COMMAND STATUS - OPCOM 7 ARMED BDE - EFFECTIVE 140800Z APR 03).

- EST A BG HOLDING PEN TO SECURE DETAINEES FOR UP TO 12 HRS.
- EST A CUSTODY/ARREST CELL.

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ENGR. NO CHANGE LESS ADDITIONAL TASK:

ADVISE ON CONSTRUCTION AND SITING OF A BG HOLDING PEN FOR DETAINEES.

PRO.

- ARE TO EST THE CUSTODY/ARREST CELL EMBEDDED IN THE BG AND PROCESS THE DETAINEES FOR ONWARD MOVEMENT TO THE PWHO (PSO TITLE TBC) IN UMM QASR OR FOR RELEASE.
- EST A ESCORT MOV CONTROL CELL AT BDE HQ TO CUE THE MOVEMENT OF THE DETAINEE COLLECTION AND ESCORT FORCE

CO-ORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS.

TIMINGS.

COLLECTION WILL BE ON CALL FROM ESCORT MOV CONTROL CELL. IN PRINCIPLE THERE WILL BE 2 SWEEPS IN A 24 HR PERIOD, UNLESS EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES DICTATE A MORE FREQUENT COLLECTION.

[BG HOLDING PENS EST BY 131200Z APR 03.
 DETAINEE ESCORT EST BY 131500Z APR 03.
 BDE PW CAGE COLLAPSED NLT 131530Z APR 03.

ESCORT GUIDANCE.

ALL DETAINEE CONVOYS ARE ENSURE A RATIO OF 1:4 GUARDS TO DETAINEES. ANY VEHICLE TRANSPORTING DETAINEES MUST BE ESCORTED BY A FOLLOW ON VEHICLE TO ITS FRONT AND REAR AS A MINIMUM. EACH DETAINEE CONVOY IS TO HAVE A NOMINATED ESCORT SNCO COMD, THE COMD IS TO UPLIFT ON SIGNATURE CUSTODY RECORDS FROM THE RMP CUSTODY ARREST CELL FOR EACH DETAINEE. THE PWHO HOLDING AREA (UMM QASR) WILL NOT ACCEPT DETAINEES WITHOUT THESE RECORDS.

LOCATIONS.

- 1 RRF BG HOLDING PEN - TBC. (LIKELY TO BE COLOCATED WITH BG HQ).
- 1 BW BG HOLDING PEN - TBC (LIKELY TO BE COLOCATED WITH BG HQ).
- A SQN ODG HOLDING PEN - TBC (LIKELY TO BE COLOCATED WITH SQN HQ).
- 3 RHA HOLDING PEN - LOC TBC.
- PWHO HOLDING AREA - QU784289.

ROE/POWERS OF DETENTION.

ANY PERSON POSING A THREAT TO THE MSN, OR ARE INTERFERING WITH OR THREATENING WITH THE MSN MAY BE TEMPORARILY DETAINED UNDER THE ROE. THE ROE ALLOW FOR THE SEARCH OF SUCH PERSONS AND THEIR VEHICLES.

THESE POWERS EXTEND TO ANY PERSON SUSPECTED OF COMMITTING A CRIMINAL ACT AND ANY PERSON WHO IS A THREAT TO SY.

- 4. SERVICE SUPPORT. NO CHANGE. LESS:

ESG. NO CHANGE LESS ADDITIONAL TASK:

PROVIDE APPROPRIATE FOOD/WATER TO BG HOLDING PEN, FOLLOWING BGLO BIDS.

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5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL. NO CHANGE.

INFO:
MAIN HQ 1 (UK) DIV
MAIN HQ 3 CDO BDE
MAIN HQ 16 AA BDE

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ACKNOWLEDGE.

INTERNAL:

GJ BINNS
BRIG
COMD

ACTION:

DCOS
G1/G4 OPS/PLANS
G2
G3 OPS
G3 PLANS
HQ BSG
DIARY
REGROUPING PACK

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AUTHENTICATE.

CJ PARKER
MAJ
COS

ANNEXES:

- A. DETENTION PROFORMA. (BG USE ONLY).
- B. CUSTODY PROFORMA. (RMP USE ONLY).

EXTERNAL:

ACTION:

- SCOTS DG
- 2 RTR
- 1 RRF
- 1 BW
- A SON QDG
- 3 RHA
- 32 ENGR REGT
- 2 CS REGT RLC
- 1 CSMR
- 111 PRO COY

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ANNEX A TO
FRAGO 20
DATED 121500Z APR 03

OP SLAMMER DETENTION PROFORMA

| DETAINEE DETAILS | |
|---|---------------------------------|
| NAME | |
| GENDER | |
| DATE OF BIRTH | |
| ETHNIC ORIGIN | |
| ADDRESS/TOWN | |
| NEXT OF KIN IF KNOWN | |
| DETENTION DETAILS TO BE FILLED IN BY SOLDIER | |
| NAME OF PERSON DETAINING | |
| PLACE UPLIFTED | |
| DATE AND TIME LIFTED | |
| BRIEF OF WHAT HAPPENED | |
| NAME RANK NO OF ANY WITNESSES | |
| ANY OTHER DETAILS/ PROPERTY / OTHER EVIDENCE | |
| HAND OVER TO ROYAL MILITARY POLICE TO BE COMPLETED BY RMP ONLY | |
| NAME OF RMP CUSTODY NCO AT BG HQ | |
| DETENTION AGREED IF RELEASED - STATE REASON | YES/NO |
| IF ARRESTED - CAUTIONED BY RMP NCO | Signature of arresting NCO..... |
| ARREST APPROVED BY SNCO | Name of approving SNCO..... |

ALL DETAILS TO BE PASSED BY RMP NCO TO THE PRO COY HQ
IMMEDIATELY

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