

SWORN STATEMENT

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

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1. LOCATION: FOB Bostick
2. DATE (YYYYMMDD): 20091010
3. TIME: 1500
4. FILE NUMBER:
5. (b)(3), (b)(6)
6. SSN: (b)(3), (b)(6)
7. GRADE/STATUS: E-5/Active
8. ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS: 4/4th ID 3-61 cav. BTRP 3rd PIT

9. I, (b)(3), (b)(6), WANT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT UNDER OATH:
On October 3rd, 2009 at 0600, COP Keating was hit by B-10's and RPG's. I woke up immediately, put on my gear and began to wake up 3rd Platoon with SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) and SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) after that we got the word that the track needed ammo. Myself, SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) SPC Scusa, SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) PFC (b)(3), (b)(6) went to the ASP. I handed out the ammo and directed where to bring it. I told the soldiers to meet me at the 3rd PIT barracks for further instructions. I then brought MK-19 Ammo to L Ras-1, SPC Scusa and SPC (b)(3), (b)(6), and PFC (b)(3), (b)(6) returned. I got word from my radio, that the tracks were already running low on ammo. I sent SPC, Scusa, and SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) to make another ammo run. at this time SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) and SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) returned and SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) sustained wounds from and APG. SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) began first aid on him. Then I sent SPC Scusa and SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) out the door. Two seconds later SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) crawled back in the door and said him

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ADDITIONAL PAGES MUST CONTAIN THE HEADING "STATEMENT OF (b)(3), (b)(6) TAKEN AT (b)(3), (b)(6) DATED (b)(3), (b)(6)"

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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and SPC Scasa was hit. I sent SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) to SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) to receive first aid. I then went out the door to get SPC Scasa and was fired on by a sniper. I took cover behind LRAS-1 and assessed (b)(3), (b)(6) SPC Scasa and realized he was KIA. I called for SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) to bring smoke and help me with the body. We both popped smoke and brought his body to the aid station. Then myself, SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) and SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) went back to the ASP. I was in front and stopped to clear the corner and the enemy fired 2-3 RPG in our direction. myself and SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) both took small pieces of shrapnel in legs and arm. We fired back and got the ASP. SSG (b)(3), (b)(6) SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) and SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) linked up with us and covered the (B)(2) High myself and SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) linked up with SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) and got the order to clear the East. myself and SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) LT (b)(3), (b)(6) and SPC (b)(3), (b)(6) cleared blue's barracks, overflow, and ANA side of cop. and saw 4-5 AAF mixed with ANA. we shot at the ones that we had PID but it was hard to ID because ANA side was already on fire. we took positions around blue's barracks. I found any medical supplies I could to bring to the aid station. on my way back I spotted 1 AAF on north face mid and immediately engaged. I fired about 60 rounds but he had good cover. I had him pinned and called SGT (b)(3), (b)(6) to bring his 203. He shot 2 to 3 rounds of HE while I was firing 5.56. We both witnessed his body fall. SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) called me on the radio

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and told me to take his position over by the Chow hall. when I got there it was PFC (b)(3), (b)(6) (b)(3), (b)(6) We had 2 240B and about 600 rounds per gun. I sent (b)(3), (b)(6) and (b)(3), (b)(6) out for as much 7.62 as they could find. I started to pat C-ware up from the tool shed and noticed 1 AAF by the maintaice bay. and fired 6-7 well controled aimed shots untill I saw him fall. (b)(3), (b)(6) and (b)(3), (b)(6) returned with more ammo and we began to provide cover fire for SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) and a team to clear the west side of the cop. with the guns talking we fired about 1500 round per gun. QRF came down later and I met them at the gate. on the way I spotted SGT Hardt body. after QRF was all in the wire, I called SFC (b)(3), (b)(6) to bring a litter to recover his body. He had multiple wounds on him. (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 of Person Making Statement)

WITNESSES:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a person authorized by law to administer oaths, this 10 day of Oct, 2009 at Fob Bostick

ORGANIZATION OR ADDRESS

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(Signature of Person Administering Oath)

(Typed Name of Person Administering Oath)

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