

SUBJECT: REDACTED INTERROGATION REPORT 026

DATE: SPRING 2007-EARLY 2008

SOURCE: DEBRIEFING OF [DETAINEE] UNDER COALTION FORCES CONTROL

UNCLASSIFIED (AS REDACTED)

Summary:

The IRGC-QF is supplying SG with all of their weapons and ammunition. The IRGC-QF is supplying SG with Islamic IEDs. Islamic IEDs are EFPs which are manufactured and shipped by the Islamic government of Iran. SG members in Sadr City are always talking to one another about receiving weapons from the IRGC-QF. [Detainee] worked in the Mirayd market selling false ID cards. While [Detainee] worked in the Mirayd market, [Detainee] witnessed SG weapons smugglers and weapons dealers openly bragging to other SG members about receiving shipments of EFPs, RPG-7s, Katyusha rockets, and PKCs from the IRGC-QF. [Detainee] frequently observed RPG-7s, Katyusha rockets, PKCs, and Iranian ammunition for sale in the Mirayd market.

SG weapons smugglers and weapons dealers attempt to sell the RPG-7s, Katyusha rockets, and PKCs to one another. The SG weapons smugglers and weapons dealers attempt to sell the weapons to one another in an attempt to make money for the purchase of vehicles or other group supplies. [Detainee] has observed RPG-7s, Katyusha rockets, PKCs, Iranian ammunition, and small arms for sale in the Mirayd market by SG weapons smugglers and weapons dealers. [Detainee] does not have knowledge of the names of SG weapons smugglers and weapons dealers operating within the Mirayd market. The Mirayd market is huge and most of the venders sell weapons of some type.

The weapons are openly displayed in the Mirayd market due to the fact none of the weapons smugglers or weapons dealers fear being captured or found by CF. Each sector of Sadr City has multiple individuals placed throughout the sector with hand-held communications devices. When CF enters Sadr City, the individuals with hand-held communication devices begin to notify one another of CF's presence and direction of travel. The individuals with the hand-held communications devices notify individuals within the Mirayd market. When CF enters Sadr City, the weapons dealers within the Mirayd market immediately pack up the weapons and transport them into homes and businesses. When CF enters the Mirayd market, the market appears to be a normal market.

The SG weapons smugglers often spoke of receiving EFP shipments from Iran through Basrah, Amarah, and Diwaniyah. The weapons are being smuggled from Iran into Iraq by trucks hauling sheep, cigarettes, and cement. [Detainee] does not have knowledge of the routes taken by SG weapons smugglers. The weapons smuggled into Iraq

through Basrah, Amarah, and Diwaniyah are taken to Sadr City and distributed to SG in outlying provinces from Sadr City.

It is clear Iran is arming and supporting the Iraqi Shia extremists. It is clear the government of Iran is involved in supporting the Iraqi Shia extremists by supplying Iranian-made weapons to the Iraqi Shia extremists. The IRGC-QF is closely monitored and controlled by the Iranian government, and it is the IRGC-QF which is supplying the weapons to the Iraqi Shia extremists.

Approximately one-and-a-half months prior to [Detainee]'s day of capture, [REDACTED] told [Detainee] to purchase a computer. [REDACTED] instructed [Detainee] to purchase a computer in order for [Detainee] to become proficient in using a computer, email, and the internet. [Detainee] received 400 USD from [REDACTED] to purchase a used, Acer laptop in Bab Al-Shurji. [Detainee] purchased one thumb drive and three memory cards on the same occasion [Detainee] purchased [Detainee]'s laptop.

[REDACTED] controls the Al-Watan television station. The Badr Organization supplies the Al-Watan television station with financial support and the Al-Watan television station broadcasts Badr Organization news, propaganda, and advertisements. The Al-Watan television station is located in either Karada or Jadriyah. [Detainee] has no further knowledge on the Al-Watan television station.