

The following paragraph was not correct so I changed line 5 and 6 (out of 6):

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Thanks for the help.

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Subject: AR 15-6 investigation interview notes (CONFIDENTIAL)

Sir -

Below are notes from MG Swan interview yesterday. Appreciate, sir, if you could review and correct/amend/add as appropriate, and then send back and we'll include as record of conversation. Please advise any questions, sir.

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AR 15-6 Legal Advisor

On 30 Oct 09, MG Swan interviewed Brig Gen Kwast as part of an AR 15-6 investigation re: COP Keating. Brig Gen Kwast, Cdr, 455th AEW, provided the following information:

- Best measure of CAS is time from guy on ground calls for support and bombs on target
- Army defines TIC response time standards; check systems for responsiveness to call for support, i.e., when crew gets call, what procedures follow; working comms en route to target area so no delay on target; act with appropriate urgency
- Major USAF effort is to push down JTACs to small units/outposts

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- Want JTAC to be instrument for ground force commander; have conversations, but not levy as requirement; requirement is on ground force commander knowing situation

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