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**Full Translation (pp 11-14, 45-49, 53-56 and 66-69)**

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In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate  
(Logo of the Republic)

Republican Guards Secretariat  
Supervisor's Office  
Date: 1 March 2003

To: State Command Member, Supervisor of the Republican Guard (RG)

Greetings,

Attached is the Intelligence Service's letter 456 on 26 February 2003. It includes information about the conference held by the Intelligence Service to discuss the plan that was prepared by the Ministry of Defense to deploy units of the Iranian National Liberation Army in case of any aggression against Iraq.

Kindly acknowledge and advise ... Best regards

*Acknowledged*

*1 March*

(Signature)  
Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
Secretary  
1 March 2003

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Ref: 140/2/2/456  
Date: 26 February 2003

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*1 Mar 2003*

(Saddam Hussein's Quotation)

To: Mr. Qusay Saddam Hussein, State Command Member and Supervisor of the Republican  
Guards

Subject: Combat Preparation

In reference to our Top-Secret letter 140/2/2/294 on 6 February 2003, kindly be informed that:

- 1- We held a conference for representatives of the Ministry of Defense and the Iranian National Liberation Army Staff, attended by Mr. Mas'ud Radjavi, and both Staff Major General Karji Hasan, the Director of Military Operations and Staff Major General Salih 'Abu, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Corps' Chief of Staff. They were assigned by our apparatus to discuss the plan made by the Ministry of Defense to deploy the units of the Liberation Army in case of the aggression against Iraq as follows:

A. Pinpointing the areas where the Liberation Army would mobilize (as shown in the enclosed diagram) including Ab Nift , Imam Ways, Drawashkah, Jalula' Storages and Qurtubah District

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(Saddam's Quotation)

B. The commanders of the Liberation Army, coordinating with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Corps, will reconnoiter the aforementioned areas, in preparation of digging trenches, supported by the Ministry of Defense's Engineering Units. It is also agreed to determine liaison officers from our apparatus and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Corps and the Organization's unit to supervise and control these troops and organize their operations under the leadership of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Corps.

2. Mr. Radjavi expressed his content for the suggested plan, stating that it complies with their preparations and thoughts. He also explained their combat organizational structures and units that consist of Armored Brigade Grouping including three battalions and the combat power of each battalion consist of (9 tanks, 7 carriers, 2 machineguns, one 120 mm launcher, two 107 mm rocket launchers, 120 mm mortar, one 23 mm machinegun as well as other Administrative Support and Staff (Diagram 2)

3. Therefore, Mr. Radjavi distributed 14 Armored Brigade Groupings...

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(Saddam's Quotation)

.... to the suggested areas (2-4) brigades each. It was agreed to start implementing this plan, stipulating that the Organization's forces stay in their current locations and will not move unless the start of aggression.

Kindly acknowledge ... Best Regards

Enclosures

3 Diagrams

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(Signature)

Comrade

Intelligence Service Director

25 February 2003

Copy to:

Staff Major Sultan Ahmad Hashim, Defense Minister

Kindly acknowledge ... Best Regards

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Republic of Iraq  
Presidency of the Republic  
General Military Intelligence Directorate  
Ref: M7/35/6/489  
4 January 2003

(Saddam's Quotation)

5  
5 January 2003

To: Presidency of the Republic  
Subject: Activities of the Iranian Troops

Below are the most important activities of the Iranian troops, opposite to our operation sectors from (1-31) December 2002.

- 1- A helicopter reconnaissance operation over Al-Fakkah
- 2- Detecting a white helicopter conducting 25 flights over the Iranian territory (5-6) km opposite to (Al-Za'faran post, Al-Tal, 'Ayn Al-'Abd, Al-Zayadi and Al-Jusur Complex)

Comment

This helicopter belongs to the Iranian Oil Company and is used to conduct maintenance operations on oil wells in the area. It is also used for reconnaissance of the old mine fields in this area by the Iranian Engineering Units that are responsible for clearing the mines planted during the Iraq-Iran war.

- 3- 5 Visual and Photography Reconnaissance operations over areas of (Ghuzayl - .....

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Serial	Position	Signature
1	The Republican Guards Chief of Staff	
2	The Republican Guards General Secretary	

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1	The Republican Guards Chief of Staff	
2	The Republican Guards General Secretary	

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...Al-Shihabi and Majnun)

4- On 17, December 2002, 4 Pick-ups, carrying soldiers stopped near the Iranian Al-Fakkah post and started firing towards the Iranian territory, using three mortars.

Comment

This field is used as a firing range for light and medium weapons

5- On 18, December 2002, the Iranian soldiers of the post opposite to the Iraqi frontier Al-Miqdad post fired shots towards Wadi Najaf area and towards the Iranian territory and engaged with unidentified soldiers.

Comment

There is doubt that there are elements sneaking into this area

6-The Iranian posts near Al-Shalamjah cemetery and Zayd post were supplied with 3 soldiers per post.

7- Engineering potential

A. Engineering work continues in the Majnun and Al-Huwayzah Sectors.

B. Repairing the routes leading to the Hunayjirah Iranian post and in front of the Al-Mansur Iraqi Post

8- On 18, December 2002, the Iranian Radio broadcasted a statement of a well-informed source, stating that the Iranian Army had been ordered by 'Ali Khamenei, the General Commander of the Iranian Armed Forces ...

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... to deploy military units in the Iranian eastern and western frontier areas.

Comment

No sign was detected proving that they implemented these orders by the Iranian frontier armed troops (We are still following-up)

9- On 30, December 2002, heavy, medium and light weapons fire was heard in the Al-Shalamjah Sector

Comment

It is possible that there is tactical training being conducted in the area.

10- We have received information from a trusted source that the Iranian troops in the Middle Sector checked and distributed chemical protective masks to the troops in this area.

11-Analysis

The Iranian Military activities serve as precautionary measures to control points vulnerable to infiltration on the Iraqi-Iranian borders.

Kindly acknowledge ... Best regards

(Signature)

Staff Major General

Director of the General Military Intelligence Directorate

3 January 2003

Copy to:

Mr. Comrade State Command Member and Supervisor of the Republican Guard, kindly acknowledge ... Regards

Mr. Defense Minister... kindly acknowledge ... Regards

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In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate  
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Secret and Confidential

Republic of Iraq  
Presidency of the Republic  
The Republican Guards Secretariat  
Ref: (SATTS M : ) / 69  
Date: 4 January 2003

To: Republican Guards Chief of Staff Office – Office of Chief of Staff  
Subject: Information

In reference to remarks of the State Command Member and Supervisor of the Republican Guard, "Notify the Republican Guards Chief of Staff - Republican Guards Allah Akbar Operations Commander - Republican Guards Al-Fath Al-Mubin Operations Commander – Division Commanders", concerning the information included in the General Military Intelligence Directorate's attached secret letter 90683 on 31, December 2001

Kindly acknowledge ... Best regards

Enclosures

Copy of Letter

(Signature)

Staff Brigadier General

'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur

Secretary of the Republican Guards Supervisor

4 January 2003

Copy to:

The Special Republican Guards Commander, to notify the Special Republican Guards of information included in the State Command Member and the RG Supervisor's attached letter ... Best regards.

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In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate  
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Republican Guards Secretariat  
Supervisor's Office  
Date: 2 January 2003

To: State Command Member, Supervisor of the (Republican Guards)

Greetings,

Attached is the General Military Intelligence Directorate's secret letter 90683 on 31, December 2002 that included information about the Iranian Guard Forces and Bassej forces' maneuvers during December 2002.

Kindly acknowledge and advise ... Best Regards

*(Notify the Republican Guards Chief of Staff - Republican Guards Allah Akbar Operations Commander - Republican Guards Al-Fath Al-Mubin Operations Commander – Divisions' Commanders"*



2 January

(Signature)  
Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
Secretary  
2 January 2003

In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate  
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Republic of Iraq  
Presidency of the Republic  
General Military Intelligence Directorate  
Ref: M7/35/90683  
31 December 2003

(Saddam's Quotation)

1  
2 January 2003

To: Presidency of the Republic

Subject: Maneuvers

We have been informed that the Iranian Guard Forces and Bassej Forces conducted maneuvers during December 2002 as follows:

1. The 57<sup>th</sup> Brigade Abu-al-Fadl (Guards) conducted a maneuver in Khurm Abad from (17-24) January 2002, and named it (Al-Ghadir), aimed at raising the combat levels of the brigade units. This maneuver was implemented in five stages, including airborne troops, engaging enemy targets, using locally made supplies. This maneuver was attended by Brigadier General Muhammad 'Ali Ja'fari, the Commander of the Guard Land Forces.
- 2- 'Ashura' and Al-Zahra' Regiments (Bassej Forces) conducted a maneuver in Quds Camp in Shushtar from (11-14) December 2002, where 1,900 fighters took part, aimed at improving the combat capability of these forces.
- 3- Two fighters of 'Ashura' Regiment, cooperating with ...

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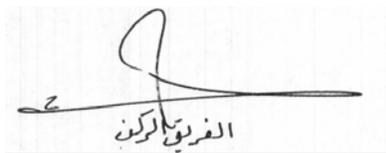
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... the Guards in Biranshahr, conducted a maneuver named " Defenders of the Wilayah (State)" from 15-16 December 2002, including training on engaging enemy targets.

Comment

The aforementioned maneuvers aimed at improving the combat preparation of the Iranian units and preparing the Guard Forces and Bassej Forces for a forthcoming American attack that would affect Iran and the Iranian People.

Kindly acknowledge ... Best regards

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(Signature)

Staff Major General

General Military Intelligence Director

30 December 2002

Copy to:

Comrade, State Command Member and Supervisor of the Republican Guards; kindly acknowledge ... Best regards

Minster of Defense; kindly acknowledge ... Best regards

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10. Supplying the Iranian post opposite the Majnun Southern area with 12 military personnel

11. Engineering work

A. Engineering work continues in the Majnun Sector and Al-Huwayzah Sector

B. A bulldozer was used on the hills located left of Mayan Tank Post.

Comment

This area is possibly being prepared to build a monitoring tower or a post

12. We received information from a trusted source that the Iranians renamed the 4<sup>th</sup> Mechanized Infantry Brigade of the 81<sup>st</sup> Commando Corps to the 71<sup>st</sup> Mechanized Infantry Brigade.

Comment

A. This brigade opens in the Middle Sector from the Baba Hadi area to Nift Shah

B. It is possible that the following unit will also be renamed, the 4<sup>th</sup> Infantry Brigade, 21<sup>st</sup> Infantry Corps and 4<sup>th</sup> Mechanized Infantry Brigade, 77<sup>th</sup> Infantry Corps.

13. We received information that the 35<sup>th</sup> Commandos Brigade moved from Kaylan in the west to Kermanshah (under tracking)

14. On 30, January 2003, the Iranians planted mines on the left side of the Khasrawi Complex and supplied the Khasrawi new post with a 106 mm gun

15. Analysis

The Iranian Military activities serve as precautionary measures and they are trying to control the areas suspected of being vulnerable to infiltration on the Iraqi-Iranian borders

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4- The Iranian border troops were rotated at the (Zayd and Ghuzayl) Posts

5- Controlling the frontier fortifications by adding one extra platoon at the (Khasrawi- Al-Darraji Post- Sumar and Al-Kharnubiyyah)

Comment

We have received information from a well-informed source that orders were issued to the Iranian troops to check the operation lines and conduct exercises to control the important frontier areas, while improving the level of combat operations.

6-On 12 January 2003, 36 civilians were seen exiting a civilian car and a Land Cruiser, taking photos and repeating Anti-American slogans in front of Ghuzayl Post.

7- On 15 January 2003, a military vehicle approached Monitoring Post (22) in the Majnun Southern Sector, where 7 people shouted insults towards the personnel there, wherein they directed fire towards the vehicle which fled into Iranian territory.

8- On 19 January 2003, live-ammunition training was conducted behind the Iranian Custom building in the Al-Kasbah Area.

9- The watch towers, along the Shat Al-'Arab area, witnessed an increase in the number of guards; from one guard to three.

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Republic of Iraq  
Presidency of the Republic  
General Military Intelligence Directorate  
Ref: M7/35/6/8337  
6 February 2003

(Saddam's Quotation)

122  
7 February 2003

To: Presidency of the Republic  
Subject: Activities of the Iranian Troops

Below are the most important activities of the Iranian troops in our operation sectors from (1-31) December 2002.

1- 4 helicopter reconnaissance operations over (Al-Fakkah- Saddam Post- Nift Khanah and Al-Ta'an post)

2- - Observation of a white in color helicopter conducting 25 flights over Iranian territory (5-6) km opposite to (Al-Za'faran Post, Al-Tal, 'Ayn Al-'Abd, Al-Zayadi and Al-Jusur Complex)

Comment

This helicopter belongs to the Iranian Oil Company and conducts maintenance operations for oil wells in the area. It is also used in reconnaissance for old mine fields in this area for the sake of the Iranian Engineering Units that are responsible for clearing the mines planted during the Iraq-Iran war.

3- 6 Visual and Photography Reconnaissance operations over areas of (Khasrawi, Nift Shah, 'Ayn Al-'Abd post and Al-Faw)

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In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate  
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Republican Guards Secretariat  
Supervisor's Office  
Date: 9 February 2003

To: State Command Member, Supervisor of the Republican Guards

Greetings,

- Attached is the General Military Intelligence Directorate's top-secret letter 8337 on 6, February 2003 that included information about the most important activities of the Iranian troops in the operation areas during January 2003.
- We suggest acknowledging the Republican Guards Chief of Staff and the Republican Guards General Secretary.

Kindly acknowledge and advise ... Best Regards

*Approved*

*10 February*

(Signature)

'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
Secretary  
9 February 2003

**Full Translation of pages 2, 5-10, 15-44, 50-52, 57-65 and 71**

**Page 2**

In The Name Of God the Most Merciful the Most Compassionate

The Republic of Iraq  
Presidency of the Republic  
The Secretary



294  
4/9/200

“Top Secret & Confidential”

Reference Number (SATTS 1/16/2/5912/K)  
Date 3 Sep. 2000

To: Republican Guard Supervisor  
Subject: Information

We are sending you a copy of the documents dispatched from Jalal Al-Talibani Group to the office of the Supreme Council in Al-Sulaymaniyyah, who sent it to his headquarters in Tehran. The documents include information related to the following subjects:

- 1- Saddam Airbase and the exceptional preparations that took place on 19 June 2000.
- 2- Details of the Deputy's visit to Al-Ta'mim Governorate on 30 May 2000, attended also by you.
- 3- The Republican Guards Forces intention to form a paratroops brigade.
- 4- Maintenance and repair of the Armed Forces weapons carried out by the Inspection and Acceptance Directorate of the Ministry of Defense, especially artillery.
- 5- The relation of Mas'ud Al-Barazani's group with the State, and the meeting held with 'Ali Hasan Al-Majid on 25 June 2000.

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Republican Guard Secretariat  
The Supervisor's Office



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Date 9 Feb 2003

To: Republican Guard Supervisor-Stat Command Member

Greetings

Attached is the IIS secret letter number 294, dated 6 Feb 2003. It includes information about a meeting with Mas'ud Rajawi, the Iranian Liberation Army Commander, on 4 Feb 2003 to prepare a plan to face American aggression on Iraq if it takes place.

Please review and order...with regards.

(Signature)  
Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
Secretary  
9 Feb. 2003

*to Husayn  
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The Republic of Iraq  
Intelligence Service



Iraqi Intelligence Service  
IRIS

Reference Number: 14/2/2/294  
Date: 6 Feb 2003

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(A quotation form one of Saddam Hussein's Speeches)

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7/2/2003

To: Qusay Saddam Hussein  
The Republican Guard Supervisor  
Subject: Combat Readiness

Reference is made to our letter number 140/2/2/235, dated 28 Jan. 2003.

On 4 Feb 2003 a meeting was held with Mas'ud Rajawi, the Commander in Chief of the Iranian Liberation Army, to determine what steps to take in case of an American attack on Iraq. The following is the important issue discussed in the meeting:

Mr. Rajawi confirmed that their enemy is the Iranian Regime and they will fight it to the end to maintain his integrity in front of Iranian people and the world, meaning that if the Iranian Regime or its agents (such as Badr Corps or any other) attacks Iraq, his army will fight back vigorously from inside Iraq in defense. But if the Iranian regime doesn't interfere, Rajawi will not do anything that may harm Iraq until the crisis ends

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Reference Number  
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(A quotation from one of Saddam Hussein's Speeches)

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1. Rajawi explained his plan. He will deploy his forces to three positions: Al-Khalis, Jalawla' and a tactical headquarters near Al-Miqdadiyyah in the central sector. His presence in that area is known. Fighting from that area will not cause him any political problems, unlike if he was deployed in the Kurdish Northern Zone or in the Shi'ah dominated areas of the South. Iran and western countries claim that his forces are Iraqi and are using his Mujahidin to oppress Kurds and Shi'ah. The area occupied by Rajawi forces is considered the gateway to Baghdad through several routes (Mandali, Khanaqin, and North of Jalawla'). He determined the zone that he will confront the enemy in begins from Qasr Shirin in the north (in front of Iraqi Qura Tu) to Sawmar in the south (south of Iraqi Qazaniyyah). The length of the front line is about 100 - 120 km, and 80 - 100 km deep, to the point where their headquarters in Al-Khalis is. This sector is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Corps sector, which lies in the form of a semicircular pivot, as shown in the attached chart.

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The Republic of Iraq  
Intelligence Service



Iraqi Intelligence Service  
IRIS

Reference Number  
Date

(A quotation from one of Saddam Hussein's Speeches)

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2. Rajawi and his forces will take part in dealing with the following situations:

- a. Stop any attempt by Iran or its agents to breach or infiltrate Iraqi borders from any point along a 120km front line from Shirin Palace in the north to south of Sawmar.
- b. Stop any Iranian attacks coming from the north and heading along the imaginary line that starts from the Iraqi zone facing Shirin Palace east up to north of Al-Khalis camp in the west.
- c. Stop any attacks coming from the south heading to the north along the imaginary line extending from the Iraqi area opposite south of Sawmar eastwards up to the south of Al-Khalis Camp in the west.

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Date

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4. In addition to what has been said above, a technical meeting will be held with experts from the Ministry of Defense (Movements, Operations, 2<sup>nd</sup> Corps, who controls the central zone) to devise a joint plan and agree on a work plan.

Please review, with regards.

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Director of (IIS)  
5 Feb. 2003

copy to  
Staff General Sultan Hashim Ahmad \ Minister of Defense  
Please review, with regards.

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Republic of Iraq  
General Military Intelligence Directorate



(Saddam Hussein Quotation)

Reference number M7/35/2/3583  
Date 2 Mar 2003

Top Secret and Confidential

To: Presidency of the Republic, the Secretary  
Subject: Iranian Weapons Sources

In reference to our top secret and confidential letter number 2487 dated 11 Feb 2003, there is no information about any new Iranian arms deals during the month of February 2003.

Kindly review, with respect

Staff Lieutenant General  
General Military Intelligence Director  
1 Mar 2003

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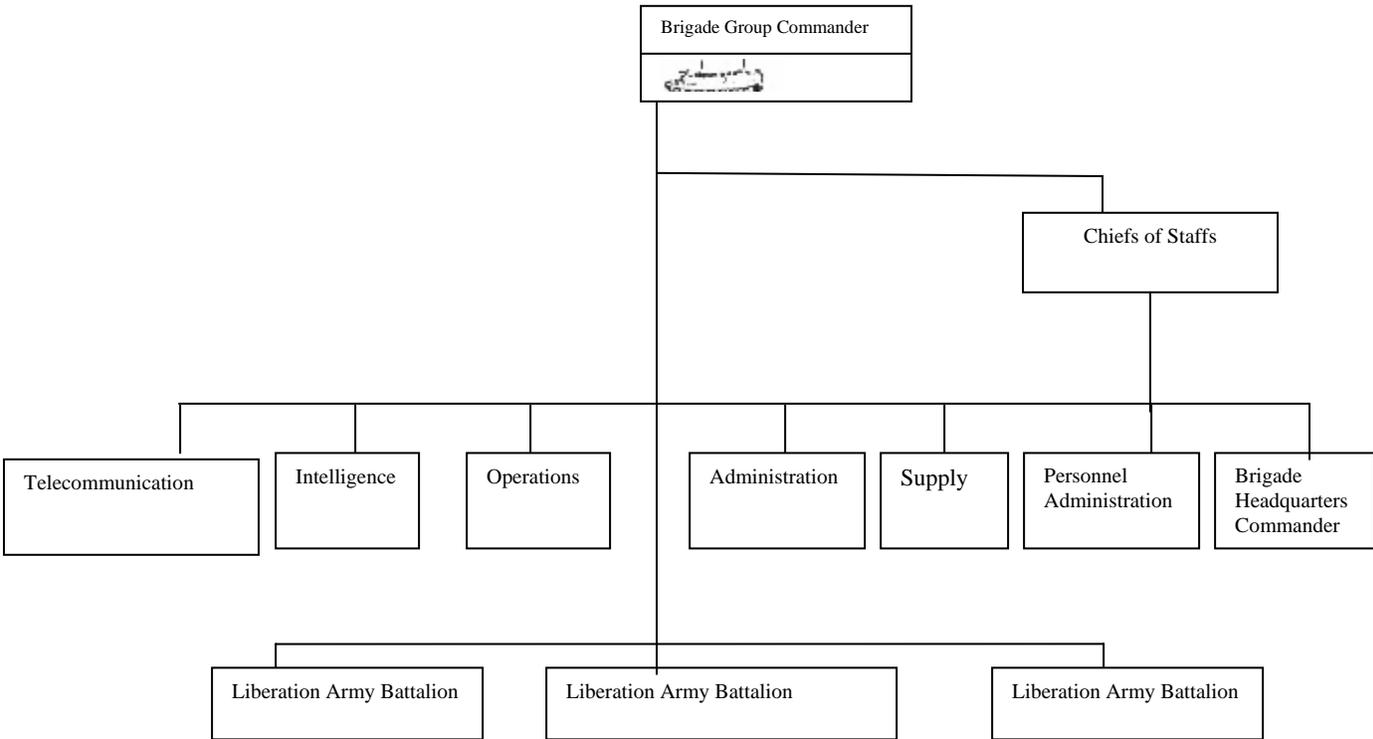
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Supervisor of the Republican Guard/ kindly review, with respect  
Minister of Defense/ kindly review, with respect

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February 2003

Organizational chart for the Armored Brigade Group



Establishments of Brigade Group						
Tanks	Troop Carriers	Artillery	Katyusha/ 122 mm	107mm Missile Launcher	Mortar 120mm	23mm Artillery
18	22	6	3	6	6	3

Organizational Structure of the Armored Brigade Group

Brigade Group Commander:-

Chiefs of Staffs:-

Brigade Headquarters Commander

Individuals Administration

Supply

Administration

Operations

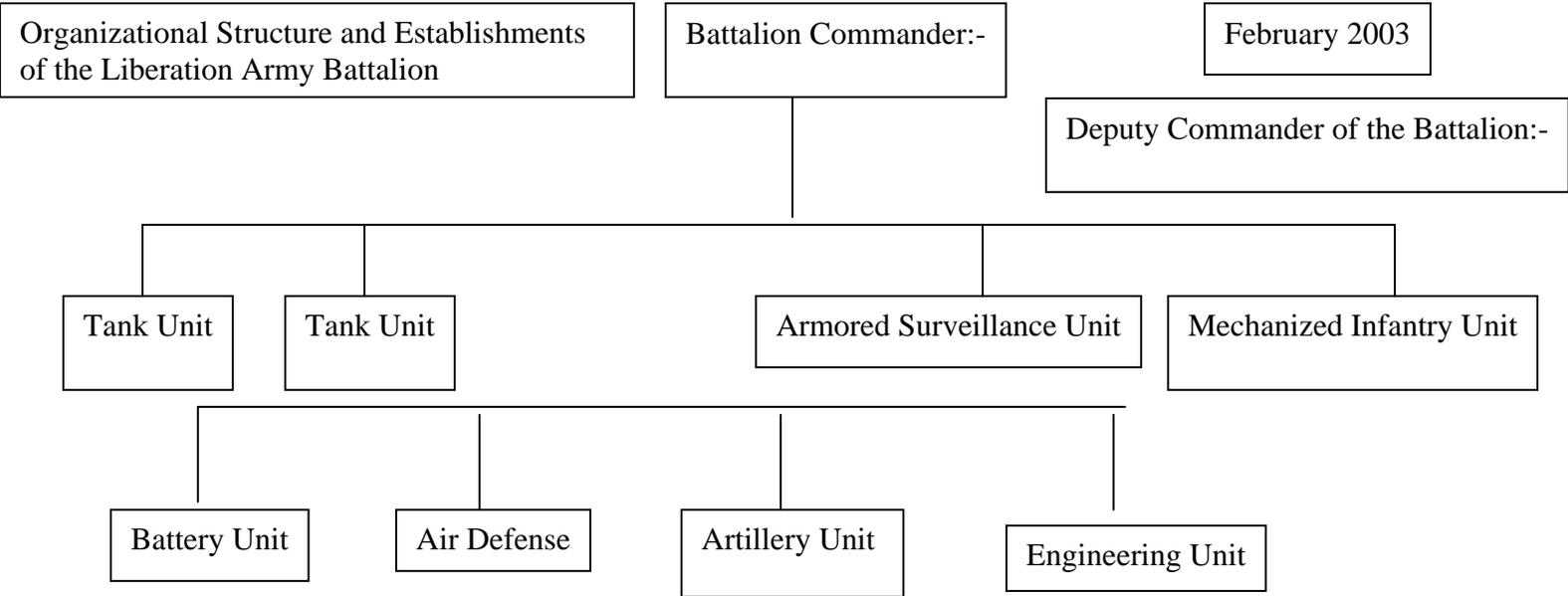
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Communications

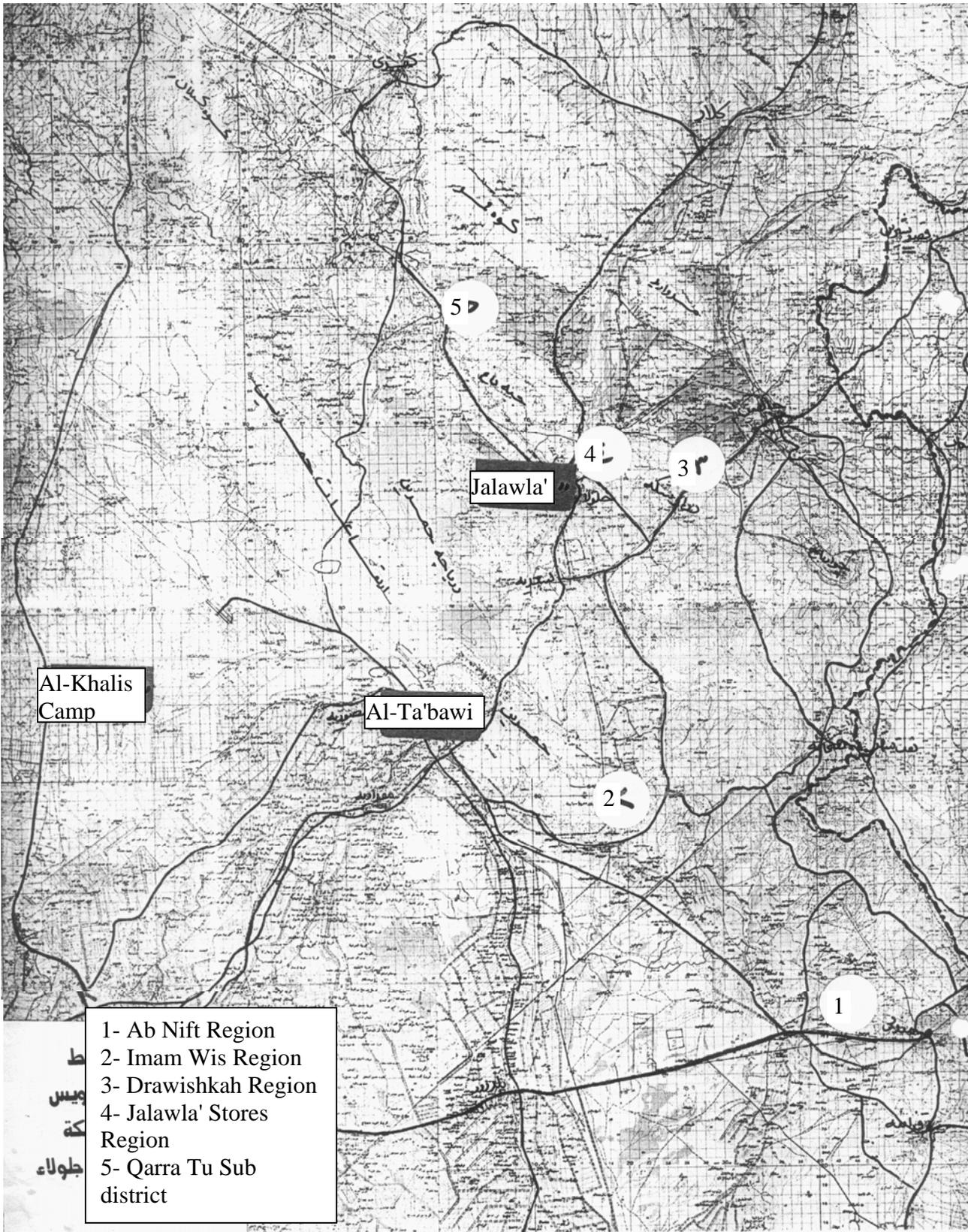
Liberation Army Battalion (1)

Liberation Army Battalion (2)

Liberation Army Battalion (3)



Establishments of the Liberation Army Battalion						
Tanks	Troops Carriers	Artillery	Katyusha/ 122 mm	107 mm Missile Launcher	120 mm Mortar	23 mm Artillery
9	7	2	4	2	2	1



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The Iranian National Liberation Army:

- 1- The Iranian National Liberation Army was founded in 1986 under the command of Mas'ud Rajawi. The army fought a number battles during the Iraq-Iran War, the last being Al-Diya' Al-Khalid Battle in the central sector. In addition to its great role in fighting agents and the Khomeini Guard forces in the central sector (2<sup>nd</sup> Corps Sector) which was pushed in Iraq by the Iranian regime during the 1991 rebellion, the army managed to annihilate most of the forces that snuck into Iraq while losing (49) soldiers during the battle.
- 2- In order to strengthen the combat capabilities of the Iranian National Liberation Army, the Ministry of Defense supplied the army with armor and heavy artillery (see armament status attachment). They conducted intensive training for its members to be familiar with using these weapons, in addition to the tactical courses, exercises, intelligence and administrative support; which changed the units of this army into armored brigades.

- 3- Combat Capabilities: the army formations are based on the quadruple formation system. It consists of (8) thousand well trained fighters. This number increases or decreases according to the military or political situation. The combat capability is similar to the combat capability of two armored divisions minus one brigade.
- 4- The units of the Iranian National Liberation Army are deployed along the border adjacent to Iran and into divided into seven commands. They are Al-Khalis, Jalawla', Al-Ta'bawi (2<sup>nd</sup> Corps), Al-Kut, Al-'Amarah (4<sup>th</sup> Corps), Salaf Fakhir (4<sup>th</sup> Corps) and Al-Basrah (3<sup>rd</sup> Corps) headquarters. Al-Khalis special camp is considered the main base for the army with all field and academic training conducted in this camp. In addition, the Army's headquarters is located in Al-Khalis Camp. It is noted that military units deployed in the sectors have detailed information about the Iranian forces deployed opposite them on the other side. Corps intelligence officers share information.

Note:

The army recently pulled its units from the camps in the southern sector and redeployed them to the camps of the central sector (Al-Khalis, Al-Ta'bawi, and Jalawla').

- 5- The IIS is responsible for supplying this army with what it needs in weapons and ammunition in coordination with the Ministry of Defense, in addition to providing technical maintenance for these weapons on a monthly and yearly basis to include armor, tanks, vehicles, and other types of weapons. The IIS sets a special annual budget for this purpose, which reaches (1.5) Billion Dinars per annum.

Tanks	T55	T55 Command	T55 Rescue	T72	Chieftain Tank
	75	5	15	3	60

Armor	BMB1 Carrier	MTLB Carrier	MTLB Command	EE-9 Cascavel Armored Car	Panhard Armored Car
	85	63	36	86	70

Artillery	106 mm	122 mm	130 mm	155 mm	Anti-Aircraft Gun
	190	75	180	30	140

Vehicles	Faun Vehicle	Bridging Vehicle	Signal Vehicle	BTR Vehicle	Rescue Vehicle	Eva Vehicle
	24	6	3	5	15	450

Type of Weapon	Quantity
122 mm Launcher	50
107 mm Launcher	69
BKC Machine Gun	1185
RBG7 Launcher	1278
RBK Machine Gun	495
Duktyarev	66
60, 80, and 81 Mortar	567
DShK (12.7 mm heavy MG)	205

Light Weapons	Pistol	Kalashnikov	FAZ antitank rifle	Sniper rifle	GC rifle
	2450	11498	1387	336	340

Other Materials:

Earth Mover	43
Tanker	95
Trucks	33
Crane	13
Ambulance	25

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The Republic Of Iraq  
General Military Intelligence Directorate



( Saddam Hussein Quotation)

Number /7/35/7/25/2/3978  
Date 20 Jan 2003

Top Secret

To: Comrade, Revolutionary Command Council Member  
Commander of the Southern Zone  
Subject: Iran Agents Activities

Letter 3\9\22\12481\K dated 8 Dec 2002 contained the approval of the Presidency's Secretary on suggestions A and B, in article number 4 of our top secret letter number 85480, dated 4 Dec 2002.

Kindly review, with appreciation

Signature  
Lieutenant General Staff  
General Military Intelligence Director  
19 Jan 2003

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CC  
State Command Member  
Republican Guard Supervisor  
Minister of Defense

the letter above was issued from the Presidency  
kindly review, with appreciation

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In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate

The Republican Guard Secretariat  
The Supervisor's Office



Number /7/35/7/25/2/3978  
Date 22 Jan 2003

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To: Republican Guard Supervisor, State Command Member

Greetings,

Attached is the General Military Intelligence Directorate letter, classified top secret, number 3978, dated 20 Jan 2003, which includes the Presidency's Secretary's approval on suggestions (A & B) in article 4 in the directorate's top secret letter number 85480, dated 4 Dec 2002.

Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
The Secretary  
22 Jan 2003

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In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate

The Republican Guard Secretariat  
The Supervisor's Office



Date 4 Dec 2003

To: Republican Guard Supervisor, State Command Member

Greetings,

Attached is the General Military Intelligence Directorate letter, classified top secret, number 85480, dated 4 Dec 2003, which includes information about the activities of Iran's agents and information obtained about the fields of operations

Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
The Secretary  
22 Jan 2003

In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate

Republic of Iraq  
Presidency of the Republic  
General Military Intelligence Directorate



(Saddam Hussein Quotation)

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Number /7/ 35/7/85480  
Date 4 Jan 2003

To: Presidency of the Republic, the Secretary  
Subject: Iranian Agents Activities

The following is information about Iranian agents activities obtained from the field of operations for the period 1 through 30 Nov 2002:

1. Acts of Sabotage  
Iran's agents conducted two looting operations. The first was at 2400 hours on 29 Nov 2002. They looted a public transport bus type Nissan in Abu-‘Awwaf area north of Al-Qurnah on Basrah, Maysan highway. They clashed with men of the 18<sup>th</sup> observation post, killing a man from 3<sup>rd</sup> Regiment/25<sup>th</sup> Mechanized Infantry Brigade. The second looting operation was at 0900 hours on 29 Nov 2002. The agents looted two vehicles. One is a pick up truck and the other is a Nissan sedan traveling on the Basrah – Nasiriyyah highway.
2. Information acquired
  - A. Muhammad Baqir Al-Hakim visited Al-Kuwait17 to 29 Nov 2002. He met with the Kuwaiti Amir, Crown Prince, Ministers, Ambassadors of Islamic countries and some Kuwaiti personnel. He gave political and religious lectures in various Kuwaiti councils.

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- B. Iranian intelligence gave (Mobile) communication devices to their agents (collaborators) in Iraq. It covers an area of 500 km. This matter is still being investigated.
- C. The Iranian regime created a Headquarters for Badir Corps in Dahlaran to organize the infiltration operation of its members into Iraq through the areas (Khuisah Valley, Al-Za'faran, Al-Tayyib, and Al-Sharhany).
- D. Badir Corps forces continued border crossings in Majnun and Al-Huizah marsh (barrier A) sectors to deliver mail and supplies to their hideouts inside Iraq.
- E. Badir Corps redeployed its brigades according to the instruction of Muhammad Baqir Al-Hakim, after his meeting with 'Ali Khamina'i and before he went to Kuwait. We have confirmed information that the Haydar Al-Karrar division is deployed in the area between Qasr Shirin and Mahran to train in (Khanaqin, Khan Lil border police station, Sayf Sa'id border police station, Shoshrin border police station, Al-Daraji border police station and Zayn Al-Qaws border police station)
- F. We received the following information from the Russian Military Attaché in Baghdad about the following:

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First: Some serious disputes have erupted between the members of the so called Islamic Revolution High Supreme Council about collaborating and coordinating with the US Administration. Some Badr Corps officials demanded to stop all contacts with the American Administration because it has damaged their reputation and they called upon Iran to interfere to prevent these communications.

Comments

We obtained information that Abu-Mahdi Al-Muhandis, the Deputy Commander of the Badr Corps submitted his resignation, protesting against the negotiations between the American Administration and the High Supreme Council for the Islamic Revolution in Iraq.

Second: Badr Corps Command held a meeting on 16 and 17 Nov 2002 in Kermanshah City in Iran to solve problems and persuade its opponents about the importance of coordinating with the American Administration. The Corps Deputy Commander (Abu-Hasan Al-'Amiry) mentioned that talks with the Americans were approved by ('Ali Khamina'i), and the official stand of the Supreme Council emphasized the opposition to any foreign interference and American occupation of Iraq and the assurance of the unity and safety of Iraq.

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3. Analysis

- a. Badr Corps re-directed Haydar Al-Karar Division towards the central sector as part of their preparation to send their forces into Iraq with the start of an American aggression on Iraq.
- b. Iran's traitors Badr strive to alienate the role of other opposition groups who oppose coordination with the US administration to gain favors from the US administration and support, and in anticipation of a bigger role in Iraq in the stage following the aggression on Iraq.
- c. The traitor Al-Hakim visits Kuwait every year during Ramadan. He gives religious and political sectarian speeches and lectures, and meets with Kuwaitis officials to plot with them against Iraq. He offers false information about Kuwaiti prisoners of war in Iraq to ensure Kuwaiti financial support.

4. Suggestions

- a. Increase close watch of the borders, increase surveillance and observation (detection) operations, and direct our forces on the eastern front (border) to organize random ambushes in the southern and central sectors to stop traitor infiltration attempts and prevent them from communicating with their hideouts (dens) in Iraq.
- b. Emphasize on the check and observation posts on the roads of the southern sector to be alert and to prevent saboteur's acts of sabotage (looting operations)

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C. Our troops in the southern sector should regularly search the places where traitors could be located to prevent them from settling down.

Signature  
Lieutenant General Staff  
3 Jan 2002

Copy to:

- Revolutionary command member and Southern zone commander
- State Command Member and Republican Guard Supervisor
- Minister of Defense

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The Republican Guard Secretariat  
The Supervisor Office



Date 8 Jan 2003

To: State Command Member and the Supervisor of the Republic Guard

Greetings,

Attached is General Military Intelligence Directorate letter, classified top secret, number 992, dated 7 Jan 2003. It includes information about Iranian traitor activities in the southern and middle sectors and information obtained about them in the month of Dec 2002.

Kindly review, with appreciation

Signature  
Lieutenant General Staff  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
The secretary  
8 Jan 2003

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Republic of Iraq  
Presidency of the Republic  
General Military Intelligence Directorate



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Ref \ 7\ 35\ 7\ 85480  
Date 4 Jan 2003

To: Presidency of the Republic, the Secretary  
Subject: Iranian Traitor Activities

The following is a summary of Iranian traitor activities in the southern and central zone and information acquired about them during the period 1 through 31 Dec 2002

1. Sabotage: The traitors carried out six sabotage operations.
  - a) 3 looting operations took place. One targeted a bus for a government civil establishment at the crossroad of Al-Majar district, near Umm Al-Aranib village. Four of its passengers were wounded, all civilians. The other operations targeted civil Volkswagen vehicles and a pickup truck, traveling on Al-Qurnah and Al-Chibaiysh. A police patrol clashed with the saboteurs. The outcome of the encounter resulted in the death of Police Lieutenant Bashir Qazim Al-Maliki and one of the vehicles' drivers

Comments

The saboteurs opened fire on the vehicles to force them to stop.

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- b- Two encounters with the ambushes prepared by our troops in the sector of the 14<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division on the vanguard (A). The first encounter was with an ambush prepared by the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment/18<sup>th</sup> Infantry Brigade in Abu-Khassaf area and the second encounter was with an ambush prepared by the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment/426<sup>th</sup> Infantry Brigade in Al-Majari area. The traitors escaped.
- c- The traitors launched four Katyusha missiles on Mujahedin-e Khalq Camp of Jalawla'. Three exploded without causing casualties or financial losses.

2. Attained Information

- A- 'Abd-al-'Aziz Al-Hakim attended the traitors' conference that was held in London from 14 to 17 December 2002, as the representative of Muhammad Baqir Al-Hakim Head of what is the so-called "Higher Council for the Islamic Revolution". That conference was sponsored by the British Government and the American Administration.
- B- During his visit to Kuwait, Muhammad Baqir Al-Hakim agreed to send elements of Badr Corps there in order to guide the American forces when the aggression begins against Iraq (God forbid). "Article 2/A of our top secret correspondence number 85480, dated 4 December 2002."
- C- When they have the chance, the traitors intend to install a control post in the area located between Saddamiyyah Al-Qurnah Bridge and Muzah Al-Qadimah control.
- D- Iran agents hid a large boat among canes in Al-Huwayzah Marsh....

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...at Al-Mafrakah area. The boat was burnt and its engine was brought by 4<sup>th</sup> Corps (Intelligence).

- E- There are discussions between the US and the so-called Higher Council to open an office for Iran agents in Washington (follow up). The source of this information is the Russian Military Attaché in Baghdad.
- F- The traitors still enter Iraqi territories via Al-Huwayzah Marsh in order to deliver money and instructions in addition to obtaining information on the activities of our military troops and security and party services.
- G- The elements of Badr Corps received the following instructions:
  - I. Signalmen should stay near radio equipment.
  - II. Taking advantage of incidents and following the instructions when they start their sabotage actions.
  - III. Coordinating with the agents who work inside Iraqi territories.

### 3. Conclusion

Through coordination with the Higher Council, the US seeks to exploit the military forces (so-called Badr Corps) to collect information and conduct sabotage actions when the aggression begins.

### 4. Suggestions

- a. Notify the Ministry of the Interior to concentrate police patrols on highways that connect the southern governorates at night in order to control stealing.

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- b. Continuing preparing non-scheduled ambushes and patrols by our troops that are deployed in the vanguard (A) and eastern borders to control infiltration.

Kindly review and order, with respect

(Signature)  
Staff Lieutenant Colonel  
General Military Intelligence Director  
6 January 2003

Send a copy to\

- Member of the Revolutionary Command Council-Commander of the Southern Zone
- Member of State Command-Supervisor of Republican Guard
- Minister of Defense

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Commander of Al-Fath Al-Mubin Operations, Republican Guard

(Signature)

10 January

(Signature)

10 January 2003

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Republican Guard Secretary  
Supervisor's Office



Date: 7 January 2003

Mr. Member of State Command, Supervisor of Republican Guard

Attached is the top secret correspondence of the National Security Council, Secretary number 16, dated 5 January 2003 and a copy of the secret and personal correspondence of the General Security Directorate number 9096, dated 31 December 2002, which includes the latest information obtained by the above directorate regarding the intentions and plans of the traitors. That information was provided by a secret source (trust degree: good).

Kindly review and order, with respect

Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
Secretary  
7 January 2003

*(Illegible) Commander of Al-Fath Al-Mubin Operations, Republican Guard, Baghdad  
Commander, Al-Madinah Commander, Al-Nida' Commander, Commander of the Special  
Republican Guard, Deputy and (Illegible) regarding Al-Radwaniyyah axis.  
(Signature)*

In the Name of God Most Merciful Most Compassionate

Iraq Republic  
Presidency of the Republic  
National Security Council Secretary Office



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Ref.: L.D.M/16  
Date: 5 January 2003

To: Special Security Organization  
Intelligence Service  
General Military Intelligence Directorate  
Subject: Information

We are attaching a copy of General Security Directorate correspondence number (MS5/Q15/9096), dated 31 December 2002  
Kindly review the included information, with respect

(Signature)  
Secretary of the National Security Council  
4 January 2003

Send a copy to\

- Supervisor of Republican Guard
  - Ministry of Defense – Bureau
  - Ministry of the Interior – Minister’s Office
  - General Security Directorate, In reference to your abovementioned correspondence
- To be acknowledged...with respect

We attached a copy of the correspondence of the General Security Directorate. Kindly review the information

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Iraq Republic  
Presidency of the Republic-Secretary  
General Security Directorate



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Secret and Personal

Ref.: MS5/D15/9096  
Date: 31 December 2002

To: National Security Council Secretary Office  
Subject: Information

We would like to inform you of the latest information attained from a secret source regarding the intentions and plans of the traitors:-

On 12 December 2002, a meeting was held between Badr Corps affiliates who work inside Iraqi territories, Abu Hasan Al- 'Amiri Commander of Badr Corps and Abu Liqa' Al-Safi the Assistant of the Corps' Commander. The following were raised during the meeting:-

1. They studied and evaluated the Corps performance during 1991 Rebellion (Page of Treason and Treachery). They agreed on adopting the following to give success to their march towards Baghdad:-

- A- To establish meeting places in Al-Nahrawan area.
- B- To control Wasit Governorate by enveloping and attacking the Republican Guard troops and emergency regiments at Al-Sawadah area. The Corps troops should move from Badrah and Jasan areas in groups from certain meeting places towards al-Shihabi area in order to isolate Wasit Governorate from Baghdad after attacking Baghdad-Al-Kut Control.
- C- They studied moving towards Wasit Governorate then to Baghdad via Al-Nahrawan sector. They will proceed through Al-Ta'awuni highway parallel to Al-Jabab River towards Al-Sawadah area. Thier purpose from there is to conduct successful attacks against the Republican Guard troops in Wasit Governorate.
- D- The traitors also discussed the following during the meeting:
  - I. Collecting inclusive information on Iraqi officials (transportation, addresses, and work places).
  - II. Observing the activities of security services during a emergency plan in addition to the movements of Mujahedin-e Khalq.

- III. Conducting offensive attacks against the state's quarters during the emergency plan, noting that the alternate headquarters for those quarters should be specified.
- E- They discussed the possibility of advancing towards the North from Al-Sulaymaniyyah Governorate on the way to Kafri. They will be supported by Liwa' Al-Mustafa (TC: Al-Mustafa Brigade) and the North Axis. Abu 'Ali Al-Basri "Commander of the North Axis" will be in command.
- F- As for their plan in the Southern Zone, they will rush from Al-Ahwaz towards Al-Khafajiyah, Al-Hamidiyyah and Al-Mahmarah.
2. As for the areas around Baghdad, the traitors discussed the possibilities of establishing meeting places in Al-Mahmudiyyah District in addition to conducting reconnaissance operations on the highway which connects Abu-Ghurayb with Al-Radwaniyyah and Al-Yusifiiyyah. Moreover, they decided to identify the important sites along the highway in addition to the Baghdad - Abu-Ghurayb highway and the areas around it and how to avoid the areas where official controls are located. They also discussed the following:
- a. The road which connects Al-Suwayrah with Saddam (Jablah) Subdistrict – Airport and then goes towards Baghdad – Al-Dawrah.

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In addition to making sure that there are no military controls or check points on the road.

- b. The road that leads to Al-Nu'maniyyah via Al-Dijayli Road at Wasit Governorate and how to cross the Tigris River using Al-'Nu'maniyyah Bridge.
- 3- The traitors also discussed the duties of the elements related to (Al-Qararkah). Those elements will only be assigned to reconnaissance operations to collect information and the military work will be assigned to the Corps' elements.

Kindly review and we suggest circulating the above information to the security services to make use of it, with respect.

(Signature)  
General Security Director  
31 December 2002

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Republican Guard Secretary  
Supervisor's Office



Date: 5 January 2003

Mr. Member of State Command, Supervisor of the Republican Guard

Attached is the top secret correspondence of the General Military Intelligence Directorate number 489, dated 4 January 2003, which includes information on the important activities of Iranian troops that are observed in front of operations sector from 1 to 31 December 2002.

Kindly review and order, with respect

Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
Secretary  
5 January 2003

*(Signature)*  
*5 January 2002*

In the Name of God, Most Merciful, Most Compassionate

Republican Guard Secretariat  
Supervisor's Bureau



Date: 5 Jan 2003

To: Republican Guard Supervisor and State Command Member

Greetings,

Attached is General Military Intelligence Directorate letter, classified top secret and confidential, number 120, and dated 4 Jan 2003, with a report about new arms deals made by Iran during the month of Dec 2002

Kindly review and give your order, regards

*Signature*  
*5 Jan*

Signature  
Staff Brigadier General  
'Abd-al-Salam Yasin Mansur  
The Secretary  
5 Jan 2003

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Republic of Iraq  
General Military Intelligence Directorate



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Reference No: M7/35/7/2/120  
Date: 4 Feb 2003

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To: Presidency of the Republic, the Secretary  
Subject: Iran's sources of arms (where are they getting their weapons from)

Reference to our letter, classified top secret and confidential, dated 22219, dated 5 Dec 2002, attached is a report about Iran's new arms deals during the month of Dec 2003.

Kindly review, regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'S' or 'Q' shape followed by a horizontal line.

Signature  
Staff Lieutenant Colonel  
GMID Director  
3 Dec 2002

Cc:

- State Command Member and  
Republican Guard Supervisor
- Minister of Defense

Kindly review, regards

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