

ESCALATION OF FORCE (EOF) INVESTIGATION REPORT
101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION (AIR ASSAULT)
TASK FORCE BAND OF BROTHERS

In accordance with FRAGO 21 to OPORD 268-05, the following report is to be completed and forwarded to the Office of the Staff Judge Advocate of Task Force Band of Brothers no later than 24 hours following completion of any EOF investigations.

UNIT:

3/B/4-23 IN 172D SBCT

CAPTURE DTG:

281900MAR06

LOCATION OF INCIDENT:

MOSUL

(b)(2)High

TYPE OF INVESTIGATION:

INFORMAL 15-6

FINDINGS OF INVESTIGATION:

PROPER IMPLEMENTATION OF ROE AND USE OF EOF.

DISMOUNTED PATROL RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE AND GRENADE ATTACK RESULTING IN 4 WIA. WHILE THE PLATOON MEDIC TREATED THE WIA, TEAM LEADERS PULLED SECURITY. DURING THE TREATMENT OF THE CASUALTIES, A VEHICLE SPED TOWARDS THE CCP. THE SOLDIERS SHOUTED FOR THE VEHICLE TO STOP, SHINED TAC LIGHTS, AND

(b)(2)High

(b)(2)High THE VEHICLE DID NOT SLOW DOWN. THE SOLDIERS THEN

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ONCE THE VEHICLE STOPPED, THE SOLDIERS PURSUED THE SUSPECTED GRENADE AND THEN RETURNED TO CHECK ON THE VEHICLE. THE OCCUPANTS OF THE VEHICLE HAD MOVED

AT WHICH POINT THE SOLDIERS LEARNED THAT ONE OF THEIR

(b)(2)High

(b)(2)High HAD KILLED A LOCAL NATIONAL WOMAN. THE UNIT COORDINATED FOR IP SUPPORT TO TRANSPORT THE BODY TO THE HOSPITAL AND TO TRANSPORT THE HUSBAND AND CHILDREN TO THEIR HOME.

RECOMMENDATION OF INVESTIGATION:

NO FURTHER ACTION REQUIRED. SOLDIERS WHO FIRED SHOTS KNEW AND COMPLIED WITH EOF AND ROE. UNIT PROVIDED CONDOLENCE PAYMENT.

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