

**CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION TASK FORCE (CITF)
REPORT OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY**

1. DATE OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY 10 Jun 06	2. PLACE GUANTANAMO BAY , Cuba	3. ACTIVITY NUMBER (b)(2)
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4. REMARKS

Witness Interview of:

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(~~FOUO/LES~~) On 10JUN06, at approximately 0403 hrs, Master at Arms (MA) Second Class(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) USN was interviewed within a break room at Camp Delta, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. The interview was conducted by Reporting Agent (RA), Special Agent (SA) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF), Guantanamo Bay Cuba.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) (b)(3) (b)(6) is currently assigned to 7.0 Bravo Company and is a block guard at Camp One, Alpha block. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) Alpha block has 29 detainees and five Military Police officers. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) Camp One, Alpha block is a compliant block.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) RA asked (b)(3) (b)(6) to describe the events that transpired in Camp One on 10JUN06. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained the night was calm and the detainees in Camp One, Alpha block started chanting. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) the detainee's were singing different songs. A detainee in cell number (b) explained the other detainee's were chanting Taliban songs and stated, "kill them all, kill them all, the Americans". The guards called for a translator to come over to Alpha block and translate what the detainee's were singing. An interpreter from (b)(2) came over to Alpha block and listened to the detainee's chanting. The unidentified translator explained to the guards the detainee's were simply singing. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) left Alpha block at around 2300hrs, to go eat. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) he and (b)(3) (b)(6) were gone for approximately forty five minutes. Shortly before 1200 hrs (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) returned to Alpha block. At this time (b)(3) (b)(6) was "walking the block" and was going to be relieved by (b)(3) (b)(6). According to (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) wanted to take (b)(3) (b)(6) shift. Some time after 1200 hrs (b)(3) (b)(6) took over the block watch. (b)(3) (b)(6) was unsure how long (b)(3) (b)(6) was walking the block.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) According to (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) noticed something suspicious on Alpha block, cell number 8 during the course of his shift. (b)(3) (b)(6) left Alpha block and went into the NCO's office to get (b)(3) (b)(6). According to (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) asked (b)(3) (b)(6) to come and look at something "fishy" on the block. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) went over to cell number 8 which was occupied by Internment Serial Number (b)(2) 000093. (b)(3) (b)(6) witnessed what appeared to be a small torso under the blanket. (b)(3) (b)(6) could not see the head or feet which were covered up by the blanket. (b)(3) (b)(6) called for the detainee to wake up but did not get a response. (b)(3) (b)(6) also noticed a blanket hanging in the corner of the cell. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) detainees are allowed to hang sheets up to dry in the cells. (b)(3) (b)(6) again called out for the detainee but got no response. This was after 1200hrs and (b)(3) (b)(6) believed the time may have been 1230hrs. (b)(3) (b)(6) and (b)(3) (b)(6) were the "primary ERF team" (Emergency Removal Force) on Alpha block.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) both went back to the NCO's office and told the NCO, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(2) (b)(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) went back to Alpha block cell number 8 and started calling for the detainee in cell number 8 to wake up. At this time other detainee's on the cell block were saying, "shut up, shut up" to (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) explained the detainees get upset at night if the guards make any kind of noise. (b)(3) (b)(6) opened the cell, pulled the blanket back and jumped back. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained (b)(3) (b)(6) went to pull the hand from under the blanket but ISN 093 was not there. There was a make shift body which consisted of toilet paper and other items form the cell. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained he called (b)(3) (b)(6) over for help. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained he

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was fearful of entering the cell because of "snowballing" (term used to describe detainees throwing items at guards). (b)(3) (b)(6) reopened the cell and the three person team, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) entered the cell and cautiously approached the blanket hanging in the corner of the cell. (b)(3) (b)(6) was outside of the cell at this time. (b)(3) (b)(6) did not recall who pulled the blanket down from the cell. Once the blanket was removed from the wall (b)(3) (b)(6) witnessed a detainee ISN 093 hanging from the cell ceiling. The detainee had a tightly wrapped sheet around his face, neck and a "wad of sheet in his mouth". (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled someone other than himself lifted ISN 093 from the dangling sheet. (b)(3) (b)(6) cut the sheet and managed to get ISN 093 down from the ceiling. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) laid ISN 093 down. (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled observing ISN 093's fingers as being blue and SN 093 appeared to be dead. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated, "I knew he was dead". (b)(3) (b)(6) attempted to get the sheet out of ISN 093's mouth. At this point the rest of the detainees on the cell block became loud. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) "the block went crazy". A medical board/stretcher was brought for ISN 093 and (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled medical being called for but never showed up. All three guards placed ISN 093 onto the board and ran to medical. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained not waiting for medical is not the normal procedure but due to medical not arriving on scene ISN 093 was rushed to the hospital.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) expanded on the condition of the cell and explained numerous items were placed under the blanket. A sheet was hanging from the cell mesh and it was reportedly hard to see into the cell because of rugs and other items hanging inside the cell. (b)(3) (b)(6) commented on the blanket that was hanging from the cell mesh and stated, "they are allowed to do a lot of things that led to this. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) the detainees have not had the opportunity for recreation in recent days so the detainees would use water bottles to wash the sheets and hang the sheets to dry.

(FOUO/LES) Upon (b)(3) (b)(6) returning from the hospital to Alpha block he noticed people were all over the cell blocks and noticed there was a problem with Alpha block cells number 12 and 5. (b)(3) (b)(6) recalls being a member of all three entry teams into the cells. (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled entering cell number 5 but can't recall cell number 12 because so much was happening and the "adrenaline" was taking over. RA asked MA2 HUNT if he could describe what he observed in cell number 5. (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled entering cell five and observing the "same thing" a blanket was hanging from the ceiling. (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled yanking the blanket and noticed it was hard. (b)(3) (b)(6) described the blanket finally falling and lifting the detainee's torso to the ground. When asked to identify the detainee in cell number 5, (b)(3) (b)(6) thought the detainee's ISN was 693. (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled (b)(2) (b)(7) the detainee's legs and noticed the detainee was cold to the touch. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained he knew the detainee was "gone" because he smelled feces. (b)(3) (b)(6) helped put the detainee on the ground and onto a backboard. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) someone else took the detainee to the hospital. (b)(3) (b)(6) again reiterated "medical never showed up, it seemed like they didn't know what was going on". (b)(3) (b)(6) described vomiting after the series of events and after all three detainees were removed to the hospital.

(FOUO/LES) RA asked (b)(3) (b)(6) to describe the sequence of cell entries. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained they first went into cell number 8 then number 12 and finally number 5. (b)(3) (b)(6) could not recall going into cell 12 and stated, "I think I might have". (b)(3) (b)(6) again described the adrenaline rush he felt as the series of events took place. RA asked (b)(3) (b)(6) how long it took to remove all detainees to medical. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) it was under 30 minutes for the complete removal of the detainees. RA asked (b)(3) (b)(6) if any of the other detainees were making statements when the commotion was ongoing. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained other detainees were asking "what happened? what happened to my brother Yousef?". RA asked (b)(3) (b)(6) if any one was on the hunger strike. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained the only detainee who was on the hunger strike was the detainee in cell block 1. RA asked (b)(3) (b)(6) if he observed anything that seemed unusual or suspicious about the other detainees. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained the detainee in cell number 48 is very friendly and would always talk to the guards and warn them about things that are about to happen but on 09JUN06, he was extremely quiet. (b)(3) (b)(6) found this to be very suspicious. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated, "he is friendly but not tonight". According to (b)(3) (b)(6) he just laid in his rack. RA asked (b)(3) (b)(6) to provide a sketch of the cell block and identify the cells where the suicides took place. (b)(3) (b)(6) provided a sketch of the Alpha block. (b)(3) (b)(6) appeared shocked and surprised while talking about the events that took place on 10JUN06. At approximately 0450hrs, the interview ended and (b)(3) (b)(6) was released back to his command.

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Witness Interview of: (UNK) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

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(~~FOUO/LES~~) On 10 Jun 06, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) Joint Task Force, Guantanamo Bay (GTMO), Cuba, was interviewed by Special Agent (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF-GTMO) and provided the following information:

(~~FOUO/LES~~) She was on duty at the time of the three detainee's deaths and was actually involved in assisting her team mates in removing YASIR TALAL ABDALLAH AL ZHRANI (b)(2) -000093DP), herein referred to as ISN 093 from his cell after he apparently hung himself. She was also present when two other detainees were discovered hanging in their cells and was instrumental in removing these individuals and seeing that they were transported to the detainee medical clinic for medical treatment.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) (b)(3) advised she arrived for duty at approximately 1715, 9 Jun 06 and was schedule for duty until 0600, 10 Jun 06, as a guard for Squad 1, Platoon 2, at Alpha block, Camp 1. Those duties included patrolling the detention block to insure the safety and welfare of the detainees and guards on duty.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) While on duty Friday night, she recalled the detainees singing and chanting in their native language and she recalled a translator being summoned to the block to interpret/translate what the detainees were saying. It was her understanding they were chanting words such as killing Americans.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) She went to dinner and returned to duty about 0040, 10 Jun 06 and shortly thereafter (approximately 0043) she called in a self initiated threat to one of the detainees, commonly referred to as a (b)(2). This was based on a walk through of the block to check on the detainees with the (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C). (b)(3) (b)(6) was unable to see ISN 093 on his bed in cell 8 and attempted to walk around at different angles of the cell looking for ISN 93. He summoned (b)(3) to assist in inspecting the cell because a blanket and a sheet was hanging in the cell and degrading their view. (b)(3) thought the detainee may be on his bed, but was uncertain and attempted to remove a covering lying on the bed. While the exterior of the cell was being inspected, she obtained the (b)(2) from the forward guard shack and brought it to the cell. This is a normal procedure in the event of an unusual situation and provides the guards with items that assist in helping and/or restricting the movement of a detainee in his cell. She advised the (b)(2) (b)(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) entered cell 8 and found ISN 93 hanging in his cell. (b)(3) grabbed ISN 093 by the legs to hold him up and release the pressure on the neck while (b)(3) cut him down. ISN 93 was then taken from his cell and placed on the floor where she put on leg and arm restraints. (b)(3) (b)(6) (NFI) brought in a back board and ISN 93 was placed on the board and carried to the detainee clinic by her (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) and (b)(3) (b)(6) (NFI). She stated that while all this was taking place, the detainee clinic was notified of this incident and that ISN 93 was enroute to the clinic.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) (b)(3) stated that ISN 93 had apparently hung himself using the hem or some part of the bed sheet which had been torn or separated from the sheet and then twisted or braided and then tied to the highest portion of the cell. He also apparently tied his wrists (b)(2) of the sheet as well as used part of the sheet as a mask around his ears and forehead. At the time of his removal from the cell, that material found on him remained with the body when ISN 93 was taken to the clinic. (b)(3) further advised that (b)(2) which is next to and left of

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ISN 93 was not being used at the time of this incident.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) stated a walk through of the block is conducted every 30 minutes and stated she walked through the cell block with her Platoon Leader at 2300-2330 and all detainees were sleeping at the time. Also, there are two sets of lights in Alpha block but at night, one set is turned off. The lights on the side where ISN 93 resided were turned off, decreasing vision to the cells on that side of the block. She stated Alpha block can contain (b)(2)

(b)(2) The last part of the block is empty. There are five guards on duty for this cell block including herself, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) related that their have been a number of (b)(2) incidents since the May 19th incident (disturbance in Camp 4) and that new procedures are in place to include verifying that self-harm incidents to detainees are carefully verified and that the guard force is not putting themselves in harms-way when entering the cells.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) stated that as they were taking ISN 93 to the clinic, the SOG, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) and Platoon leader (b)(3) (NFI), came to Alpha block and told her they would cover for her and her team while they took ISN 93 to the clinic. When she came back, she heard another detainee (ISN 588) in cell 12 had been found hanging and she used her keys to let them in. She does not know who cut the detainee down, but she removed the

(b)(2) She observed that the situation appeared to be the same, but that detainee ISN 588 did not (b)(2) All items found with the detainee and taken (b)(2) remained with the detainee when he was removed to the clinic. While handling the incident, she was called to bring shears to cell 5 (ISN 693) and she had to go to (b)(2) to obtain the shears. When she returned, the cell had already been opened and individuals were working on ISN 693. She did not see anything as ISN 693 was already on the floor and the best that she could recall was that soldiers from Escort may have taken ISN 693 to the clinic.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) stated that after these three incidents, they had the detainees remove all items from the cell (b)(2) She was uncertain as to the time she was actually relieved.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) advised that she (b)(3) (b)(6) normally work the block together and have done so for the past three weeks. She is not really familiar with the other members of the Alpha block team.

(FOUO/LES) In conclusion (b)(3) (b)(6) provided the following information about her and stated she had been at GTMO for approximately eight months, arriving in Oct 05 and departing after a one year assignment in Oct 06. She transferred from Okinawa, Japan and will be reassigned to Rota, Spain. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

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(e) On 10 Jun 06, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) Joint Task Force - Navy Expeditionary Guard Battalion (JTF-NEGB), was interviewed by (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) CITF, at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. (b)(3) (b)(6) is a military guard assigned to Alpha block, where three detainees were discovered hanging by the neck in their cells in the early morning hours of 10 Jun 06. The detainees were identified as Yasser Tala AL ZAHRANI, (b)(2) -000093DP (ISN 93), cell A8; Mana Shaman Allabard AL TABI, (b)(2) -000588DP (ISN 588), cell A12; and Ali Abdullah AHMED, (b)(2) -000693DP (ISN 693), cell A5.

(e) (b)(3) (b)(6) reported to work between 1730 - 1740 on Friday, 9 Jun 06. The shift consisted of (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) names unknown, last name begins with a "T", (b)(3) (b)(6) and (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C). At 1745, a head count of all (b) detainees assigned to Alpha block had already been accomplished and all were accounted. (b)(3) (b)(6) participated in passing out water to the detainees and noted that everyone seemed fine. Between 1830 - 1900, (b)(3) (b)(6) assisted in the distribution of dinner, handling the right side of the block (b)(2) due to the disruptive nature of the detainee in (b)(2) towards women (b)(3) (b)(6) distributed dinner to the detainees on the left side of the block, (b)(2). After dinner, the prayer call went down and the detainees began to pray for thirty minutes to one hour. The majority of the detainees began singing around 2030 - 2100; some detainees did not participate in the singing. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) a linguist had listened to the singing from (b)(2) block and said there was nothing to worry about, the detainees were just singing. The singing went on for awhile which (b)(3) (b)(6) said was not normal. (b)(3) (b)(6) asked the detainee in cell (b)(2) what the group was singing about. The detainee said he did not know and that he only understood their curse words. After the singing, the detainees in Alpha block were real quiet. (b)(3) (b)(6) said it was difficult to determine the mood of the detainees although he did say he believed there was "strong emotion."

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) mopped the tier and took watch by himself for the (b)(2) shift. All the detainees were awake and the last prayer call occurred at 2200. (b)(3) (b)(6) went to eat dinner at 2300 and returned to the block around 2345 - 0000 after handling administrative leave issues. (b)(3) (b)(6) wanted to take a break later in his shift to finish his leave issues so he entered Alpha block around 0036-0037 to take over that half-hour shift, enabling him to finish his leave issues later that morning. (b)(3) (b)(6) had already started the walk-around and was halfway down the right side of the cell block. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) in the middle and walked back to the entrance with him as he left. (b)(3) (b)(6) then began the walk-through by starting again on the right hand side of the block, (b)(2) and working all the way down the right hand side to the last cell on the right, (b)(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) said he took his time by looking in each occupied cell and making sure he could at least see the detainee's chest moving while breathing. (Agent's note: During sleep hours, only one side of the block is illuminated with overhead lights. On this night, the right side overhead lights were turned on and the left side of the block was in darkness).

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) made the following observations from his walk-through: The detainee in (b)() was sitting up, looking up with his hands on the mesh wall and wearing a blanket on his head. When he saw (b)(3) (b)(6) he removed the blanket from his head but made no comment. The detainee in (b)(2) was awake in his cell but made no verbal exchange. The detainee in (b)(), an older man, sometimes lay on his stomach while sleeping and (b)(3) (b)(6) remained at the cell a little longer than usual to ensure the detainee was breathing normally. (b)(7)(C)

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(FOUO/LES) When (b)(3) (b)(6) arrived at cell A25, he noted the detainee had his blanket covering his head while sleeping. (b)(3) (b)(6) knocked on the bean hole quietly and said, (b)(2) The detainee in cell (b)(2) awoke and asked "Is it talky talky time?" (b)(3) (b)(6) said it was not but he needed the detainee to keep the blanket off his head while he was sleeping. The detainee said, "Sorry, MP" and went back to sleep. (Agent's note: (b)(3) (b)(6) stated the detainee in (b)(2) had been involved in a minor assault earlier in the day, on 9 Jun 06. The detainee yelled at (b)(3) (b)(6) and a medical troop saying, "You bastards, I'll kick you asses, stupid Americans." The detainee apparently did this because he wanted his Ensure drinks. He later apologized for his actions).

(S) (b)(3) (b)(6) continued the walk-through by working the left hand side of the block, starting at cell (b)(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) arrived at cell A8 (ISN 93) around 0040-0045. Looking into the cell, he noticed ISN 93's green mattress was rolled up to the front of the cell on top of the bunk, limiting the view inside the cell. Leaning to one side, MA3 LOPEZ was able to see the silhouette of a body on the bunk of the cell (bump at top, torso and separated legs). However, the silhouette did not look normal to him and looked like a small person, much smaller than ISN 93. (b)(3) (b)(6) also noticed the detainee's blue blanket hanging in the left corner in front of the sink area, attached to the back window and the cell wall next door (b)(2) This was not unusual as he had previously seen ISN 93 washing the blanket around dinner time with a water bottle and hanging the blanket up to dry. MA3 LOPEZ banged on the bean hole but there was no answer. (b)(3) (b)(6) then noticed a white sheet hanging on the mesh wall inside cell A8 blocking the view from Cell (b)(1) This was unusual as (b)(3) (b)(6) had not seen a white sheet hung up like this earlier in the day. When (b)(3) (b)(6) saw the white sheet hanging up he felt something was wrong and whispered, "Fuck." (b)(3) (b)(3) left the block at a fast walk and returned with (b)(3) to look at the cell. They both agreed the silhouette on the bunk did not look normal. They banged on the bean hole again, saying, "Hey, A8?" There was no response. They banged again, saying, "Number 8? Number 8!" There was no response. At this time, some of the detainees had awoke from the noise and were saying, "Shhh! Quiet!"

(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) noticed the Sergeant of the Guard (SOG), (b)(3) (b)(6) (first name unknown), walking past the entrance of Alpha block. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) from the guard shack and they all approached cell A8. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) they could not awaken the detainee in A8 and there was something odd about the set-up of the cell. The guards could not see anything from either side of the cell. (b)(3) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) decided to drop the bean hole and pull the blanket off the "body" on the bunk. When the blanket was pulled off the bed, they saw linens had been lined on the bunk in the shape of a body; they did not see ISN 93.

(FOUO/LES) Joining the group was (b)(3) (b)(6) who came into the block with (b)(2) prepared for a possible self-harm situation. (b)(3) suggested someone go outside and check through the back window. (b)(3) (b)(6) (first name unknown) had also joined the group from the sally port and went to check the cell from the outside. Upon seeing the back of the cell, (b)(3) (b)(6) yelled out "He's hanging! He's hanging! Get him down!"

(C) The cell door was opened and (b)(3) pulled the blue blanket down. ISN 93 was hanging in the corner of the cell by a white sheet which was wrapped around his head lengthwise and around his forehead. (b)(3) (b)(6) picked up ISN 93's body to loosen the slack on the sheet and (b)(3) (b)(6) cut the sheet with a pair of scissors. (b)(3) (b)(6) noted ISN 93 had urinated and his fingers and feet were tinged blue. ISN 93 was placed on the tier floor and (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) rushed to get a stretcher from outside the cell block. When they returned to Alpha block, ISN 93 was in the middle of the tier floor with (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (first name unknown) and various, unknown members of an escort team which had arrived on-scene. (b)(3) (b)(6) tried to check for a pulse and also tried to remove the sheet that was lodged down ISN 93's throat but was unsuccessful. (Agent's Note: (b)(3) (b)(6) stated that during this time there was a lot of cross-talk and arrival of personnel and he remembers someone shouting to open the sally ports. (b)(3) (b)(3) did not recall when or if the lights on the left side of Alpha block were turned on).

(C) ISN 93 was placed on a stretcher with (b)(3) (b)(6) maintaining control over ISN 93's head. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

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carried the stretcher out of Alpha block along with (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) ISN 93 was carried to the medical clinic around the corner and (b)(3) (b)(6) banged on the door. They entered the clinic yelling, "Get up (b)(2) (Agent's Note: (b)(3) (b)(6) stated (b)(2) was code for a self-harm situation). They carried ISN 93 into the clinic (with the hanging contraption still affixed to his head) as medical personnel were getting up and putting on their coats. They were instructed to place ISN 93 on another stretcher and were told by a corpsman to leave. (b)(3) (b)(6) threw his latex gloves into a trash can on the way out of the medical clinic. (Agent's Note: (b)(3) (b)(6) did not believe the medical personnel were aware they were coming).

(E) Once outside (b)(3) (b)(6) heard guards shouting, (b)(2) "We've got another one!" (b)(3) (b)(6) began running back to Alpha block. In the sally port, (b)(3) (b)(6) met up with an unknown Warrant Officer and Assistant Officer-In-Charge (AOIC) who yelled, "Come on!" They grabbed two stretchers and heard more guards shouting out "Alpha! Alpha! Alpha!" (b)(3) (b)(6) entered Alpha block and saw a number of MPs (military police) at cell A5. They brought ISN 693 out of the cell and attempted to undo the contraption around his face and throat. (b)(3) (b)(3) handed a member of the escort team a stretcher and was provided gloves by (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(3) (b)(6) put the gloves on, assisted placing ISN 693 onto the stretcher, and carried him out of Alpha block to the medical clinic.

(S) Upon arrival at the medical clinic, (b)(3) (b)(6) saw doctors performing CPR on ISN 93 with chest pumps and electric shock. They entered the clinic with ISN 693 and were told to place him in the last room on another bed. While still in the medical clinic, MPs entered with the third detainee, who (b)(3) (b)(6) believed was in cell A12. (b)(3) (b)(3) did not have any involvement with the team that discovered and brought the detainee from cell A12 to the medical clinic.) After ISN 693 was secured at the medical clinic, (b)(3) (b)(6) left the clinic and returned to Alpha block.

(G) Back at Alpha block, many of the guards were very emotional. (b)(3) (b)(6) was really upset and was crying. (b)(3) (b)(6) said he was very emotional himself but tried to pull himself together for the sake of the rest of the team. The detainees inside Alpha block did not say anything. (b)(3) (b)(6) noticed the detainee in (b)(2) had a look on his face that (b)(3) (b)(6) described as "distracted"; a "I can't believe he did that" type of look. The mood in the block was somber. (b)(3) (b)(6) thought back to the singing and chanting that occurred earlier (Friday, 9 Jun 06), around 2030 - 2100 and wondered if the group had been saying goodbye to their fellow detainees.

(E) (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled his interactions with the detainees in A5 and A8 earlier in his shift (9 Jun 06). When (b)(3) (b)(3) distributed dinner to ISN 693 (A5), he asked (b)(3) (b)(6) to give him eight apples. (b)(3) (b)(6) said he would give him one apple (normal ration). That type of banter was usual from ISN 693. (b)(3) (b)(6) noted ISN 93 (A8) did not eat dinner on 9 Jun 06. He was very somber when (b)(3) (b)(6) gave him his milk.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) also recalled the detainee in cell (b)() was usually very funny and always joking around and talkative. During (b)(3) (b)(6) shift on 9 -10 Jun 06, the detainee was very quiet, even during the singing. (b)(3) (b)(3) remembered the detainee in (b)(2) was also very quiet on the day of the detainee riots in May 06. At the time, (b)(3) (b)(6) attributed the block's somber mood and non-combative attitude for the last few days to the rainy environment.

(FOUO/LES) After the incidents, all detainees were instructed to pull down any sheets or bed hangings from the walls. (b)(3) (b)(6) spoke with (b)(3) (b)(6) who told him to keep his head up. (b)(3) (b)(6) said he spoke with a detainee on (b)() block who asked what happened tonight? When (b)(3) (b)(6) said he did not know, the detainee said, "I know. I know who it was too."

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) said he believed the ISN 93 might have died sometime while he was at dinner, between 2300 - 0000, because ISN 93's fingers and feet were tinged slightly blue. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) had the watch between 0000 - 0030.

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**CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION TASK FORCE (CITF)
REPORT OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY**

1. DATE OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY 10 Jun 06	2. PLACE Information Operations Facility, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba	3. ACTIVITY NUMBER (b)(2)
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4. REMARKS

Witness Interview of: (UNK) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

~~(FOUO//LES)~~ On 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF), interviewed of (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) USN, NON-PO, Joint Detention Group, Joint Task Force, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba at the Information Operations Facility aboard U.S. Naval Station Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) The interview was conducted in an effort to obtain amplifying information surrounding the apparent suicide of three detainees occurring on 10 Jun 06, at approximately 0030 a.m., within Alpha block, Camp Delta, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

~~(FOUO//LES)~~ During the interview, (b)(3) (b)(6) related he has been assigned to the Joint Task Force since 05 Oct 05, with a rotation date of 05 Oct 06. (b)(3) (b)(6) said that on the evening of 09 Jun 06, he was assigned to perform guard duty on Alpha Block, within Camp Delta, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained his responsibility entailed conducting routine security checks along the cell corridor of Alpha Block, and otherwise helping maintain the general welfare of the detainees housed within.

~~(FOUO//LES)~~ (b)(3) explained he started his shift at approximately 1745 by reporting for Guard Mount. (b)(3) (b)(6) related that while at Guard Mount, (b)(3) (b)(6) the Watch Coordinator, advised him he would be assigned guard duty within Alpha Block, Camp 1, within Camp Delta. (b)(3) stated that after receiving his instructions with respect to where he was assigned, he proceeded to Camp 1 wherein he subsequently relieved the guards assigned to the previous shift. (b)(3) (b)(6) said his shift officially started at approximately 1800.

~~(FOUO//LES)~~ (b)(3) (b)(6) stated the beginning portion of his shift passed in a routine fashion, meaning that he conducted his duties in similar fashion as he had done time and again. (b)(3) (b)(6) said there was nothing that stood out abnormally as far as the detainee dynamics on the block were concerned. (b)(3) added, that since there was not any recreation scheduled for the day, he passed most of the early portion of his shift conducting walkthroughs up and down the block corridor.

~~(FOUO//LES)~~ (b)(3) (b)(6) continued to explain the only increase in detainee activity occurred at approximately 1945, when the detainees on the block began chanting. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained detainees housed within the blocks periodically chant in unison and otherwise sing songs which he described as being anti American. When asked how he was able to tell the songs were anti American in nature, (b)(3) (b)(6) answered he heard English words like "Allah Akbar, Zargawi, America, and Cuba" littered within the song; consequently causing him to ask a detainee (Internment Serial Number (b)(2), (b)(6)) about the song's meaning. According to (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(6) explained the song was an old Talib song, sung in remembrance of the Taliban and Afghanistan. (b)(3) (b)(6) related that despite the explanation given by (b)(6) he still speculated the purpose of the song was more about disparaging the United States and frustrating the guards on the block than anything else. Nevertheless, (b)(3) (b)(6) said the chanting continued until approximately 2100, wherein it was essentially interrupted by the call to Prayer. (b)(3) said, following the last call to Prayer, the chanting resumed for approximately fifteen minutes before ultimately stopping with most of the detainees turning in for bed.

~~(FOUO//LES)~~ (b)(3) (b)(6) maintained that during the next few hours, he continued his security checks until approximately 0035, when he left the block to eat his meal and otherwise take a break. (b)(3) (b)(6) said walked from Camp 1, to just outside of the Joint Detention Group (JDG) office, where he proceeded to take a "dip" of smokeless tobacco. (b)(3) (b)(6) said that shortly after arriving outside the JDG office, he observed (b)(3) (b)(6) running towards

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his location, screaming "someone is hanging." (b)(3) (b)(6) said that after (b)(3) (b)(6) told him to return to Alpha Block, he immediately ran there and joined with (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

(FOUO//LES) (b)(3) said that upon arriving and placing his surgical gloves on, he observed (b)(3) attempt to remove a noose from around detainee Alpha 8's neck. (b)(3) said he also observed what appeared to be white (b)(2) (b)(3) continued to explain that although (b)(3) tried to remove (b)(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(2)

(FOUO//LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) related that after someone arrived at their location with a backboard, he assisted in strapping the detainee to it, and in carrying Alpha 8 to the Detainee Medical clinic. (b)(3) (b)(6) said he was only at the clinic for a few minutes before he was advised to return to the cell block.

(FOUO//LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) said that moments after arriving back at Alpha block; he noticed (b)(3) (b)(6) standing near the cell door of detainee Alpha 12, attempting to get Alpha 12's attention by calling out Alpha 12's number. After not receiving an answer from Alpha 12, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) join him at Alpha 12's cell and help verify Alpha 12's welfare. (b)(3) explained however, that after joining (b)(3) (b)(6) and attempting a few times to elicit a response from Alpha 12, he attempted to peer into the cell and obtain a visual on the detainee's condition.

(b)(3) (b)(6) said because his field of vision was obstructed, he ran from the block, to the back of the adjacent Recreation yard to obtain a better field of vision. (b)(3) (b)(6) said that after arriving at the back of the recreation area and peeking through a window gap near Alpha 12's cell, he was only able to make out what appeared to be Alpha 12's hands, noting however, that due to the hands appearing to be hanging higher than normal, he suspected Alpha 12 was actually suspended within his cell. Consequently, (b)(3) said he yelled (b)(2) in an attempt to alert the other guard personnel of another suicide attempt, and ran back to Alpha block.

(FOUO//LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) explained that once inside the block, he immediately went to Alpha 12's cell and observed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) tending to Alpha 12. (b)(3) (b)(6) said he watched (b)(3) cut the ligature and remove Alpha 12 from his suspension. (b)(3) (b)(6) remarked that just like Alpha 8, he noted Alpha 12 had also appeared to have a shirt around his head, covering his mouth. (b)(3) (b)(6) continued to explain that after restraining Alpha 12 to another backboard, he assisted (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) escort Alpha 12 to the medical clinic.

(b)(3) (b)(6) said that after escorting Alpha 12 to clinic and subsequently leaving him under the care of the medical personnel, he started his return to Alpha block. (b)(3) (b)(6) explained however, that while en route to the block, he observed (b)(3) (b)(6) and other guard personnel (NFI) carrying Alpha 5 to the clinic.

(FOUO//LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) asserted that upon arriving back on Alpha block, he and (b)(3) (b)(6) proceeded to walk the block and advise all the remaining detainees to remove any articles they might have had hanging from their cells, fold up their belongings, and place everything in a sack near the back of their cells. (b)(3) said he then grabbed a clipboard and conducted a roll call of the detainees in an attempt to ensure they had accounted for everybody. (b)(3) (b)(6) continued to explain that once roll call was complete, he was advised to report to the JDG office wherein he would prepare a report of the incident. (b)(3) (b)(6) said however that prior to finishing his report, he was instructed to simply wait within the JDG conference room, where he was told someone would come and interview him.

(FOUO//LES) When asked if he could recall any additional information, (b)(3) (b)(6) added that the only thing he could recall that appeared out of the ordinary for the day; was a DIMS (Detainee Information Management System) entry he had observed regarding (b)(6). According to (b)(3) the entry reflected that (b)(6) was not acting like his usual self, and appeared to be more reclusive than usual. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated this entry struck him as unusual because (b)(6) was known by the guards to be more outgoing and talkative with respect to the detainee dynamics on the block. (b)(3) (b)(6) opined that if there was one detainee that might have possessed foreknowledge of the suicides, he suspected it would've been (b)(6). Because (b)(3) (b)(6) was unable to provide any additional information, RA terminated the interview at this juncture.

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**CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION TASK FORCE (CITF)
REPORT OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY**

1. DATE OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY 10 Jun 06	2. PLACE Guantanamo Bay, Cuba	3. ACTIVITY NUMBER (b)(2)
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4. REMARKS

Witness Interview of: (UNK) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

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(FOLLO//LES) On 10 Jun 06, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C), Master at Arms (MA), United States Navy, was interviewed by (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF-G), Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. (b)(3) (b)(6) is currently assigned as a JTF guard in (b)(2) Camp Delta. The interview was conducted at CITF-G headquarters and lasted one hour.

(S) BACKGROUND: In the early morning hours of 10 Jun 06, Joint Task Force Guards assigned to Alpha Block, Camp Delta, located three detainees hanging by the neck in their assigned cells. The three detainees were identified as: YASSER TALAL AL ZAHRANI, ISN (b)(2) -000093DP; MANA SHAMAN ALLABARD AL TABI, ISN (b)(2) -000588DP; and ALI ABDULLAH AHMED, ISN (b)(2) 000693DP.

(FOUO//LES) The purpose of the meeting was to determine (b)(3) (b)(6) knowledge of the incident and extent of his participation in the subsequent guard force response. (b)(3) (b)(6) confirmed (b)(7)(C) was the first official to speak with him regarding the incident. (b)(3) (b)(6) provided the following summary of events.

(FOLLO//LES) On 10 Jun 06, he was assigned to (b)(2) Camp Delta. His duty hours spanned the period from 1715 to 0600. Four additional JTF guards patrolled (b)(2). They are identified as (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C). (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) was unable to provide the full name of fourth individual.

(S) (b)(3) (b)(6) reported two incidents he regarded as unusual. At an undetermined time prior to 2130 prayer call, an unidentified detainee requested a private meeting with the chaplain. He was aware of the incident via (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) sought aid in inputting the request into the detainee information management system. (b)(3) (b)(6) did not explore the request further. The second incident involved the mass singing by detainees on Alpha Block. Shortly before the 2130 prayer, he heard Arabic singing on Alpha Block. Based upon the volume of voices, he believed all of the detainees were participating. He spoke with (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) about the music and received disturbing information. (b)(3) (b)(6) reported an entry in the detainee information management system identified the subject of the songs. According to the database, detainee (b)(6) (b)(2), (b)(6) told guards detainees were singing about Al-Zarqawi. Furthermore, (b)(6) alleged Alpha block detainees were singing a song known as "Kill them all". (b)(6) declared this song was used by Al Qaeda and Taliban after they killed an American.

(FOLLO//LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) continued routine duties including monitoring the guard radio frequency. At an undetermined time a few hours after prayer call, he heard the code word, (b)(2) on the radio. (b)(2) is a JTF code word used by guards to identify a detainee attempting to commit self harm. The location of the incident is also broadcast with the codeword. (b)(3) (b)(6) recalled hearing cells A5, A8, and A12 were involved. Almost simultaneous to this broadcast, the Sergeant of the Guard (SOG) entered (b)(2) and requested guard assistance. He and (b)(3) (b)(6) left with the SOG to assist on Alpha Block.

(FOLLO//LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) never made it to Alpha Block. He saw an unidentified detainee on a stretcher being moved from Alpha Block via the Camp 1 causeway. (b)(3) (b)(6) was approximately 20 feet away from the detainee.

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The detainee was lying supine with his hands (b)(2),(b)(7) to the front. The detainee was not moving or speaking. (b)(3) (b)(6) did not see any medical personnel, but the JTF guards were moving in the direction of the camp hospital.

(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) returned to (b)(2), assuming his assistance was no longer needed. He stayed at his post for approximately 3-4 minutes before the SOG returned. The SOG directed him back to Alpha Block. (b)(3) (b)(6) reported directly to Alpha Block and observed ISN (b)(2) -000693DP (Cell A5) being loaded onto a stretcher by JTF guards. ISN 693 was fully clothed and lying supine. ISN 693's hands were (b)(2),(b)(7) to the front. A white cloth was also tied around the detainee's wrists. A torn T-shirt, approximately 3 feet in length, was lying inside on the cell floor. ISN 693 had no visible wounds, was not speaking, and made no physical movements.

(FOUO//LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) noted a blanket was hanging inside the cell. The blanket was stretched from the front of the cell to the rear at an angle. The placement of the blanket effectively shielded the sink section of the cell from view. From the tier, the only area visible inside the cell was the detainee sleeping area.

(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) moved to the third cell (A12) and saw three unidentified JTF guards cutting a detainee (later identified as ISN (b)(2) -000588DP) down from a white cloth around his neck. ISN 588's hands were tied in the front with a piece of similar white cloth. A blanket was stretched across the cell in the same fashion as Cell A5. ISN 588 had no obvious external injuries that (b)(3) (b)(6) could identify.

(C) By this time, several detainees on Alpha Block were awake and verbally communicating. ISN (b)(2) (b)(2) asked (b)(3) (b)(6) if ISN 588 was still alive. (b)(3) (b)(6) did not respond to the inquiry. (b)(3) (b)(6) believes ISN (b)(2) was speaking to others on the tier in Arabic. Numerous additional detainees were trying to look under their cell doors in an effort to observe the scene.

(FOUO//LES) The SOG next directed him to wake up all detainees in cells (b)(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) conducted a welfare check on the detainees with nothing significant to report. He remained on the tier for approximately 10 minutes before reporting back to (b)(2) (b)(3) (b)(6) directed him to (1) secure all the shutters closed on (b)(2) Block. (2) Turn off all water to cells on (b)(2) and (3) Wake all inmates in (b)(2) for a welfare check. He and (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) performed all three assigned duties.

(FOUO//LES) Shortly after completing these tasks, (b)(3) (b)(6) told him and (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) to report to the Joint Detention Group trailer for interviews.

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4. REMARKS

Witness Interview of: (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

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(FOUO/LES) On 10 Jun 06 at approximately 0442, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) JTF-Camp 1, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, was interviewed by (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (b)(6) Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF), at CITF, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. (b)(3) was interviewed in reference to the three detainee deaths which occurred in the Alpha block during his shift in Camp Delta.

(b)(3) was returning to the (b)(2) from the dining facility when he decided to stop by Alpha block to speak with fellow guards. Upon arrival to Alpha block he saw (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) trying to gain the attention of AL ZAHRANI, YASSER TALAL, (b)(2) 000093DP (hereafter referred to as ISN 093) in Alpha 8 cell. (b)(3) heard someone say "not responding, we have to go in". He noticed ISN 093 had a blanket hanging up so he could not be seen and a sheet placed on the back of the cell. (b)(3) advised of a possible (b)(2) (the code called when someone is trying to kill themselves). (b)(2) (b)(3) went outside to look through ISN 093's cell window. The window was obstructed with a prayer mat, socks, and underwear. (b)(3) pushed the items through the cell window and saw ISN 093 hanging from the ceiling. He could not determine what was used as a noose but did notice that ISN 093's hands were tied together with his feet on the ground. (b)(3) (b)(6) yelled for everyone to go into the cell and then went back inside. ISN 093 had been cut down and (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) went to get a stretcher for ISN 093. When they returned, ISN 093 was restrained, placed on the stretcher, tied down and taken to the medical clinic by (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) and another guard (NFI).

(C) Upon arrival to the medical clinic, ISN 093 was placed on the bed and the medical staff checked for a pulse with no success. (b)(3) (b)(6) removed the (b)(2), (b)(7)(C) from ISN 093. At this time, he heard another call over the radio for (b)(2) A12" (referring to AL TABI, MANA SHAMAN ALLABARD, (b)(2) 000588DP hereafter referred to as ISN 588) and (b)(3) (b)(6) returned to Alpha block. When he arrived at Alpha block guards were already in ISN 588's cell so (b)(3) (b)(6) looked for another stretcher but could not locate one inside the cell block. ISN 588 was taken down and restrained. At this time, he heard someone yell (b)(2) A5" (referring to AHMED, ALI ABDULLA H, (b)(2) 000693DP hereafter referred to as ISN 693). (b)(3) (b)(6) went to ISN 693's cell, took the blanket down and saw ISN 693 hanging. ISN 693 was taken down and the sheet removed from his neck. (b)(3) went to get restraints for ISN 693 and returned to restrain him. He then returned to ISN 588's cell and assisted in getting him on the stretcher and securing him before taking him to the medical clinic.

(C) At the medical clinic, ISN 588 was placed on a bed and checked by medics. (b)(3) saw guards bringing ISN 693 into the medical clinic as he was returning to (b)(2). Upon arrival to (b)(2) he checked the detainees to make sure everyone was okay. During his check of (b)(2) detainees, (b)(3) was stopped by (b)(6) (b)(2), (b)(6) (hereafter referred to as (b)(2), (b)(6)) asked (b)(3) what was going on to which he replied, "I don't know". (b)(2), (b)(6) then stated, "That's okay. You don't have to tell me. I already know. They did this because of the Colonel and his stupid rules." (b)(2), (b)(6) used the name (b)(6) replied "He is a Colonel. We are just block guards. We have no control over the rules. Whatever they (referring to the detainees) did won't change the rules. I don't know what's going on".

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) remained in the (b)(2) until relief (other guards) arrived and (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) came to escort him to the Joint Detention Group conference room. According to (b)(3) there were no discussions of the

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night's events amongst those waiting in the conference room beyond chatter about "it's a crazy night". (b)(3) related many people remained quiet while others talked of cartoons and things to "take their mind of what happened". (b)(3) waited in the conference room until instructed to leave for his interview with the investigating agents.

(FOUO/LES) The interview concluded at 0509.

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4. REMARKS

Witness Interview of: (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C)

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(FOUO/LES) On 10 Jun 06 at approximately 0412, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (hereafter referred to as (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) was interviewed by (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C), Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF), at CITF, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (b)(3) (b)(6) was interviewed in reference to the three detainee deaths which occurred in the Alpha cell block during his shift in Camp Delta.

(C) (b)(3) was the primary Incident Response Force (IRF) for Camp one assigned to (b)(2) on 9-10 June 06 when he overheard the Sergeant of the Guard (SOG) and Platoon leader (PL) say 'someone was trying to hang himself.' (b)(3) (b)(6) was then instructed to wait in the causeway of (b)(2) in the event the IRF was called. (b)(3) went to Alpha block where the incidents were occurring and saw guards carrying AL ZHRANI, YASSER TALAL (b)(2) 000093DP (hereafter referred to as ISN 093) to the medical clinic. (b)(3) was instructed to walk the block and perform a head count of the detainees. During this time, (b)(3) walked by Alpha 12, the cell of AL TABI, MANA SHAMAN ALLABARD, (b)(2) 000588DP (hereafter referred to as ISN 588) who appeared to be sleeping. (b)(3) (b)(6) was then asked to check on Alpha 5, AHMED, ALI ABDULLA H, (b)(2) 000693DP (hereafter referred to as ISN 693) to see if he was breathing. On the way to ISN 693's cell he walked past ISN 588 and noticed he was not under the sheets. (b)(3) called to (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) The guards looked into ISN 588's cell and saw his sink was covered with a blanket from the bottom up. They called to ISN 588 to remove the sheet and received no response. (b)(3) went outside to look in the window of ISN 588 where he saw him hanging. He called out (b)(2) (the code called when someone is trying to kill themselves), (b)(3) (b)(6) and (b)(3) (b)(6) called (b)(2) to the SOG and they arrived at Alpha 12 to open the door. Once the cell door was opened, (b)(3) (b)(6) and the other guards pulled the blanket down and saw ISN 588 hanging by what appeared to be a t-shirt ripped apart and tied together to make a rope. ISN 588 was cut down and placed on the floor where he was restrained. (b)(3) was holding ISN 588's head and shoulders down and checked for a pulse. No pulse was found and (b)(3) noted that ISN 588 felt cold. At this time, (b)(3) heard another guard yell (b)(2) for ISN 693. According to (b)(3) these events occurred within approximately five minutes of one another.

(C) (b)(3) (b)(6) stayed with ISN 588 until a board was brought in to transport him to the medical clinic. After ISN 588 was taken from Alpha block to the medical clinic, (b)(3) remained in Alpha block to assist with anything else needed. He walked the tier to observe the remaining detainees instructing them to remove their sheets and anything on the wall. He woke everyone up to ensure they were okay. After approximately five to ten minutes, (b)(3) was told to return to (b)(2) where he reported to his block non-commissioned officer (NCO). At this time, all of the lights were turned on in (b)(2) and the movements checked of each detainee.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) continued to walk the (b)(2) with (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) (b)(3) Once a 100% recall of guard personnel was conducted, (b)(3) remained at (b)(2) until escorted by (b)(3) (b)(6) to the Joint Detention Group conference room. According to (b)(3) there were no discussions of the night's events amongst those waiting in the conference room.

(FOUO/LES) The interview concluded at 0440.

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**CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION TASK FORCE (CITF)
REPORT OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY**

1. DATE OF INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITY

11 Jun 06

2. PLACE

Guantanamo Bay, Cuba

3. ACTIVITY NUMBER

(b)(2)

4. REMARKS

Witness Interview of:

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(~~FOUO/LES~~) About 0330, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Division (CID), Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF), Guantanamo Bay, Cuba 09360 (GTMO) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) Naval Expeditionary Guard Battalion (NEGB), GTMO. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated about 0203, 10 Jun 06, he arrived at the Detainee Clinic, Camp Delta, GTMO, and met with (b)(3) (b)(6). He stated (b)(3) informed him ISN's 588, 693, and a third detainee (NFI) were deceased. He did not know the ISN of the third one. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated when he arrived there were three guards present securing the rooms two of the bodies were in. He did not have the guards' names; however, provided their badge numbers as (b)(2) and (b)(2). They were posted outside of Room #10 where two of the deceased detainees were held. (b)(3) (b)(6) further stated ISN 588 was treated in Room #11, but that had been cleaned since they were pronounced dead. (b)(3) (b)(3) (b)(6) did not know the medical personnel that were the initial responders to the detainees.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) About 0340, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) Detainee Clinic, Camp Delta, GTMO, who stated how she was an initial medical responder to the detainees who were brought in. (b)(3) (b)(3) stated about 0043, 10 Jun 06, a call came in from the block (NFI) that a detainee was unresponsive and going to be brought in for medical treatment. She stated the first detainee brought in was ISN 093, about 0045. The guards brought him in on a medical board. ISN 093 appeared to have fixed dilated pupils, a locked shut jaw, was unresponsive and felt slightly cold and stiff to the touch. (b)(2), (b)(7)(E) (b)(3) (b)(6) stated ISN 093 had no vital signs in which they began life saving measures that included the Automatic External Defibrillator (AED), Cardiac Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), and Atropine x2, all which met with negative results. She stated ISN 093's mouth was clinched shut and it appeared rigor mortus was setting in. There were no foreign objects around his neck but she saw what appeared to be bruising around his neck. She stated ISN 093 was pronounced dead at 0105, 10 Jun 06, and he was transported to the Naval Hospital, GTMO. (b)(3) (b)(6) further stated ISN 588 was the second detainee that was brought in while ISN 093 was being seen. She stated ISN 588 also had a locked jaw and he was brought in the same manner as ISN 093. ISN 588 was treated with the same life saving measures as ISN 093 but only received Atropine x1, all which met with negative results. ISN 693 was the third detainee brought in and appeared to have a white cloth in his mouth. She stated the same life saving measures with Atropine x2 was conducted on ISN 693, all which met with negative results. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated all three detainees were unresponsive upon their arrival to the clinic. ISN 588 was pronounced dead at 0115hrs and ISN 093 at 0116hrs.

(~~FOUO/LES~~) About 0350, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) who stated how she was working in the Detainee Clinic and was notified of the three unresponsive detainees. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated about 0040, 10 Jun 06, she received a call that one detainee did not have a pulse. She responded to the treatment room and thought the detainee to be ISN 093. He was unresponsive and CPR was immediately initiated. His pupils appeared to be dilated and his jaw was stiff with what appeared to be a sock in his mouth. She didn't notice anything on his neck or his body only that he had a full beard. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated about 0055hrs, she helped with giving a second detainee an intravenous (IV) until a doctor (NFI) took over. The second detainee appeared to be blue and cold to the touch. (b)(2) (b)(2)

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(FOUO/LES) About 0400, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) who stated how he was in the clinic when (b)(3) received a call about an unresponsive detainee. When the guards brought the first detainee in he was on a medical board and he was placed on an exam table. He stated the medical "ABC's" (A=Check the airway, B=Check for breathing/bleeding, C=Control shock) were initiated; however, the detainee did not have a pulse and he had no vitals signs detected. An oxygen mask was placed on him and he started to set up the AED for use while another nurse was putting an IV in the detainee.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) (b)(6) stated the first detainee that came in had what appeared to be a large piece of white gauze in his mouth. He was unsure of which nurse pulled the gauze out. He did not see anything tied around the detainee's neck or body. The detainee's eyes were rolled back and his jaw was locked closed.

(FOUO/LES) About 0408, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) who stated how he responded to the deceased detainees. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated about 0030, 10 Jun 06, a call came in from a block that a detainee was unresponsive and he started to set the trauma room up to receive the patient. (b)(3) (b)(3) was taking orders from (b)(3) and helped with initiating all life saving measures on two of the detainees.

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(b)(2) The second detainee came in at that time and he assisted with initiating life saving measures on. After an IV was started on the second detainee, (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) and he started CPR where they continued to rotate between chest compressions and oxygen. He saw a dark red line around his neck and his body was stiff. A doctor (NFI) came in about 0105hrs, and pronounced the first detainee dead at 0105hrs and was transferred to the Naval Hospital, GTMO. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated he did not assist with the third detainee that was brought in. Furthermore, he did not know where the cloth went after he threw in on the ground due to so much going on in the clinic.

(FOUO/LES) About 0415, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) who stated how he responded to the deceased detainees. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated as the detainees came in he assisted in checking their vital signs and initiating life saving measures which all met with negative results. He stated all the detainees that were brought were unresponsive. (b)(3) I was assisting (b)(3) with conducted CPR on the second detainee that was brought in. (b)(2)

(b)(2) and his jaw was locked shut. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated he accompanied the body that was transported to the Naval Hospital, GTMO, and then returned to the Detainee Clinic.

(FOUO/LES) About 0500, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) who stated how she assisted with ISN 693 as he was brought in to the clinic. (b)(3) (b)(6) stated about 0045 ISN 693 came in and was immediately treated with life saving measures. She assisted (b)(3) (b)(6) in giving him CPR while (b)(3) brought in the AED machine and placed the pads on him. After they said "stand clear" the machine told us to continue; however, after a couple of minutes ISN 693 remained unresponsive. She stated she saw a bruise around his neck and white cloth tied around his stomach. She didn't pay attention to his mouth or eyes but his body was stiff. She checked for circulation from his fingernails but they remained blue. (b)(3) (b)(6) further stated the detainee did not have a pulse upon arrival to the clinic.

(FOUO/LES) About 0520, 10 Jun 06, (b)(7)(C) interviewed (b)(3) (b)(6) (b)(7)(C) who stated how she responded to a call on the radio as she was at the dining facility in the camp. (b)(3) stated about 0045hrs, she got a call from (b)(3) (b)(6) on her radio to return to the clinic as soon as possible. When she arrived to the clinic the guards had already brought in a detainee and she relieved (b)(3) (b)(6) (NFI) from conducting chest compressions. She didn't notice anything in the detainee's mouth nor did she see any written notes within his property. (b)(3) (b)(6) placed him on a gurney at which time the paramedics took him to the Naval Hospital, GTMO.

(FOUO/LES) (b)(3) stated one of the detainees had a white belt-type cloth tied around his stomach and had noticed it while he was being hooked up to the AED. She assisted in giving CPR to the detainee; however, he remained unresponsive. His mouth was clinched shut; the doctor pried it open and pulled out a large white

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handkerchief. (b)(3) did not see any foreign substance on the handkerchief.

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