

**SWORN STATEMENT**

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**PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT**

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1. LOCATION <b>FOB BOSTICK</b>	2. DATE (YYYYMMDD) <b>20091010</b>	3. TIME <b>1510</b>	4. FILE NUMBER
5. LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE NAME <b>(b)(3), (b)(6)</b>	6. SSN <b>(b)(3), (b)(6)</b>	7. GRADE/STATUS <b>E-5 / ACTIVE</b>	
8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS <b>BRAVO TROOP 3-61 CAV</b>			

9. I, (b)(3), (b)(6), WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:  
 ON THE MORNING OF <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> ~~10~~ OCT 2009, AT 0600 ON COP KEATING, THE COP CAME UNDER ATTACK. IT STARTED WITH AN RPG, FOLLOWED BY SMALL ARMS FIRE. I WAS LAYING IN BED AT THE TIME. I JUMPED OUT OF BED TO PUT MY GEAR ON AND THEN WENT TO WAKE THE REST OF THE PLATOON. EVERYBODY AFTER WAKING GOT RED CON ONE. SFC <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> WENT TO THE TOC TO GET INFORMATION. WHILE HE WAS GONE THE VOLUME OF FIRE INCREASED. SFC <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> RETURNED TO THE BARRACKS AND INFORMED US THAT WE WERE UNDER SERIOUS ATTACK, AND THAT WE NEEDED TO RUN AMMO TO RED PLATOON, WHICH WERE LOCATED AT DIFFERENT POSITIONS THROUGH OUT THE COP. SGT <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> SGT <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> SPC <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> SPC <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> PFC <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> AND MYSELF PROCEEDED TO LEAVE <sup>(b)(2) High</sup> PLATOON BARRACKS AND HEAD TO ASP. WHILE ENROUTE TO THE ASP WE CAME UNDER SMALL ARMS, AND RPG FIRE. WHEN WE ARRIVED AT ASP AND RPG IMPACTED NEXT TO MYSELF, SGT <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> AND SGT <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> THE RPG KINDA RANG OUR BELL A LITTLE. WE THEN SHOT THE LOCKS ON THE ASP SO WE COULD GET INTO THE AMMO <sup>(b)(2) High</sup> ONCE WE GOT THE DOORS OPEN ANOTHER RPG IMPACTED NEXT TO US. SGT <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> GOT HIT WITH SHEARNEL IN SEVERAL PLACES AND WAS THROWN INTO <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> SGT <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> ~~WAS~~ THROWN INTO ASP. <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> I WAS THROWN INTO A WALL AND BRUISED SOME RIBS. A FEW OF THE GUYS GRABBED SOME AMMO AND STARTED RUNNING AMMO OUT TO THE TRUCKS. I GATHERED THE REST OF THE SOLDIERS, INCLUDING SGT <sup>(b)(3), (b)(6)</sup> AND STARTED TO HEAD BACK TO <sup>(b)(2) High</sup> BARRACKS. WE WERE ABOUT TO LEAVE THE ASP AND ANOTHER RPG IMPACTED BY US. SO WE MADE A RUN FOR IT ALL THE WHILE BEING ENGAGED

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THE BOTTOM OF EACH ADDITIONAL PAGE MUST BEAR THE INITIALS OF THE PERSON MAKING THE STATEMENT, AND PAGE NUMBER MUST BE INDICATED.

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By SMALL ARMS FIRE. At that point I knew the enemy was watching our entire move from the BARRACKS to ASP, and BACK to the BARRACKS. Once inside the BARRACKS we check SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) wounds, which counted to be 5 total shrapnel wounds. SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) then began to treat SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) wounds. We then got a call over the radio that we had to push more ammo to the trucks. So we started to head out of the BARRACKS back to ASP. SPC Scusa was the first person to leave the building and WAS SHOT IN THE NECK (right side). SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) was behind SPC Scusa, and SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) TOOK A GRAZING SHOT TO LOWER BACK. SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) FELL TO GROUND AND LOW CRAWLED INTO THE BARRACKS SAYING SCUSA WAS SHOT. I THEN RAN OUTSIDE TO GET SCUSA AND WAS SHOT AT MYSELF. FIRST ROUND HIT AND BROKE MY WEAPON SLING, CAUSING ME TO BEND DOWN TO PICK UP MY WEAPON WHICH CAUSE THE SECOND SHOT TO GO OVER THE BACK OF MY NECK. THEN THE THIRD SHOT IMPACTED THE WALL AND THE FRAGMENTS FROM THE BULLET HIT MY ARM IN TWO PLACES AND MY LEG. I THEN LOW CRAWLED BACK TOWARD THE BARRACKS AND SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) WAS COMING OUT AND ASK WHATS UP. WE MADE A QUICK ASSESSMENT AND DECIDED WE COULD USE SMOKE GRENADES TO CONCEAL OUR MOVE TO RECOVER SPC SCUSA. WE THEN POPPED TWO SMOKE GRENADES, ONE IN FRONT OF SCUSA AND ONE BEHIND. WE LET THE SMOKE BUILD UP AND MADE OUR MOVE, WE PICKED UP SCUSA AND CARRIED HIM TO AID STATION. WE THEN LEFT AID STATION USING THE COVER FROM THE SMOKE AND HEADED BACK TO BARRACKS. ONCE THERE WE STARTED TO GATHER UP GUYS TO DO ANOTHER AMMO RUN. ON THE WAY TO ASP WE STARTED COMING UNDER HEAVY FIRE, AND DECIDE TO RETREAT AND COME UP WITH A BETTER WAY. SO WE GATHERED ALL THE FORCES WE HAD LEFT AND MET BY THE AID STATION AND STARTED COMING UP WITH A PLAN. AT THAT TIME WE HEARD OVER RADIO THE ENEMY HAD BREACH THE WIRE IN THE EAST AND IN THE SOUTH. SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) THEN ASKED SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) AND MYSELF TO GO TO THE EAST SIDE OF THE COP WHERE THE ANA LIVED AND OUR BARRACKS WERE AND CLEAR ANY AAF THAT MIGHT BE ON THE COP. SO SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) AND MYSELF MOVED TOWARD THE EAST SIDE OF COP AND BEGAN TO CLEAR THE BARRACKS OF THIRD PLATOON AND HEADQUARTERS. ONCE WE CLEARED THOSE BARRACKS WE STARTED TO MANUEVER INTO THE ANA CAMP AND NOTICED THERE WAS AAF INSIDE COMPOUND. BUT DO TO THE ANA FORCES ON THE COMPOUND

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we couldn't get clear shots at the enemy due to the amount of ANA running around and smoke from the burning buildings. We did engage 4 to 5 AAF on that compound. Once we felt the compound was secure we started to gather up any resources we could find, such as ammo, first aid supplies, radios, and ect. (b)(3), (b)(6) spotted an enemy position by north face mid. He began to engage the enemy with his M-4 and then called me over to engage with my M203. After Sgt (b)(3), (b)(6) engage with 40 rounds of 5.56 and 2 rounds of 40mm He from my 203 we were able to confirm the enemy was killed. We then heard over over the radio enemy was coming down the diving board and the water fall. So while guarding the east I was able to position myself to face diving board and water fall considering both those positions were 200 meters to the east. And I began engaging enemy personnel with 5.56 and 40mm 203 rounds. I counted at least 10 to 15 AAF to the east. I was also able to position our LRAS 1 truck which had a MK19 on it, and told the gunner to engage those positions. Between the both of us I would say we killed or severely wounded at least 8 enemy. From that point on all the QRF platoons arrived we pulled security to the east, north, and the west. The southern part of the COP was the hardest to cover do to the lack of personnel we were covered pretty thin, we only had 35 fighters to cover the COP. (b)(3), (b)(6)

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I, (b)(3), (b)(6), HAVE READ OR HAVE HAD READ TO ME THIS STATEMENT WHICH BEGINS ON PAGE 1, AND ENDS ON PAGE 3. I FULLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ENTIRE STATEMENT MADE BY ME. THE STATEMENT IS TRUE. I HAVE INITIALED ALL CORRECTIONS AND HAVE INITIALED THE BOTTOM OF EACH PAGE CONTAINING THE STATEMENT. I HAVE MADE THIS STATEMENT FREELY WITHOUT HOPE OF BENEFIT OR REWARD, WITHOUT THREAT OF PUNISHMENT, AND WITHOUT COERCION, UNLAWFUL INFLUENCE

(b)(3), (b)(6) (Signature)

WITNESSES:

BEARO TROOP 3-61 CAV  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Person Administering Oath)

(Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

(Authority To Administer Oaths)

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