

From: (b)(6)
 To: SC JOC CPT (H); SC JOC OPS (H); J-37 Detainee Affairs
 Cc: NJOIC Battle Captain JCS J-3; NMCC NJOIC Deputy Battle Captain JCS (b)(6)
 USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(3); U.S.C. § 1306 (b)(6) OSD POLICY; (b)(6)
 (b)(3); U.S.C. § 1306 (b)(6) AMC 618 TACC/XOOO; (b)(6) AMC/A7SOC;
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 Subject: FW: Detainee Human Remains Movement Operation (DHRMO) (b)(6)
 Date: Monday, September 10, 2012 12:22:25 PM
 Attachments: DDO VOCO script for DHRMO (b)(6).doc
 RE Status Update (SNE) CME (b)(6).msg

(b)(1), Sec. 1.4
 (a), Sec. 1.4 (b), Sec. 1.4 (d), Sec. 1.4 (g)

(b)(1), Sec. 1.4
 (a), Sec. 1.4 (b), Sec. 1.4 (d), Sec. 1.4 (g)

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All:

Just as a follow up, DDO provided the VOCO for DHRMO (b)(6) yesterday at 1707 EDT (Script attached).
 Yemen has agreed to accept custody of the remains (OSD Email attached).

(b)(1), Sec. 1.4
 (a), Sec. 1.4 (b), Sec. 1.4 (d), Sec. 1.4 (g)

Please let me know if there are any questions or concerns.

V/R,

(b)(6)

(NEW EMAIL ADDRESS)

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

From: (b)(6)
 Sent: Sunday, September 09, 2012 5:45 PM
 To: Dempsey, Martin E GEN CJCS; Winnefeld, James A ADM JCS VCJCS; Kelly, John LtGen SD
 Cc: SC JOC CPT (H); SC JOC OPS (H); J-37 Detainee Affairs; Scaparrotti, Curtis M LTG DOM DJS; Tidd, Kurt W VADM JCS J3 Front Office; Wolff, Terry LTG JCS DJS; Rock, Anthony I Mai Gen JCS J5 VDI5; Roberson, Darryl L Maj Gen JCS J3 VDJ3; Nagata, Michael MG JCS J37; (b)(6)
 NMCC NJOIC Deputy Battle Captain JCS; (b)(6) (b)(6)
 USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(3); U.S.C. § 1306 (b)(6)
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 (b)(6) (b)(6) NJOIC Battle Captain JCS J-3; Lietzau, William K SES OSD POLICY; OPS Team
 OSD LNO JCS J-3; (b)(6) SD; (b)(6)
 OVCJCS; (b)(6) J3 DDO_ADDO
 Subject: Detainee Human Remains Movement Operation (DHRMO) (b)(6)

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Chairman, Vice Chairman, General Kelly,

On Sunday 9 SEP 2012, DepSecDef Carter signed the Authorization of Detainee Human Remains Movement Order (DHRMO) to Yemen in care of Adnan Farhan Abd Al-Latif (b)(1),Sec. 1.4 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec. 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g) M-000156DP).

(b)(1),Sec. 1.4 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec. 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g)

At 1527 EDT, the National Military Command Center (NMCC) received the DepSecDef Authorization Memorandum and recalled the J-37 Detainee Movement Action Officer.

At 1707 EDT 9 SEP, the NMCC convened a DHRMO Conference Call with the following Command Centers:

SOUTHCOM For Execution
 TRANSCOM For Execution
 EUCOM For Execution
 CENTCOM For Execution
 DDOC For Execution
 AFRICOM For Situational Awareness
 NORTHCOM For Situational Awareness

(b)(1),Sec. 1.4 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec. 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g)

Will keep ALCON informed as the mission progresses.

VR/

(b)(6)

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

From: (b)(6)

Sent: Sunday, September 09, 2012 1:09 AM

To: Roberson, Darryl L Maj Gen JCS J3 VDJ3

Cc: SC JOC CPT (H); SC JOC OPS (H); J-37 Detainee Affairs; Nagata, Michael MG JCS J37; (b)(6)

(b)(6) NMCC NJOIC Deputy Battle Captain JCS (b)(6)

(b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H): (b)(3);10 U.S.C. § 1306;(b)(6)

(b)(3);10 U.S.C. § 1306;(b)(6) (b)(6) OSD POLICY; (b)(6)

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(b)(6) AMC 618 TACC/XOOO; (b)(6) AMC/A7SOC; USTCJ3-W

SOUTH; (b)(6) (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6)

(b)(6) (b)(6)

(b)(6) NJOIC Battle Captain JCS

J-3; J3 DDOs

Subject: Detainee Human Remains Movement Operation (DHRMO) (b)(6) GENADMIN Message Released
 DTG 090356Z Sep 12

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(b)(1),Sec. 1.4
 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec.
 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g)

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Maj Gen Roberson,

GENADMIN Message released DTG 090356Z Sep 12. Awaiting DepSecDef authorization tomorrow mid-morning and VOCO to execute DHRMO in the early afternoon. (b)(6) will be the J-37 Detainee Affairs rep tomorrow.

v/r

(b)(6)

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

From: (b)(6)

Sent: Saturday, September 08, 2012 9:05 PM

To: (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(3):10 U.S.C. § 1306.(b)(6)

(b)(3):10 U.S.C. § 1306.(b)(6)

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AMC/A7SOC; USTCJ3-W

SOUTH: (b)(6)

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USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H);

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Cc: SC JOC CPT (H); SC JOC OPS (H); J-37 Detainee Affairs

Subject: Please Review Draft Message

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All,

Message for your review. Please submit inputs to me NLT 2230L / 0230Z. If you have no changes, please respond with "No changes."

Request feedback from USSOUTHCOM (one response for all offices), JTF GTMO. OSD has already provided feedback.

v/r

(b)(6)

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(b)(1),Sec. 1.4
 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec.
 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g)

DDO DHRMO [] VOCO
 10 SEPT 2012

Call made on Red Switch to:
 SOUTHCOM – for Execution
 USTRANSCOM – for Execution
 DDOC (80-571-6841) – for Execution
 USEUCOM – for Execution
 USCENTCOM-for Execution
 USAFRICOM-for Situational Awareness
 USNORTHCOM – for Situational Awareness

“This is **XXX XXXXX**, the Joint Staff Deputy Director for Operations in the
 National Military Command Center. I am calling in regards to Detainee

Human Remains Movement Operation (DHRMO []) You are authorized to

(b)(1),Sec. 1.4
 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec.
 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g)

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 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec.
 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g)

execute DHRMO [] on or about 10 SEPT 2012 with the following
 directives:

**1. Transfer 1 detainee from Guantanamo Bay to the custody and
 control of the Government of the Republic of Yemen. Prepare to copy
 ISN.**

(b)(1),Sec. 1.4
 (a),Sec. 1.4 (b),Sec.
 1.4 (d),Sec. 1.4 (g)

[] YM-000156DP

ABD AL-LATIF, ADNAN FARHAN

Acknowledge!

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From: (b)(6) OSD POLICY
To: (b)(6) OSD POLICY; (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6)
 (b)(6) J-37 Detainee Affairs; (b)(6)
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Cc: SC JOC CPT (H); SC JOC OPS (H); (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6)
 USAF USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H)
Subject: RE: Status Update (S//NF) (S//NF) (S)
Date: Monday, September 10, 2012 11:47:51 AM

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+ USTC, GTMO, and OSD OPS

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

From: (b)(6) OSD POLICY
Sent: Monday, September 10, 2012 11:30 AM
To: (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6) J-37 Detainee Affairs
Cc: SC JOC CPT (H); SC JOC OPS (H); (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6)
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ALCON,

GOY just confirmed that they are ready to proceed with the transfer and would like us to initiate the mission immediately.

In addition, we have a few new requirements (APACS/funding) which USTC is already tracking.

V/r,

Mike

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

From: (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H) [mailto:(b)(6)]
Sent: Monday, September 10, 2012 10:58 AM
To: (b)(6) J-37 Detainee Affairs
Cc: SC JOC CPT (H); SC JOC OPS (H); (b)(6) OSD POLICY; (b)(6)
 USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6)
 (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H)
Subject: RE: Status Update (S//NF) (S//NF) (S)

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(b)(6)
 SOUTHCOM is not in receipt of the VOCO for DHRMO
 Please confirm that it has not been accomplished.

I have been given a time of 1707L on 9 Sep 12 as the time it took place. I've attached an email that I believe may have caused the confusion. It does not say that the VOCO was accomplished. Additionally, the normal protocol of sending the script and time for VOCO has not been followed. Understand that in the compressed timeline things may be accomplished differently but our JOC did not receive a VOCO yesterday and therefore the VOCO to JTF-GTMO has not been passed yet.

I know the timeline is shifting to the right but this is an important piece of the process in order to go wheels up. Please advise...

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GTMO Detainee Operations Analyst

(b)(6)

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

From: (b)(6)

Sent: Sunday, September 09, 2012 5:28 PM

To: (b)(6) OSD POLICY; (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6)

(b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); J-37 Detainee Affairs; OSD Watch, OSD-POLICY; (b)(6)

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All:

The DDO has completed the VOCO for the mission. The mission authorized movement on or about 10 SEPT (+/- 2 days).

V/R,

(b)(6)

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

From: (b)(6) OSD POLICY [mailto:(b)(6)]

Sent: Sunday, September 09, 2012 5:15 PM

To: (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); (b)(6) USSOUTHCOM/SCJ3 (H); J-

37 Detainee Affairs; OSD Watch, OSD-POLICY; (b)(6)

(b)(6)

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All,

As of 1700 - the following is the status of the proposed transfer.

1. DSD authorized the mission and I send out the signed paperwork to all involved.
2. The Government of Yemen has not yet agreed to accept the remains. DASD Lietzau and I have worked this issue for the last 8 hours to no avail. Therefore, it is highly likely (read nearly certain) that the mission will slide to the right.
3. Its night time in Yemen currently, so it's likely that we will not have a decision until sometime tomorrow.
4. I am leaving the Pentagon and heading home since I don't think that I can do anything constructive at this point. If the Yemenis change their minds about accepting the body, I will notify the OSD LNO in the NMCC. I trust that they will disseminate the information to the appropriate parties.
5. If you need to reach me (b)(6)

6. Thanks so much for everyone's help. Sorry that we could not pull Yemen around in time.

V/r,

(b)(6)

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