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From the Desk of
Paul Wolfowitz

(b)(6)

Please get back to
me as soon as you
find out what's going
on here.

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Caldwell, Bill, MG, OSD

From: (b)(6) CIV, OSD
Sent: Monday, September 15, 2003 6:53 AM
To: Zakheim, Dov, Hon, OSD-COMPT (b)(6) Civ, OSD; (b)(6) CIV, OSD
Cc: Caldwell, Bill, MG, OSD; (b)(6) CIV, OSD; (b)(6) CIV, OSD; (b)(6) CIV, OSD
Subject: FW: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions

not a particularly constructive message (b)(6) how do we respond? As i recall his request for 10 people came in two weeks ago (for the first time, to the best of my knowledge) and you had undertaken to fill it. pls advise?

-----Original Message-----

From: (b)(6) [mailto:(b)(6)@orha.centcom.mil]
Sent: Monday, September 15, 2003 3:45 AM
To: Kennedy, Patrick Amb; MOF
Cc: (b)(6) (Director of Operations (b)(6)); (b)(6) Zakheim, Dov, Hon, OSD-COMPT; (b)(6) CIV, OSD
Subject: FW: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions

[Pat.]

As I told Secretary Powell yesterday, I am simply amazed that OSD has provided no help to us in the financial area. We have good support from Australia and England, but none from the United States. This has reached critical proportions, as you can see by this message from Basra.

Not only do I need the ten general people that I was promised today, we also need to fill in the regions with financial people, but with the additional responsibilities of the supplemental execution, I need five new billets in Baghdad. Do you have any suggestions?

(b)(6)

-----Original Message-----

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Monday, September 15, 2003 2:39 AM
To: (b)(6) (GBR); MOF
Cc: Kennedy, Patrick Amb; (b)(6) (Director of Operations (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions

Yes, but I have also lost staff, and received no replacements. [Col (b)(6)] will be down Thursday to answer questions, etc.

-----Original Message-----

From: (b)(6) (GBR) [mailto:(b)(6)@orha.osd.mil]
Sent: Saturday, September 13, 2003 4:16 AM
To: (b)(6)
Subject: RE: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions

(b)(6)

Is the idea to rotate staff still running?

I would welcome some assistance here as I have lost two people in as many days and we have now effectively ceased finance operations here, due to lack of funds and staff.

(b)(6)

-----Original Message-----

B(2) [From: (b)(6) [mailto:(b)(6)@orha.centcom.mil]
Sent: Saturday, September 06, 2003 7:34 AM
To: (b)(6)
Cc: (b)(6)@yahoo.com; (b)(6) (GBR)
Subject: RE: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions]

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B(2) [-----Original Message-----
From: (b)(6)
Sent: Friday, September 05, 2003 11:32 PM
To: (b)(6)
Cc: (b)(6)@yahoo.com; (b)(6)@orha.osd.mil
Subject: FW: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions]

b(6) (b)(6)

I have just been copied on your request. (b)(6) is in the UK at the moment, returning Thurs 12 Sept. Probably the best thing to do is schedule the Basra visit at the end of your itinerary & (b)(6) will follow up on his return. Even arranging transport from the airport is difficult here at present due to the shortage of cars & escorts. Also, I shall be away myself during the third week of Sept.

I'll copy (b)(6) on this & hopefully he will be able to read it while in the UK.

Regards,

B(6) (b)(6)

[Original Message:

From: (b)(6)@yahoo.com
Date: Sat, 6 Sep 2003 07:06:17 +0300
To: (b)(6)
Subject: FW: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions]

b(6) (b)(6)
No idea if anyone else can pick up on this but it is not classed as a visit, the desk I was covering. Finance would need to be prepared to sort accommodation, collection from the airport etc and their running programme. This was given to (b)(6) no idea if anyone has picked up on it but Baghdad need to know whats happening!

B(6) (b)(6)
Assistant to (b)(6)
Deputy Regional Coordinator
CPA-S Basra

B(2) Thuraya (b)(6)
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note: This message may come via yahoo when mail access is not working. -----Original Message-----

B(2) [>From: (b)(6) (GBR) [mailto:(b)(6)@orha.centcom.mil]
Sent: 29 August 2003 15:00
To: (b)(6)
Subject: FW: Rotating Finance Staff to Regions]