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 REF/A/DOC/SECDEF/19JAN02/NOTAL/-//  
 AMPN/REF A IS 19 JAN 02 SECDEF MEMO TO CJCS REGARDING THE STATUS OF  
 TALIBAN AND AL QAIDA DETAINEES.//  
 SUBJ/~~SECRET~~ STATUS OF TALIBAN AND AL QAIDA//  
 RMKS/(U) 1. SECDEF MEMO OF 19 JAN 02 (REF A) IS RESTATED BELOW FOR  
 YOUR INFORMATION.

(U) 2. THE UNITED STATES HAS DETERMINED THAT AL QAIDA AND TALIBAN  
 INDIVIDUALS UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE ARE NOT  
 ENTITLED TO PRISONER OF WAR STATUS FOR PURPOSES OF THE GENEVA  
 CONVENTIONS OF 1949.

(U) 3. THE COMBATANT COMMANDERS SHALL, IN DETAINING AL QAIDA AND  
 TALIBAN INDIVIDUALS UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE,  
 TREAT THEM HUMANELY AND TO THE EXTENT APPROPRIATE AND CONSISTENT  
 WITH MILITARY NECESSITY IN A MANNER CONSISTENT WITH THE PRINCIPLES  
 OF THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS OF 1949.

(U) 4. THE COMBATANT COMMANDERS SHALL TRANSMIT THIS ORDER TO  
 SUBORDINATE COMMANDERS INCLUDING COMMANDER, JOINT TASK FORCE 160,

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FOR IMPLEMENTATION.

(U) 5. KEEP ME APPROPRIATELY INFORMED OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS ORDER.//

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