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REDACTED REPORT 14-7

Classification: SECRET

Date: 5/3/2009

Region: MND-BAGHDAD

Category: Detain

Coordinates (approx): 33.35, 44.37

Title: (FRIENDLY ACTION) DETAIN RPT UNKNOWN NP UNIT : 0 INJ/DAM

Report:

***** DETAINEE ABUSE REPORT*****

WHO: UNKNOWN NP UNIT

WHAT: DETAINEE ABUSE REPORT

WHERE: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

WHEN: 03MAY09

TIMELINE: : ON 03 MAY 09, A DETAINEE CLAIMED THAT HIS INTERROGATORS KICKED, PUNCHED, SLAPPED HIM ON THE FACE, STOMACH, LEGS AND ALSO ELECTROCUTED HIS HANDS, LEFT EAR, AND GENITAL AREA FOR APPROXIMATELY 15-30 MINUTES. HE ALSO CLAIMS HE WAS QUESTIONED WHETHER OR NOT HE PLANTED OR HELPED TO PLANT IEDS. THE DETAINEE CLAIMED THAT HE DIDNT. THE DETAINEE DOESNT KNOW EXACT TIMES OF DAY THAT IT WAS; JUST THAT IT WAS LATE IN THE MORNING. DETAINEE SAID THAT HIS MOUTH WAS COVERED WHENEVER HE WOULD SCREAM AND TOLD TO KEEP QUIET BECAUSE THE AMERICANS MIGHT HEAR HIS SCREAMS. DETAINEE DIDNT SEE ANY OF THE ABUSERS. DETAINEE WAS THEN TAKEN BACK TO HIS CELL AND WHEN HE WAS IN FRONT OF THE CELL HE FAINTED AND WAS CARRIED TO HIS BED.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: DETAINEE DID SHOW HANDCUFF MARKS ANY OTHER SIGNS OR SYMPTOMS OF ABUSE, AND HE WAS MEDICALLY CLEARED FOR INTERROGATION. DETAINEE

DIDNT REPORT TO MEDIC DURING MEDICAL SCREENING AND WAS LATER TOLD BY INTERPRETER THAT HE HAD BEEN ABUSED. HE ALSO REFUSED TO RENDER A SWORN STATEMENT ABOUT HIS ALLEGED ABUSE.

OTHER INFORMATION: THE DETAINEE FEARS FOR HIS SAFETY, SO WE HAVE CREATED A REDACTED VERSION OF THE SIR AS WELL. THIS REPORT IS SENT IN FULFILLMENT OF OUR REPORTING REQUIREMENT UNDER FRAGO 273. WE HAVE ATTACHED THE ORIGINAL SIR. OUR OPERATIONAL LAW ATTORNEYS HAVE SENT A SEPARATE REPORT TO [REDACTED]-I [REDACTED] [REDACTED], HOWEVER, [REDACTED]-I WILL HAND ONLY THE REDACTED VERSION (ALSO ATTACHED) OVER TO THE [REDACTED], AND THE DETAINEES NAME WILL NOT BE RELEASED. THE SIR WILL BE ENTERED IN THE OSJA DETAINEE ABUSE TRACKER.

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