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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
UNITED STATES SOUTHERN COMMAND  
3511 NW 91ST AVENUE  
MIAMI, FLORIDA 33173-1217

SCJ2

4 October 2002

MEMORANDUM THRU Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, 9999 Joint Staff, Pentagon Room 2E872, Washington, DC 20318-9999

FOR Secretary of Defense, 1000 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1000

SUBJECT: Assessment and Recommendation for [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] in the Case of Detainee ISN [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED]

1. (FOUO) Reference Memorandum, HQ U.S. SOUTHERN COMMAND, SCJ2, 21 June 2002, subject: Recommendation for [REDACTED] ISN [REDACTED] 0061 [REDACTED] in the Custody and Control of JTF 160, the following assessment and recommendation for [REDACTED] ISN [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED] is re-submitted for consideration.
2. (S) Personal Information. Murat Kurn is a Turkish national born in 19 March 1982 (age 20) in Bremen, Germany. He is in good health.
3. (FOUO) Detention information. Subject detainee traveled to Pakistan under the sponsorship of the Jamayat al-Tabliq Organization to study the Koran. The Imam of the mosque purchased his plane ticket. During his travels, detainee visited various mosques associated with the Jamayat Islami Mosque in Lahore and the Zacaria Mosque. Detainee was returning to Peshawar from Miram Shah, located on the Pakistan-Afghanistan border on [REDACTED], when he was arrested at a routine checkpoint. All of his papers were in order, but he was detained anyway. Detainee was later transferred to U.S. forces and transported to Guantanamo Bay Naval Base, Cuba, arriving on [REDACTED]. The detainee was transferred to Guantanamo Bay detention facility because of [REDACTED].  
[REDACTED] Detainee was cooperative, but JTF 170 [REDACTED] considers the information [REDACTED].
4. (S) Assessment. Based on the current information, detainee [REDACTED] 0061 [REDACTED] is assessed as [REDACTED]. Moreover, based on [REDACTED] the detainee has [REDACTED] intelligence value to the United States, and [REDACTED]. Subject detainee has not expressed thoughts of violence, nor made threats toward the U.S. or its allies during [REDACTED].

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SUBJECT: Assessment and Recommendation for [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] in the Case of Detainee ISN [REDACTED] 061DP. (U)

[REDACTED] Based on all of the above, detainee [REDACTED]  
a future threat to the U.S. or U.S. interests.

5. (S) Recommendation. Based on [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
foregoing, I recommend subject detainee [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

6. (C) Coordination. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

FOR THE COMBATANT COMMANDER:



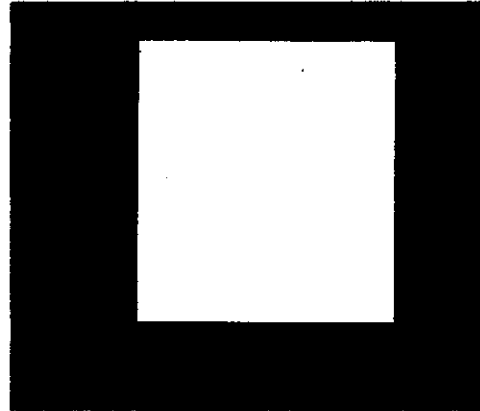
RONALD L. BURGESS, JR.  
Brigadier General, U.S. Army  
Director of Intelligence

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1. CDR JTF 170 Memo, 27-09-02

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**Worksheet for consideration of detainee release or transfer**

NAME: Murat KURNAZ
ISN: [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED]
DOB: March 19, 1982
POB: Bremen, Germany (Turkish Citizen)
[REDACTED]
Affiliation: [REDACTED]



ISN= internment serial number      DOB= date of birth  
POB= place of birth                  DOC= date of capture

**Circumstance of capture:**

[REDACTED]

**Background Information (summary):**

- Kurnaz has lived in Germany since birth, but has Turkish citizenship.
- Traveled from Frankfurt to Karachi on October 3, 2001, to learn Arabic & about Islam.
- Traveled around Pakistan, including visiting two Jamayat Tabliq (JT) mosques. [REDACTED]
- Met a man named [REDACTED] at the mosque in Islamabad, who asked Kurnaz to travel with him to Peshawar; captured soon thereafter.
- Further investigation necessary to: [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]

Law Enforcement Interest	Intelligence Value	Risk
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

**DoD Recommendation:**

[REDACTED]

**Comment:**

[REDACTED]

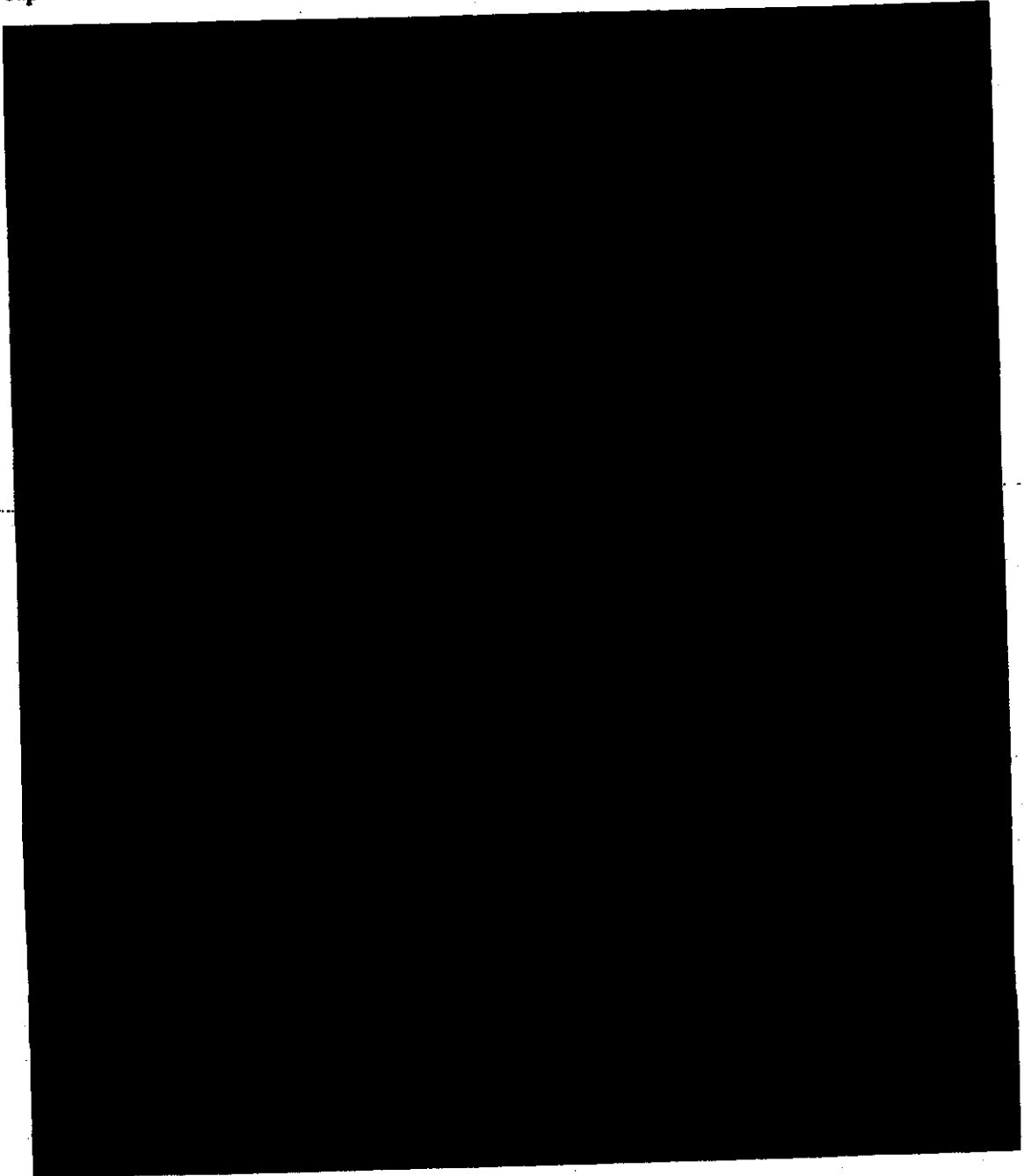
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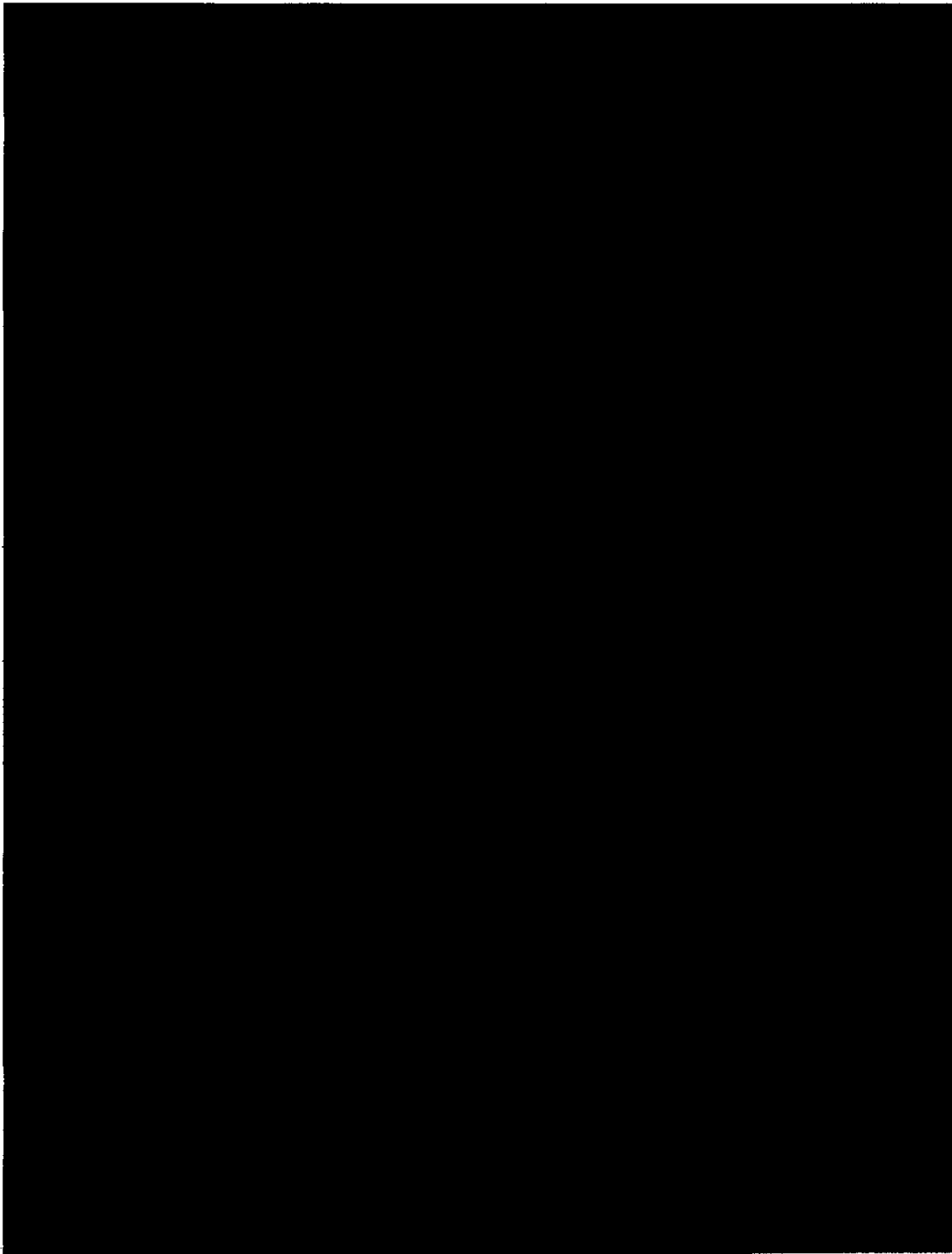
Behavioral Science Consultation Team (BSCT) Risk Assessment for (0061DP)

Murat KURNAZ, (ISN [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED]) is a Turkish male in his early twenties, captured in [REDACTED]. He was transferred to GTMO [REDACTED]

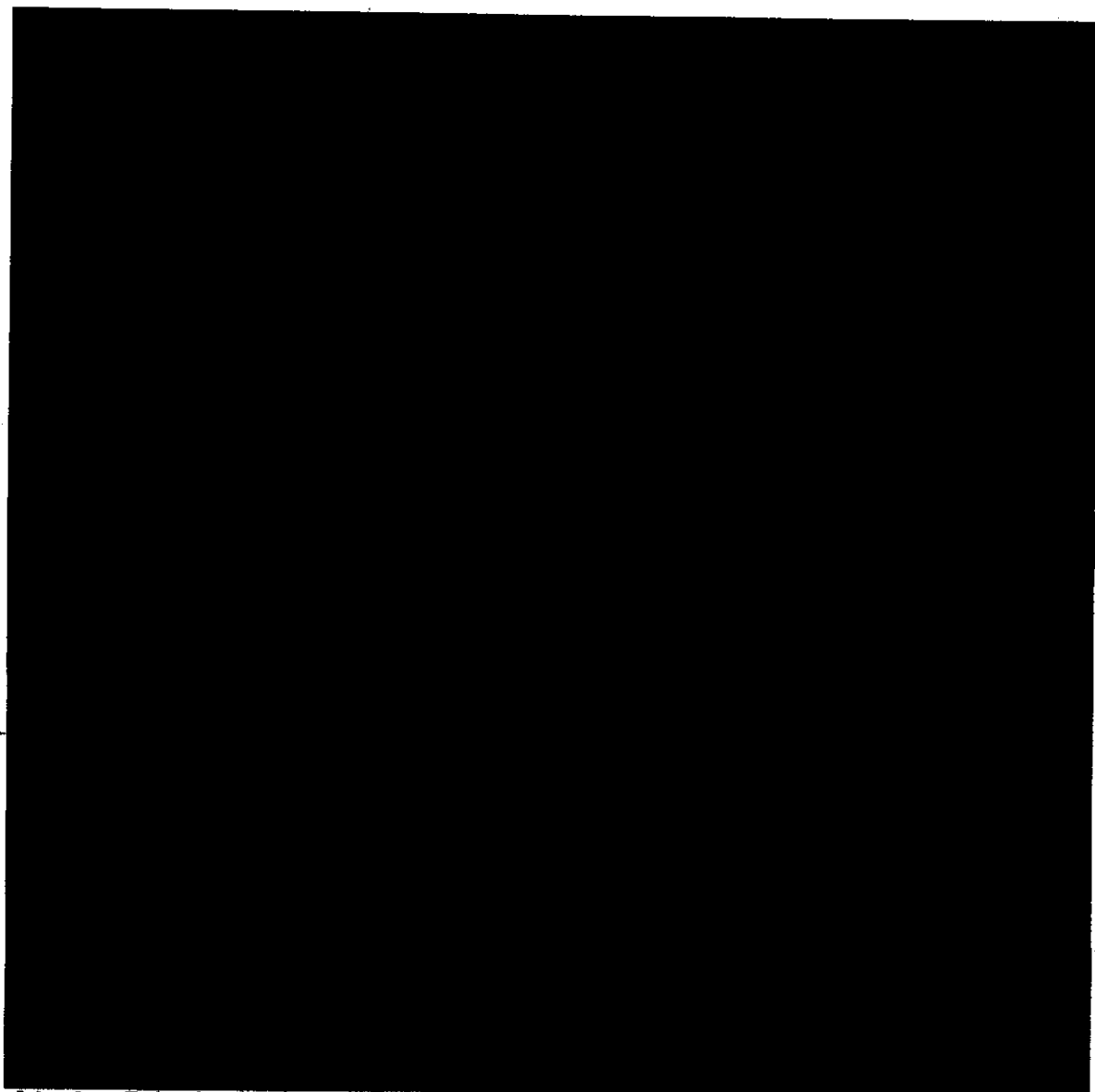


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**Sent:** Thursday, April 17, 2003 3:12 PM  
**To:** [Redacted]  
**Cc:** [Redacted]  
**Subject:** note on #061

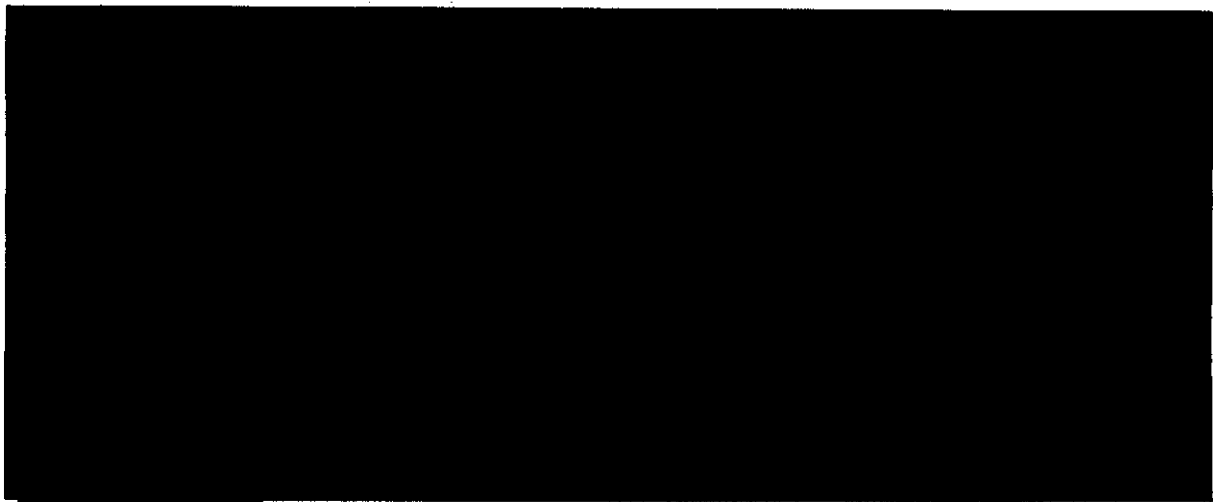
Dear [Redacted]

Below is a note on #061. [Redacted]

Thanks.

[Redacted]

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**Member, Behavioral Science Consultation Team**  
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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
JOINT TASK FORCE GUANTANAMO  
GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA  
APO AE 09380

JTF GTMO-CG

21 May 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, United States Southern Command, 3511 NW 91st Avenue,  
Miami, FL 33172.

SUBJECT: Update Recommendation to [REDACTED] Guantanamo  
Detainee, ISN: [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED]

1. (FOUO) Personal Information:

- First name Middle names Last name: Murat Kunn
- Aliases: Murat Karnaz
- Place of Birth: Bremen, Germany (GM)
- Date of Birth: 19 March, 1982
- Citizenship: Turkey (TU)

2. (FOUO) Health: He is in good health.

3. (S) Detainee Summary:

a. (S) Detention Information: Same as previously stated in JTF 170 memo, dated 27  
September 2002.

b. (S) Prior Assessment: MG Michael E. Dunlavey, Commander, JTF 170, recommended  
that [REDACTED]

c. (S) New Information:  
[REDACTED]

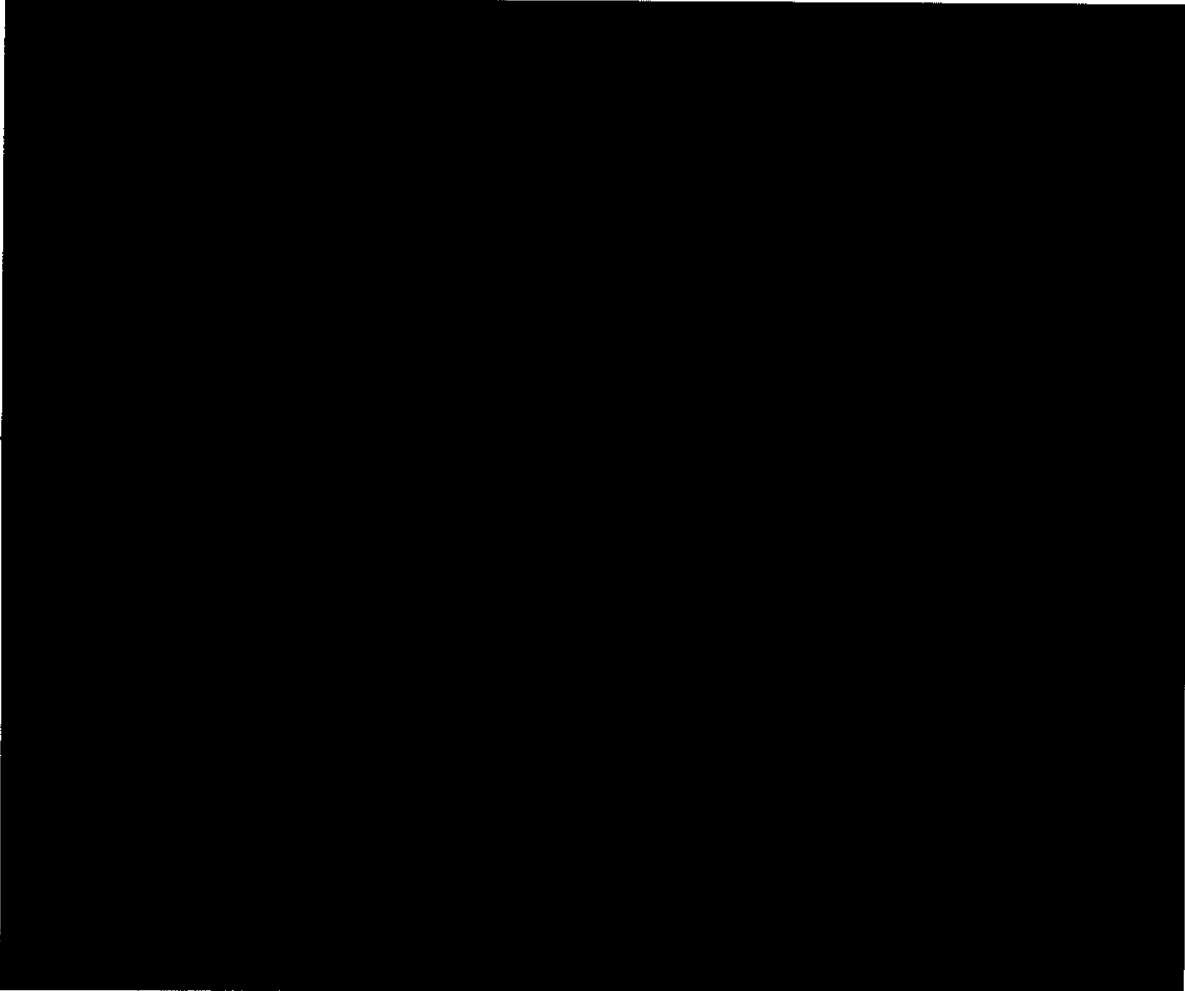
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SUBJECT: Update Recommendation to [REDACTED] for Guantanamo  
Detainee, ISN: [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED]



d. (S) Intelligence Value: JTF GTMO has determined that this detainee is of [REDACTED]  
intelligence value due to:



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SUBJECT: Update Recommendation [REDACTED] for Guantanamo  
Detainee, ISN: [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED]

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]

**4. (S) Detainee's Conduct:** Based on DAB assessment of INTREP activity, detainee's overall behavior has been generally non-compliant and aggressive.

- On [REDACTED], ISN 061 was recorded inciting a disturbance on the cellblock.
- On [REDACTED], while Military Police (MPs) were asking another detainee what the mixture in his cup was, ISN 061 stated that it was probably a bomb and it would blow up after the MPs took it out of his cell.
- On [REDACTED], ISN 061 verbally abused MPs.
- On [REDACTED], ISN 061 stated that "if he is not able to see the commander there are going to be big problems."
  - He has threatened to "cause problems" on several occasions.
  - ISN 061 has demonstrated numerous "Other" non-hostile and harassing actions including failures to comply, throwing water on guards, tearing up meal plates, and successfully hoarding food.
  - ISN 061 also has demonstrated ongoing attempts to collect intelligence from the guards. Suspicious activity includes:
    - In [REDACTED], he asked about camp 4. Of note, in August 2003 he [REDACTED] [REDACTED] asked about which section of Camp Delta he is staying.
    - On [REDACTED], he attempted to illicit information about [REDACTED]
    - [REDACTED] he attempted to obtain information concerning detainee transfers and [REDACTED]
    - On [REDACTED] he attempted to discuss the current work schedule of the MPs and determine if the schedule would be a temporary or permanent basis due to the policy changes of the "new general."
    - On [REDACTED], he attempted to learn additional information on the rank structure of the MPs assigned to Camp Delta.
    - In [REDACTED], he began to show his awareness of the MP reporting DB, when he instructed the MP on duty to annotate that he ate his entire meal, although he had only eaten the apple. He has posed several similar instructions or comments about the DB to the MPs.
- Possibly in an attempt to estimate the heights of the fences, the detainee asked on [REDACTED] how tall the basketball rim was.
- He has shown contempt for senior US members and the United States.

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SUBJECT: Update Recommendation to [REDACTED] for Guantanamo Detainee, ISN: [REDACTED] 06 [REDACTED]

- o On several occasions, he has covered his ears and prayed loudly during the National Anthem.
- o On [REDACTED] detainee stated that the attacks of 9/11 correspond with verses in the Koran where it states to fight against infidels, adding that it can be found in the ninth chapter, eleventh verse. He added that the World Trade Center has 110 stories and that this verse can be found on the 110 line in this chapter of the Koran.
- He further stated to the MP that he knows that this camp is only for interrogations, not incarceration, and he will go home soon.

5. (S) EC Status: Detainee's enemy combatant status was reassessed on 24 February 2004, and he remains an enemy combatant.

6. (S) JTF GTMO New Assessment:

a. (S) Summary: It is assessed that this detainee [REDACTED]

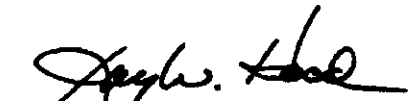
[REDACTED]

b. (S) Recommendation: JTF GTMO recommends this detainee [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

7. (S) Coordination: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

  
JAY W. HOOD  
Brigadier General, US Army  
Commanding

CF: CITE-JTF GTMO

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FOR: DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

FROM: Marshall Billingslea, PDASD SO/LIC

MS/6/13/03

SUBJECT: Disposition of Seventeen Enemy Combatants Held at Guantanamo (S)

(S) We have reviewed the cases of seventeen (17) enemy combatants detained at Guantanamo. We recommend ~~eleven~~ (10) releases; one (1) transfer for continued detention; and six (6) for continued detention under US DoD control.

- (S) SO/LIC provided these cases to State, CIA, Justice and the NSC staff on June 4 for their review, with a June 11, 2003 deadline for their input.
- (S) DoD General Counsel, Joint Staff, and Army [REDACTED]
- (S) Enemy combatants approved for release, or transfer for continued detention, may remain at Guantanamo until the next planned DoD airbridge.

1. (S) Release: These 10 enemy combatants are recommended for release (Tabs A-J):

[REDACTED]

- (S) USSOUTHCOM and the Army Criminal Investigation Task Force (CITF) assess these enemy combatants [REDACTED]

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3. (S) [REDACTED]. We recommend that these five enemy combatants remain at Guantanamo because [REDACTED]

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED] 061 - Murat KUNN (Turkey)
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]

(S) RECOMMENDATION: Approve [REDACTED] for continued detention under US DoD control.

Approve GW 6/17/03 Disapprove \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

COORDINATION: Tab R

Prepared by: [REDACTED] SO/LIC Detainee Policy Group, [REDACTED]

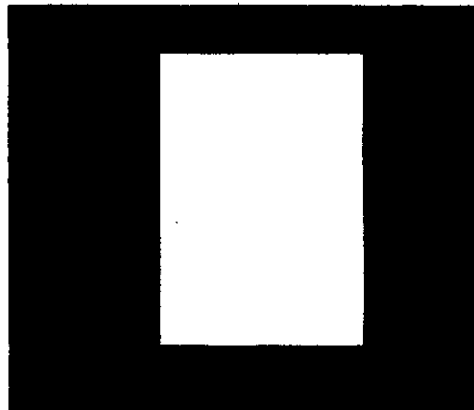
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- Tab J: [REDACTED]
- Tab K: [REDACTED]
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Law Enforcement Interest	Intelligence Value	Risk
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DoD Recommendation:

Comment: [REDACTED]

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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
JOINT TASK FORCE 170  
GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA  
APO AE 09000

JTF 170-CDR

27 September 2002

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, United States Southern Command, 3511 NW 91st Avenue, Miami, FL 33172.

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] Recommendation for GTMO Detainee, Murat Kunn,  
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3. (S) Assessment: Based on current information, detainee ISN: US9TU-00061DP is assessed as [REDACTED]. Moreover, based on [REDACTED] the detainee has [REDACTED] intelligence value [REDACTED]. Subject detainee has not expressed thoughts of violence, nor made threats toward the U.S. or its allies during interrogations, or in the course of his detention. Based on all of the above, detainee [REDACTED] threat to the U.S. or U.S. interests.

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JTF 170-CDR

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] Recommendation for GTMO Detainee, Murat Kunn,

ISN: [REDACTED] 061 [REDACTED]

4.  Recommendation: In view of the foregoing, I recommend subject detainee [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

5.  Coordination: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]



MICHAEL E. DUNLAVEY  
Major General, U.S. Army  
Commander, JTF 170

CF: CITF-GTMO

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