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POST INCIDENT REPORT
Z COY GP CLEARANCE OP SOUTH OF GMR DC

GENERAL

1. Clear within boundaries not disrupt EF activity and guarantee freedom of manoeuvre in GMR DC.
2. FST Mission. Provide timely OS throughout the Operation.
3. Bdrys. Rpt lines ARBROATH, Gd (between the eastern and western ANP checkpoints in GMR DC) TAUNTON, Gd PLYMOUTH, Gd (between road track junction and old southern ANP CP).

DETAIL

4. Between approx 0600-1130hrs the FST was at Gd (known as ()). This provided good SA and allowed the JTAC to prosecute depth targets when LD C/S came into contact. 1 Tp advanced from ARBROATH south, going firm at Gd (small buildings). The FST moved forward and co-located with 1 Tp Comd. 1 Troop then moved forward to report line TAUNTON at grid ().

At this point the JTAC was controlling 2 x AH 64 that were providing ISTAR in depth (south). The two AH had already spotted and engaged 8 x EF reinforcing from the south. Concurrently, to our west 4 x Scimitar AFVs were engaging approx 15 x EF, while to the east 4 Tp and 5 Tp were clearing compounds south (both C/S met little or no resistance) until approx level with our position.

5. Between 1145-1230hrs 1 Tp remained at TAUNTON. The AH had now left the area. 2 x F 18 were on station (). As soon as the 2 x AH had left effective SAF was received at all FF locations. EF Pax were observed at (a large compound), and further EF were PID'd at (an east-west tree line). 1 Tp was also engaged by SAF from the west, (an east-west tree line), and sporadic SAF from approx from the north (). Thus, our C/S was receiving effective SAF and RPG fire from three sides.

SA of FF locns was maintained and confirmed by the JTAC, communications between and the JTAC were intermittent due to heavy fire by both sides. I was happy with the tgt at (). I requested 1x strafe east to west along that tgt and the C/S came in from the east and engaged accurately. After a brief pause SAF resumed. A new Gd in the same compound was sent, requesting 1 x 500lb bomb, running in from west to east. Again, the C/S engaged accurately. Despite this, due to EF's good use of the terrain, effective SAF continued and a new Gd in the same compound was sent. I was 'talked on' to this tgt and once happy dropped a 500lb bomb achieving a direct hit. Simultaneously, effective SAF fire was received from the north and west but EF fire ceased from the compound and it is assessed that EF moved west along the tree-line at ().

6. The [redacted] was asked if he was happy with the last target. He confirmed, and after hitting it already the JTAC was happy they were both talking about the same position. The JTAC asked if [redacted] could see the east-west tree-line heading west out of, and level with, his last target. [redacted] confirmed he could see the tree line and also confirmed that he was "happy" with the target as described. The JTAC again requested a heading of west to east to give the safest attack heading, and requested [redacted] to call when "tipping in". The tgt was nlt 325m and nmt 470m from FF, therefore it was not danger close. [redacted] called in 'Wings Level' and the JTAC cleared him hot on to the tgt. Almost immediately, the first rounds of the 20mm cannon strafe engaged our posn, while the majority of the rounds landed in the field and the En compound to the south ivo [redacted]. I believe that one of two courses of action took place.

- a. [redacted] strafed north-west to south-east, released the rounds short and hit our position and the old En location.
- b. [redacted] mistook the FF loc for the En position.

7. Scimitar AFVs were tasked to wdr the casualty and body. 1 Tp then conducted a fighting wdr to the OC Z Coy's posn at grid [redacted]. Arty, alr and AH were tasked to cover our wdr and slow any EF follow up.

AS
Capt
For CO 29 Cdo Regt RA.

Annexes:

- A. FF/EF Locations.
- B. Report Lines.

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Investigation Brief, No:
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Crime Reference No: 83187/06

Local Reference No: SIB/KAF/97/06

Investigation
Zulu Company, 4

Abbreviations

45 Cdo RM – 45 Commando Royal Marines	SAF – Small Arms Fire
29 Cdo RA – 29 Commando Royal Artillery	RPG - Rocket Propelled Grenade
LD – Light Dragoons	
FST – Fire Support Team	
OMLT – Operational Mentoring and Liaison Team	
JTAC – Joint Tactical Air Controller	
Coy – Company	
Sqn – Squadron	
Tp – Troop	
CF – Coalition Forces	
EF – Enemy Forces	
GDC – Garmsir District Centre	
MSR – Main Supply Route	
LOE – Limit of Exploitation	

Background and Area of Operations

On Tue 5 Dec 06, Z Coy, 45 Cdo RM consisting of 1 Tp, 4 Tp and 5 Tp, with elements of C Sqn, LD, a Tp from 79 Bty, 29 Cdo RA, two FSTs, and elements of the OMLT, conducted a Clearance Operation in the vicinity of Garmsir, Helmand Province, Afghanistan.

(Refer to Map) The nature of the operation was to clear positions (ground/buildings/cover) that were being used by EF to engage CF, ANA and ANP, which were in GDC and disrupt EF movement in that area. This involved moving through approximately 1.5 km of ground to the South of GDC, starting at Phaseline Arbroath, which was an MSR running East – West, from a bridge in the vicinity of GR 1, bounded by the River Helmand on the West and a prominent canal to the East at . Approx 700 m South of Phaseline Arbroath was Phaseline Taunton running East – West from (approx) to (approx). A further 800 m South of this Phaseline was the LOE at Phaseline Plymouth, running East – West from (approx) to (approx).

(Refer to Map) Each Tp were allocated specific clearance areas running North to South from Arbroath to Plymouth, detailed as Alpha 1 – Alpha 3 for 1 Tp, Bravo 1 – Bravo 3 for 4 Tp and Charlie 1 – Charlie 3 for 5 Tp. The order of clearance was A1, B1, C1, A2 and so forth, with each area being cleared and held prior to the next area being cleared.

1 Tp Personalities

HQ

– Tp Commander
– Tp SNCO
– Radio Operator

Attached Ranks

3 – FST/JTAC
– FST
1 – FST
– Royal Engineer
– Medical Assistant

1 Section

- IC
- 2IC

2 Section

- IC
- 2IC

3 Section

- IC
- 2IC

Extracted Witness Evidence

Capt [redacted] - 1 Troop crossed Phaseline Arbroath at approximately 0645 hrs and proceeded South through A1 and A2. Between 1200hrs and 1215 hrs approx, 1 Tp came under sustained SAF and RPG fire, from a compound on the Northern edge of B3 at [redacted]. A series of air strikes, from both AH and fixed wing were called in to suppress the enemy fire. At that time, 1 Tp were located in an irrigation ditch on Phaseline Taunton, around [redacted] 1 and 2 Sections, including the HQ, were in the ditch, whilst 3 Section were located approximately 150m to the west. During this time, EF managed to envelope the western flank and move to our North and rear, where we began to receive accurate SAF. About 1300 hrs (estimated) a fire mission was called by C/S [redacted] (FST), to hit EF in an East - West woodland at the enemy target at B3, which was approximately 400m to the South of 1 Tp position. CAS was being provided by F18 fast jet. In response to the call for an air strike, an F18, possible two in pairs, dropped a bomb on the EF location at B3 and possible a 2nd bomb run, as it may have initially missed its target. A message was then relayed by Capt [redacted] that the next F18 would be coming in using its mounted machine guns. The F18 came in on its gun run, from a North Westerly direction and opened fire, the main impact of its rounds falling in the location of the HQ and 1 Section, during which time both Mne [redacted] was injured and Mne [redacted] sustained fatal injuries.

Mne [redacted] - Capt [redacted] then contacted the F18 aircraft to provide assistance. He confirmed our position on the ground with the pilot 4 or 5 times. Capt [redacted] told us to get down as the aircraft was going to do an attack run using its guns. It passed once however I believe it aborted, it then came around again for a second pass. I could not see the aircraft as I was in cover in the ditch. I heard the aircraft begin to fire its cannons, as it did so I immediately felt a violent shake and pain to my left arm. It felt like I had received a massive hit from something. I fell to the ground and knew I had been shot. Although I had been in cover, due to the ditch wall, rounds were still striking around us. I would further state that I believe that it was totally coincidental that I was struck in the arm at the same time that the F18 began firing. I could not see where the jet was firing.

LCpl [redacted] - Whilst in the ditch we came under SAF from half left to our front. The fire was coming from a compound about 350 to 400 metres away. About 15 minutes into our engaged fire fight with the SAF to the front, the FST had managed to call in air support in the form of, first, an Apache helicopter gunship. The Apache came in from our right and fired its guns onto the compound and then Hellfire missiles on the compound. Then it left the area. Shortly after this a fast jet was called in and it dropped a 500lb bomb on the compound. As it did so, I stopped engaging the SAF area and went to ground. After the bomb had gone off, I was up again and engaged the SAF area. We were then told that the fast jet was coming in for a second bombing run, so we went to ground again, but we were soon up again as the run had been cancelled. The fast jet then came in again from a West to East and began to strafe the ditch with canon fire. As I believed it to be another bomb run, I had hit the

ground, as had some of the other lads. As the canon fire came in, it started at the rear right of the ditch and came into the ditch at an angle and then out across the ground to our front left. I then felt something hit my left shoulder/upper arm area, which I believed to be stones or mud kicked up by the incoming aircraft fire, but I checked myself and brushed myself down. I was not injured in any way.

Mne - After about 15 minutes of getting incoming SAF, I heard information being passed down the line that a fast jet was to drop a bomb on the compound that we were firing at. I recall hearing the jet come in and I got down in to cover and covered my ears. The jet did not drop the bomb that time as there was no explosion. The jet then made a second run and I heard the warning, "Ears", meaning cover your ears. This time I saw the bomb strike the compound; after this we continued to get incoming SAF from the compound, so we continued to return fire. I then heard the jet come in for another run and again I took cover in the trench but this time the jet fired its guns along the trench from the right to left. It sounded like a ripping sound. I then closed my eyes for a split second and something hit me in the back of the leg. I initially thought I had been hit, so I checked myself for injuries, as were the others in the trench and realised I hadn't been hit.

Mne - About 10 minutes later, I heard from the FS Team, who speak directly to the pilots snout, "There is an F18 coming to bomb the enemy's position" or words to that effect. I then heard the sound of the bomb whilst in the bottom of the trench. It was then passed down to everybody in the trench that that the F18 was going to engage the enemy. I heard the noise of the F18 flying over our position, however, can not recall the direction of the travel. I then saw bits of dirt flying up from the trench as the F18 was flying over our location. As the dirt was getting lofted, I put my head down into the trench, when I brought my head back up I saw Mne tending to Mne they were both East of my position.

Mne - Fast Jet dropped a 500lb bomb on the tree line to the right of the compound. The 10 second count down was heard and we all dropped to the ground and covered our ears. I cannot be sure but another bomb may have been dropped in the same location or on the compound. I know that there was a bombing run halted as the count down stopped mid way through. Fast jet then made another run which came in from the West and appear to fly the line of the trench. As it did it started to open fire with the guns. I was on the Northern bank of the trench and kept my head down, but still noticed that rounds were hitting the ground ahead of me near where Mne was. I could see the dust popping up from the ground and leaves from the trees coming down. I put my head down and didn't look up again. I'm not sure what it was but something hit me on the left in the area of my hip.

Capt - I made contact with two F18 jets operating in the area who were, I believe, using callsigns 07 and I directed the first jet, onto an enemy compound at . The pilot replied, "Happy target", which indicated to me that he had located the target. The pilot requested to know the position of friendly call signs on the ground, which I gave him by providing ground features and our grid reference. The pilot replied, "Happy friendlies", which indicated to me that he was aware of our position in the trench.

I requested the pilot to drop a 500lb bomb on the compound I had identified, attacking from east to west. This direction I considered to be safe, as if the bomb was dropped short, there would be no friendly forces in that area. The operation was not a danger close mission, by this I mean that we were not right next to the enemy. The enemy were no closer than 325m and no more than 470m away, the danger close distance for this operation . The pilot called, "Wings level", which

indicated that he was ready to drop his bomb. cleared the pilot to attack. The aircraft made its pass and achieved a direct hit on the compound.

The enemy forces stopped firing for a period for about 20 seconds then began again. requested that the callsign attack the compound again. This time he carried out a strafing attack using 20mm Vulcan cannon. Again, fire stopped briefly then continued. Throughout this period, 1 Troop was returning fire. Enemy fire continued to be received from a watch tower structure at , I therefore directed to drop another 500lb bomb on that location. I do not recall if the aircraft attacked East to West or West to East. As the aircraft attacked, it pulled up and did not drop its bomb. It circled and returned for another pass but again it did not drop. I do not know the reason for this; however, transferred me to his wingman (C/S I).

asked the new pilot if he was happy with the location that the last bomb was dropped and he acknowledged that he was. sent him the grid reference for the tower again. The aircraft attacked east to west and dropped a 500lb bomb on the tower. Following the attack, enemy were seen to be moving in the area of a tree line at I therefore decided to have I carry out a gun attack on that position. asked the pilot if he could see where he had dropped the last bomb, which he confirmed. then said, "Can you see the tree line slightly to the south of the tower which heads east west"?

The pilot replied, "Affirm".

said, "Cleared hot", which means that the aircraft was clear to attack.

Due to the amount of incoming fire, was unable to see the aircraft. kept taking a quick look over the top of the ditch to see the target. The aircraft attacked, however it was our position that was strafed. could see rounds hit the ground immediately to the North of our tree line and to the South East. immediately instructed the pilot to cease fire. Simultaneously saw to my left that there was a casualty. This person was one of the Marines of 1 Troop, who was stood approximately 2m to my left. I could see that this person had an injury to his left arm however I had not seen him get hit. Further down the trench from him, could see some people trying to give treatment to a second casualty. reported to the F18 aircraft that we had casualties, however didn't say that believed it was because of their strafing attack.

- () was handed a 20 mm Round by LBdr , which he had found in the ditch near to Mne webbing. He has also provided SIB RMP with a Post Incident Report.

Mne : - At this time the rate of SAF increase on our position and SAF seemed to come in on us from the South, East and North. To our South was a tower position used to put a lot of SAF on us, so again air support was called in by This time an F18 aircraft came in and did three runs. On runs 1 and 2, the F18 hit the tower target with either its canons or another 500lb bomb. One run was with cannon and the other was with the 500lb bomb. On the 3rd run the F18 seemed to come in over my right shoulder at an angle and strafe our position. As the F18 came in on the 3rd run and started to strafe our position the ground around us was kicked up and the trees to the front of the ditch had been cut up by the gunfire. There was a few seconds of confusion as to what had happened and then I checked myself over to make sure I was okay.

During this fire fight we started taking incoming fire from the North and West, which pinned us in the trench. It was at this point I heard the FST request air support. He provided the enemy location as being the compound south of our position and in the tree line next to the compound. I believe he repeated this information. Fast jet flew by the compound and dropped about three bombs; however, we still received incoming from the compound area. We saw the fast jet bank round and come back again and this time it appeared to come along the trench line, however, this time it opened fire with cannons. As this happened, from my crater location, I saw (Mne) take a hit which pushed him into the corner of the culvert. The fire continued along the trench. At first I could not believe what had happened, but then heard people screaming, so I ran from my position to the culvert area where I took over from the medic who was seeing to . As this happened I heard the FST cancelling any further fly-bys. I wish to add that Al () relayed some net chatter from the fast jet, in which the pilot had stated words to the effect of, "I think I have hit friendly" and, "I think it's the Pointsman."

- to be questioned further regarding his conversation with the pilot to confirm/refute . statement.

Surg I - Examined Mne after he had been extracted from the contact area and detailed that he had a large 10 cm in diameter wound to his mid back. He was not breathing, had no circulation, no pulse and pupils were fixed and dilated and was subsequently pronounced dead at 1320 hrs.

Lt Col . Army Doctor - Examined Mne at the Field Hospital in Camp Bastion and noted that he had 2 wounds to his left upper arm, both approximately 2 cms across.

SSgt
RMP (SIB)

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ATO Tasking Mission.

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A

TSKCNTRY ---- Tasked Country ----
Country:

SVCTASK ---- Service Tasked ----
Tasked Service:

TASKUNIT ---- Task Unit :
Tasked Unit Id:
Location:

AMSNDAT ---- Aircraft Mission Data ----
Msn No.:
AMC Msn/Event No.:
Package Id:
Msn Commander:
Prim Msn Type:
Secondary Msn Type:
Alert Status:
Departure Location:
Recovery Location:

MSNACFT ---- Individual Aircraft Mission Data ----
No. of Aircraft:
AC Type and Model:
Aircraft Callsign:
Prim Configuration:
Sec. Configuration:
IFF/SIF Mode - Code:
IFF/SIF Mode - Code:
IFF/SIF Mode - Code:

ARINFO ---- Aerial Refueling Information ----
Aircraft Callsign:
Msn No.:
IFF/SIF Mode-Code:
Control Point:
Altitude X100 Ft:
Control Time:
End Time:
Offload Fuel:
Prim Freq.:
Secondary Freq.:
Aircraft Type:
Air Refueling Sys:

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Msn No.:
IFF/SIF Mode-Code:
Control Point:
Altitude X100 Ft:
Control Time:
End Time:
Offload Fuel:
Prim Freq.:
Secondary Freq.:
Aircraft Type:
Air Refueling Sys:

AMSNDAT ---- Aircraft Mission Location ----
Start:
Stop:
Msn Location Name:
Altitude X100 Ft:

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AMPN ---- Amplification ----

REQNO ---- Request Number ----
Request No.:

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December 2006

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Sortie Totals, November 2006

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November Totals

As of 30 Nov 2006

All Sorties

	SORTIES						HOURS			TRAPS		
	Day		Night		Total Flown	Completion Rate	Day	Night	Total	Day	Night	Total
	Sched	Flown	Sched	Flown								
VFA-143	151	149	238	237	386	99%	566.2	595.8	1162.0	142	256	398
VFA-103	171	163	233	215	378	94%	578.5	508.8	1087.3	160	226	386
VFA-83	128	127	173	173	300	100%	480.7	406.3	887.0	101	189	290
VFA-131	132	129	169	163	292	97%	475.9	431.4	907.3	141	170	311
VAQ-140	60	57	70	66	123	95%	268.4	234.5	502.9	33	27	60
VAW-125	32	32	84	82	114	98%	198.3	265.6	463.9	28	85	113
HS-5	94	93	86	86	179	99%	262.6	206.3	468.9	N/A	N/A	N/A
VRC-40	102	96	2	2	98	94%	239.6	6.9	246.5	36	0	36
CVW-7	870	846	1055	1024	1870	97%	3070.2	2655.6	5725.8	641	953	1594

BOARDING RATE

	Pilot			Combat		
	Day	Night	Total	Day	Night	Total
VFA-143	93%	92%	92%	83%	90%	88%
VFA-103	96%	94%	94%	95%	93%	93%
VFA-83	98%	93%	94%	96%	90%	91%
VFA-131	86%	96%	90%	85%	94%	88%
VAQ-140	96%	96%	97%	96%	92%	93%
VAW-125	96%	98%	97%	96%	97%	97%
CVW-7	92%	93%	93%	89%	91%	91%

Sortie Equivalent Length	3.01	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE
VFA-143	3.01	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE
VFA-103	2.88	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE
VFA-83	2.95	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE
VFA-131	3.11	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE
VAQ-140	4.09	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE
VAW-125	4.07	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE
HS-5	2.62	AVG. HRS PER SORTIE

WIRE DISTRIBUTION			
Wire	3	2	
1	0	0	
2	0	0	
3	0	0	
4	0	0	
Target wire:			
Percent	Tgt 3		N/A
Target	Tgt 2		N/A
Wire			

Case III Timing	
Day Evt Fac:	1.31
NT Evt Fac:	1.94

Stats bold are below standard

Dx CBT B/R: 90%

Nx CBT B/R: 88%

Total CBT B/R: 89%

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December Totals

As of 4 Dec

All Sorties

	SORTIES						HOURS						TRAPS						
	Day		Night		Total		Day		Night		Total		Day		Night		Total		
	Sked	Flown	Sked	Flown	Total	Completion Rate	Sked	Flown	Total	Completion Rate	Sked	Flown	Total	Completion Rate	Day	Night	Total	Day	Night
VFA-143	27	28	30	29	57	100%	88.6	79.5	168.1	28	28	56	2	2	4	57			
VFA-103	26	24	27	26	50	94%	84.1	60.0	144.1	24	26	50	1	6	7	50			
VFA-83	26	25	14	14	39	98%	81.3	39.9	121.2	25	14	39	2	0	2	39			
VFA-131	20	19	15	15	34	97%	52.8	31.9	84.6	19	15	34	2	0	2	34			
VAO-140	6	6	10	10	16	100%	38.3	31.6	69.9	1	4	5	0	0	0	5			
VAW-125	7	7	7	7	14	100%	30.4	29.7	60.1	7	7	14	0	0	0	14			
HS-5	10	10	11	11	21	100%	35.2	24.8	60.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	n/a			
VRC-40	16	16	0	0	16	100%	45.3	0.0	45.3	7	0	7	0	0	0	7			
CVW-7	138	135	114	112	247	98%	454.1	297.4	751.5	111	95	206	7	8	15	206			

	BOARDING RATE					
	Pilot			Combat		
	Day	Night	Total	Day	Night	Total
VFA-143	94%	96%	95%	94%	94%	94%
VFA-103	94%	97%	95%	94%	94%	94%
VFA-83	100%	100%	100%	96%	92%	93%
VFA-131	100%	100%	100%	100%	94%	95%
VAQ-140	100%	89%	92%	100%	89%	98%
VAW-125	92%	100%	92%	100%	89%	92%
CVW-7	96%	97%	96%	94%	92%	93%

	Sortie Equipment/Limit	
	Avg. Hrs Per Sortie	Avg. Hrs Per Sortie
VFA-143	2.95	2.86
VFA-103	2.88	3.11
VFA-83	2.49	4.24
VFA-131	4.24	4.29
VAQ-140	4.29	2.86
VAW-125	2.86	
HS-5		

WIRE DISTRIBUTION	
Wire	3
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	0
Target wire:	
Tgt 3	N/A
Tgt 2	N/A
Wire	

Stats bold are below standard	
Dx CBT B/R:	90%
Nx CBT B/R:	88%
Total CBT B/R:	89%
Case fill Timing	
Interval:	2
Day Ext Fac:	1.32
NT Ext Fac:	1.98

	COMBAT SORTIES						COMBAT/GWOT HOURS					
	OEF		OIF		ISD/GWOT/SD/GWOT		OEF		OIF		GWOT	
	Sked	Flown	Sked	Flown	Sked	Flown	Rate	Completion	Rate	Completion	Rate	Completion
VFA-143	13	13	0	0	0	0	100%	100%	83.9	0	0	83.9
VFA-103	12	12	0	0	0	0	100%	100%	75.7	0	0	75.7
VFA-83	14	14	0	0	0	0	100%	100%	86	0	0	86.0
VFA-131	9	9	0	0	0	0	100%	100%	53.3	0	0	53.3
VAQ-140	2	2	11	11	0	0	100%	100%	13	52.1	0	65.1
VAW-125	14	14	0	0	0	0	100%	100%	60.1	0	0	60.1
HS-5	0	0	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	
TOTAL	64	64	11	11	0	0	100%	100%	372	52.1	0	424.1

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Joint Tactical Air Strike
Request, 3 December 2006

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JOINT TACTICAL AIR STRIKE REQUEST

See Joint Pub 1-09 for instructions for preparation

SECTION I - MISSION REQUEST

1. UNIT CALLED		REQUEST NUMBER		DATE: 03-Dec-06	
		RM SHG211		TIME	BY
2. PREPLANNED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IMMEDIATE: <input type="checkbox"/>		A. PRECEDENCE 8.4 of 10	B. PRIORITY 3	1100Z	RECEIVED
3. TARGET IS / NUMBER OF				TIME	BY
A. PERS IN OPEN	B. PERS DUG IN	C. WPNS/MG/RR/AT	D. MORTARS/ARTY		
E. AAA/ADA	F. RKTS/MISSILES	G. ARMOR	H. VEHICLES		
I. BLDGS	J. BRIDGES	K. PILLBOXES/BUNKERS	L. SUPPLIES/EQUIP		
M. CENTER (CP/COM)	N. MOG(N)	O. ROUTE	P. MOVING N S E W		
Q. REMARKS: CAS / Presence					
4. TARGET LOCATION IS					
A. (COORDINATES)	B. (COORDINATES)	C. (COORDINATES)	D. CHECKED		
E. 1000FT AGL	F. SHEET NO.	G. SERIES	H. CHART NO.		
5. TARGET TIME/DATE					
A.	B. INLT	C. AD: 050730Z Dec06	D. TO: 050930Z Dec06		
6. DESIRED ORDNANCE/RESULTS					
A. ORDNANCE	B. DESTROY	C. NEUTRALIZE	D. DETECT/DETER		
7. FINAL CONTROL					
A. JTAC TYPE III	B. CALL SIGN:	C. FREQ:			
8. REMARKS:					
ISO 42 CDO BG OP: (Level D)					
Mission: DEFEND MOG N IOT INTERDICT and DEFEAT local EF Elms attempting to regain influence in the area.					
Request: AC that is capable of kinetic, precision strike and low-level SOF if needed. It is desirable that the AC is able to conduct NTISR and pass SA and pattern of activity to the JTAC. A pod equipped AC able to PID man size tgts and crew served wpn systems is highly desirable.					
Comm: Check in with N in Primary Td					
Fr Sit: The artillery Manouvre Outreach Group (MOG) North is essential to ensuring CF influence and manouvre capability is maintained within the N of HELMAND. It supports local ANSF and reassures local elms of the sy situation helping to DISLOCATE the EF influence. CAS sp is key to providing enhanced SA and the ability to rapidly engage PID EF elms in breach of local ceasefire agreements. Its presence and deterrent effect is crucial to DEFEAT EF elms and enhancing FP, MOG(N) influence, freedom of manouvre for CF and supporting local CF friendly elms in their effort to retain control of the area against determined					

SECTION II - COORDINATION

9. NSFS	10. ARTY	11. AFO/G2/G3
12. REQUEST <input type="checkbox"/> APPROVED <input type="checkbox"/> DISAPPROVED	13. BY	14. REASON FOR DISSAPPROVAL
15. RESTRICTIVE FIRE/AIR PLAN		
A. IS NOT IN EFFECT	B. NUMBER	16. IS IN EFFECT
17. LOCATION	18. WIDTH (METERS)	A. (FROM TIME) B. (TO TIME)
A. FROM	19. ALTITUDE/VERTEX	A. (MAX VERTEX) B. (MINIMUM)
B. TO		

SECTION III - MISSION DATA

20. MISSION NUMBER	21. CALL SIGN	22. NO. & TYPE AIRCRAFT	23. ORDNANCE
24. EST/ACT TAKEOFF	25. EST TOT	26. CONT PT (COORDS)	27. INITIAL CONTACT
28. FAC/TAC(A) CALLSIGN/FREQ	29. AIRSPACE COORDINATION AREA	30. TGT DESCRIPTION	31. TGT COORDINATION/ELEV*

32. BATTLE DAMAGE ASSESSMENT (BDA) REPORT (USMIF INFLTREP)

LINE 1/CALLSIGN _____ LINE 4/LOCATION _____

LINE 2/MSN NUMBER _____ LINE 5/TOT _____

LINE 3/REQ NUMBER _____ LINE 6/RESULTS _____

REMARKS _____

*TRANSMIT AS APPROPRIATE

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Mission MISREP, 5 December
2006

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OPER/OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM//

MSGID/MISREP/COMCARAIRWING 7/051310ZDEC2006//

MSNID/ATORM/STRIKE/PA7301//

FLTDTAIL/ 02/2/FA18C/0550Z/1200Z/1210Z//

TIMESPEC/0655Z/1024Z//

AMPN/FA18C/

RESULT/ /-/SUCCESSFUL. WPN DETONATED HIGH ORDER. WSV AND
CONFIRMED WPN IMPACT AS DIRECT HIT AT SE CORNER OF COMPOUND. (

AMPN/ATO_RM_ _MSN_ _STRIKE_01//

TGTPOS/1B/-/

RESULT/ ./-/SUCCESSFUL. CONFIRMED DIRECT HITS.
NO WSV.//

TGTPOS/2A/

RESULT/ /-/SUCCESSFUL. WPN DETONATED HIGH ORDER. AND
CONFIRMED WPN IMPACT AS DIRECT HIT.

AMPN/ATO_RM_ _MSN_ _STRIKE_01//

TGTPOS/

RESULT/BENDER 01/-/RESULTS UNKNOWN.

AMPN/ATO_RM_ _MSN_ _STRIKE_03//

TARWI/AREA WX CLEAR.//

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NARR/AT 0550Z.

02 CHECKED ON STATION WITH ON AT 0731Z,
TALKED ON TO FRIENDLY POSITION AT IVO AND WERE
TASKED WHICH WAS TAKING FIRE.
TO COND NTISR FOR ACM MOVEMENT NEAR 3
COLLOCATED COMPOUNDS APPROX 500M NORTH OF FRIENDLY POSITION. NO ACM
MOVEMENT WAS NOTED. INFO PASSED TO NFTR. AT 0752Z,
REQUESTED 1X GBU-12 ON ANOTHER ACM COMPOUND FROM WHICH HE WAS TAKING FIRE

15.9K MSL HDG 290, 5 DEG DIVE ANG AT 520 KTAS UNDER TYPE I CONTROL.
CONFIRMED GOOD EFFECTS ON SE CORNER OF COMPOUND. AT 0758Z,
REQUESTED STRAFING RUN ON TOWER AT NW CORNER OF COMPOUND DUE TO ENEMY
FIRE. AT 0759Z, EXPENDED 180X 20MM

EFFECTS AND SAID ENEMY FIRE CEASED. AT 0810Z, CONFIRMED GOOD
ON A 2 STORY BLDG WHERE ACM WERE FIRING FROM REQUESTED 1X GBU-12
MADE ONE RUN ON BLDG AND DID NOT DROP DUE TO AT 0811Z,
ATFLIR FAIL. AT 0814Z, RELEASED 1X GBU-12, WITH

CONTROL < CONFIRMED DIRECT HIT ON BLDG. AT 1814Z,
REQUESTED IMMEDIATE STRAFING RE-ATTACK ON EAST-WEST TREE LINE APPROX 50M
SOUTH OF PREVIOUS TGT. CONFIRMED RUN-IN HDG OF WEST TO EAST AND
LENGTH OF TREE LINE TO BE STRAFED. WAS CONFIRMED TGT
ACQUISITION AND CLEARED HOT. AT 0817Z, EXPENDED 213X 20MM HEI AT
OFF

TARGET, > BEGAN TAKING FIRE FROM AN UNKNOWN LOCATION AND CALLED
CHECK FIRE < POSITION WAS APPROX 140 DEG MAG FOR 1500FT FROM
LOCATION OF TREE LINE, AND LATER REPORTS INDICATED WAS HIT WITH
ENEMY FIRE SIMULTANEOUS WITH : STRAFE RUN. AT 0820Z,
CLEARED OFF STATION TO COND AR.

STATION WITH : AT WHICH TIME CHECKED BACK ON
& AND : COND SITUATION UPDATE WITH
OFF STATION TO COND AR AND RTB. AT 0950Z, : CLEARED

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December 2006

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Address: []

SEARCH ALL WEAPONS

Weapon Type: All

Result: All

Count: []

Search

Combined Search

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Alc/alt	Description	Service	Sof	Flares	Weapons
	Maintenance Cancellation				
	TIC (Troops in Contact) B				
	WX CAIIX				
	WX CAIIX				
	TIC (Troops in Contact) IA RM				
Remarks:	HVAA				

Air Wing MISREP for Incident

Pilot One

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CLASSIFICATION/:

OPER/OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM//

MSGID/MISREP/COMCARAIRWING 7/051310ZDEC2006//

MSNID/ATORM/STRIKE/PA7301//

FLTDTAIL/ _____ :/2/FA18C/0550Z/1200Z/1210Z//

TIMESPEC/0655Z/1024Z//

AMPN/FA18C

TGTPOS/1A/

RESULT/ _____ /-/SUCCESSFUL. WPN DETONATED HIGH ORDER. WSV AND
CONFIRMED WPN IMPACT AS DIRECT HIT AT SE CORNER OF COMPOUND.

AMPN/ATO_RM _____ _MSN_ _____ _STRIKE_01//

TGTPOS/1B/-,

RESULT/ _____ /-/SUCCESSFUL. _____ CONFIRMED DIRECT HITS.
_____, NO WSV.//

TGTPOS/2A/-/

RESULT/ _____ /-/SUCCESSFUL. WPN DETONATED HIGH ORDER. WSV AND
CONFIRMED WPN IMPACT AS DIRECT HIT.

AMPN/ATO_RM _____ _MSN_ _____ _STRIKE_01//

TGTPOS/1C/-/

RESULT/BENDER 01/-/RESULTS UNKNOWN. COND UNDER TYPE I CONTROL.//

AMPN/ATO_RM _____ _MSN_ _____ STRIKE_03//

TARWI/AREA WX CLEAR.//

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NAPP/AT 0550Z

0727Z, COMPLETED TURNOVER WITH AND WERE IMMEDIATELY
RE-TASKED BY TO SUPPORT TIC-IA IVO . AT 0731Z,
02 CHECKED ON STATION WITH ON 1 AND WERE
TALKED ON TO FRIENDLY POSITION AT WHICH WAS TAKING FIRE.
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CLEARED BENDER 01, 02 OFF STATION TO COND AR.
STATION WITH W AT WHICH TIME CHECKED BACK ON
COND SITUATION UPDATE WITH
BOTH ON-COMING RELIEF. AT 0950Z, CLEARED
OFF STATION TO COND AR AND RTB. I

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CAOC Notification to Air
Wing of Investigation of
Possible Friendly Fire

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(CCSG-8 Chief of Staff)

From: CCSG-8 Chief of Staff
Sent: Thursday, December 07, 2006 8:42 AM
To:
Subject: RE: SITREP

Classification:
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Chief of Staff, Carrier Strike Group EIGHT
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TO NAVCENT

SITREP//POSSIBLE FRIENDLY FIRE INCIDENT IN AFGHANISTAN INVOLVING FLIGHT ON
05DEC06//

1. AT 1845Z (2245 LOCAL) 06DEC06 THE SEVEN (CVW-7) NAVY LIAISON OFFICER TO THE
COALITION AIR OPERATIONS CENTER (CAOC) CALLED THE STRIKE WARFARE COMMANDER WATCH
OFFICER (XP) EMBARKED IN USS DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER (CVN 69) AND INFORMED XP THAT AN
INVESTIGATION HAD BEEN CONVENED INTO A POSSIBLE FRIENDLY FIRE INCIDENT INVOLVING GROUND
ELEMENTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE FORCE (ISAF) IN THE VICINITY OF
CVW-7 AIRCRAFT WERE PROVIDING CLOSE AIR SUPPORT (CAS) TO TROOPS
IN CONTACT (TIC) IN THAT AREA WHEN A COALITION FORCE SUFFERED A CASUALTY FROM GUNFIRE.
2. FLIGHT SUMMARY: A SECTION OF F-18C'S LED BY AN EXPERIENCED STRIKE LEAD
QUALIFIED O-4, WERE ASSIGNED TO A TIC EVENT UNDER TYPE 1 CAS (POSITIVE CONTROL BY A JOINT
TACTICAL AIR CONTROLLER WHO MUST VISUALLY SIGHT THE AIRCRAFT AND TARGET PRIOR TO ISSUING A
CLEARED HOT CALL). AFTER THREE SUCCESSFUL ORDNANCE DELIVERY RUNS BETWEEN 0752Z AND 0817Z
06DEC06 THAT WERE ASSESSED BY THE JTAC TO HAVE PROVIDED GOOD EFFECTS--TO INCLUDE TWO GBU-
12 DELIVERIES (500 POUND LASER GUIDED BOMBS) AND ONE 20MM STRAFING RUN-- WAS
ISSUED A CHECK FIRE SUBSEQUENT TO A SECOND STRAFING RUN. RECEIVED A CLEARED
HOT CALL FROM THE JTAC ON EACH OF THE FOUR ORDNANCE DELIVERY RUNS. WERE
CLEARED TO DEPART THE AREA AND RTB, AIR SUPPORT TURNED OVER TO OTHER COALITION
AIRCRAFT. TIMELINE OF THE EVENT PER THE MISREP (REF A) IS AS FOLLOWS:
- A. 0752Z: (JTAC'S CALLSIGN) ESTABLISHES A FRIENDLY POSITION AT
AND DIRECTS BENDER FLIGHT TO INVESTIGATE
- B. 0752Z: IS TAKING FIRE AND DIRECTS FLIGHT--
-TO DELIVER AN LGB.
- C. 0757Z: DELIVERS AN LGB AND CONFIRMS GOOD EFFECTS.

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D. 0758Z: INFORMS THAT THE INCOMING FIRE HAS SHIFTED TO THE NW CORNER OF THE SAME COMPOUND AND DIRECTS FLIGHT TO CONDUCT A STRAFING RUN ON THE NW CORNER OF THE COMPOUND. EXPENDS 180 ROUNDS ON THE TARGET. CONFIRMS GOOD EFFECTS.

E. 0810Z: CONTINUES RECEIVING INCOMING FIRE AND DIRECTS FLIGHT TO A NEW TARGET--A TWO STORY BUILDING AT

F. 0814Z: DELIVERS AN LGB ON THE TARGET. CONFIRMS A DIRECT HIT AND GOOD EFFECTS.

G. 0814Z: REQUESTS AN IMMEDIATE STRAFING ATTACK ON A TREE LINE 50 METERS FROM THE PREVIOUS TARGET.

H. 0817Z: ROLLS IN AND, IS PULLING OFF TARGET. CALLS FOR EXPENDS 213 ROUNDS ON THE TARGET. AS BENDER TO CHECK FIRE AND CLEAR THEM TO AIR REFUELING AND RTB.

I. FOLLOWING RECOVERY ABOARD, THE AIRCREW IMMEDIATELY QUESTIONED EMBARKED US ARMY GROUND LIAISON OFFICERS (GLO'S) ABOUT THE CHECK FIRE COMMAND GIVEN BY THE GLO'S CONTACTED ALL UNITS INVOLVED, TO INCLUDE THEIR CHAINS OF COMMAND, AND ALL REPORTED NO ISSUES OTHER THAN COALITION CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ENEMY FORCES DURING THE FIRE FIGHT.

3. THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS HAVE BEEN TAKEN:

A. IMPOUNDED THE AIRCRAFT, TO INCLUDE THE PERFORMANCE A GUN ALIGNMENT CHECK.

B. OBTAINED TOXICOLOGY TESTS FROM BOTH AIRCREW.

C. SEQUESTERED ALL TAPES, KEYPBOARD CARDS AND FLIR VIDEO.

D. OBTAINED STATEMENTS FROM BOTH AIRCREW.

E. ASSIGNED THE CVW-7 DEPUTY CARRIER AIRWING COMMANDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE INVESTIGATION INTO THIS INCIDENT. HE IS EN ROUTE TO JOIN THE INVESTIGATION TEAM TODAY.

4. A PRELIMINARY REVIEW OF THE MATERIALS, PROCEDURES AND VIDEO TAPES INDICATES THAT ALL ORDNANCE DELIVERY RUNS WERE CONDUCTED PROPERLY PER ATO SPINS UNDER TYPE 1 CAS PROCEDURES. EACH RUN WAS CONDUCTED UNDER THE POSITIVE CONTROL OF THE JTAC, TO INCLUDE CLEARED HOT CALLS ON EACH RUN.

5. INVESTIGATION IN PROGRESS--AMPLIFYING INFORMATION TO FOLLOW.

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ARCH ALL WEAPONS

Weapon Type: All...
Unit: All...
Search

Combined Search

Maintenance Cancellation

TIC (Troops in Contact) B

WX CAIIX

WX CAIIX

TIC (Troops in Contact) IA

Remarks

Aircraft

Callign

Description

Service

Sol

Flares

Weapons

05 Dec 2006 0342Z To 1613Z
Air hour

RM

ARMRSIR

JTACC

HYAA

Handwritten marks

Kneeboard

Cards

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CVW-7 November Operations
Summary

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November Totals

As of 30 Nov 2006

All Sorties

	SORTIES				HOURS			TRAPS				
	Sked	Flown	Night	Flown	Day	Night	Total	Day	Night	Skett/Day	Skett/Night	Total
VFA-143	151	149	238	237	566.2	595.8	1162.0	142	256	7	7	398
VFA-103	171	163	233	215	578.5	508.8	1087.3	160	226	7	18	386
VFA-83	128	127	173	173	480.7	406.3	887.0	101	189	4	6	290
VFA-131	132	129	169	163	475.9	431.4	907.3	141	170	7	13	311
VAAQ-140	60	57	70	66	268.4	234.5	502.9	33	27	0	0	60
VAAW-125	32	32	84	82	188.3	265.6	453.9	28	85	0	0	113
HS-5	94	93	86	86	262.6	206.3	468.9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	n/a
VRC-40	102	96	2	2	239.6	6.9	246.5	36	0	0	0	36
CVW-7	870	846	1055	1024	3070.2	2655.6	5725.8	641	953	25	44	1594

	BOARDING RATE			COMBAT		
	Day	Night	Total	Day	Night	Total
VFA-143	93%	92%	92%	83%	90%	88%
VFA-103	96%	94%	94%	95%	93%	93%
VFA-83	98%	93%	94%	96%	90%	91%
VFA-131	86%	96%	90%	85%	94%	88%
VAAQ-140	96%	96%	97%	96%	92%	93%
VAAW-125	96%	98%	97%	96%	97%	97%
CVW-7	92%	93%	93%	89%	91%	91%

Sortie Equivalent Length	
VFA-143	3.01
VFA-103	2.88
VFA-83	2.96
VFA-131	3.11
VAAQ-140	4.09
VAAW-125	4.07
HS-5	2.62

Stats bold are below standard	
Dx CBT B/R:	90%
Nx CBT B/R:	88%
Total CBT B/R:	89%
Case/Ill/Timing	
Day Ext Fact	1.31
NT Ext Fact	1.94

WIRE DISTRIBUTION			
Wire	3	2	2
1	0	0	0
2	0	0	0
3	0	0	0
4	0	0	0
Target wire:			
Percent Target	Tgt 3	N/A	
Wire	Tgt 2	N/A	

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CVW-7 December Operations Summary

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December Totals

As of 14 DEC

All Sorties

Unit	Shed	Flown	Sked	Flown	SD/GWOT	SD/GWOT	SD/GWOT	SD/GWOT	Sortie Completion Rate	OEF	OIF	GWOT	Total
VFA-143	120	122	168	163	285	285	285	285	99%	434.7	434.0	889.7	125
VFA-103	109	104	167	162	266	266	266	266	96%	412.9	364.1	777.0	104
VFA-83	102	98	112	113	211	211	211	211	99%	358.5	283.7	642.2	98
VFA-131	88	85	119	117	202	202	202	202	90%	298.5	310.8	609.3	85
VAO-140	39	38	64	59	97	94	94	94	94%	199.1	180.8	369.9	16
VAM-125	26	26	54	54	80	80	80	80	100%	132.9	181.3	314.2	28
HS-5	88	87	62	63	150	150	150	150	100%	287.1	167.1	434.2	8
VRC-40	80	78	0	0	78	78	78	78	98%	128.8	2.6	131.4	31
CVM-7	652	638	746	731	1389	1389	1389	1389	98%	2232.5	1905.4	4137.9	487
TOTAL	1777	1777	2118	2116	390	390	390	390	98%	10380.7	12308	11443	2890.0

Unit	Sortie Completion Rate	OEF	OIF	GWOT	Total
VFA-143	95%	94%	95%	90%	93%
VFA-103	94%	93%	95%	92%	90%
VFA-83	97%	94%	95%	96%	92%
VFA-131	89%	86%	97%	97%	94%
VAO-140	96%	93%	96%	95%	94%
VAM-125	95%	99%	96%	93%	95%
CVM-7	98%	94%	94%	93%	92%

Sizes bold are below standard

DX CBT B/R:	90%
NK CBT B/R:	88%
Total CBT B/R:	85%
Case III Training	
Interval:	2
Day Em Fac:	1.31
NT Em Fac:	1.78

Wire	3	2
1	0	0
2	0	0
3	0	0
4	0	0

Percent	Tgt 3	Tgt 2	Tgt 1
Target Wire:	N/A	N/A	N/A

Unit	Sortie Completion Rate	OEF	OIF	GWOT	Total
VFA-143	95%	94%	95%	90%	93%
VFA-103	94%	93%	95%	92%	90%
VFA-83	97%	94%	95%	96%	92%
VFA-131	89%	86%	97%	97%	94%
VAO-140	96%	93%	96%	95%	94%
VAM-125	95%	99%	96%	93%	95%
CVM-7	98%	94%	94%	93%	92%

Unit	COMBAT SORTIES				COMBAT/GWOT HOURS			
	Shed	Flown	Sked	Flown	SD/GWOT	SD/GWOT	SD/GWOT	SD/GWOT
VFA-143	36	36	40	40	0	7	7	7
VFA-103	35	36	36	35	7	7	7	7
VFA-83	35	35	40	40	8	7	7	7
VFA-131	32	32	38	38	6	6	6	6
VAO-140	5	5	64	63	0	0	0	0
VAM-125	34	34	0	0	19	18	18	18
HS-5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	177	177	218	216	90	46	46	46

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OPER/ENDURING FREEDOM//

MSNID/ /XCAS/PA4114//

FLTDTAIL/ /1/B-1B/1944Z/0747Z/0800Z//

TIMESPEC/2210Z/0441Z//

AMPN/B-1B/

RESULT/ -/SUCCESSFUL-/SUCCESSFUL
REPORTED DIRECT HITS.//

AMP

TGTPOS/1B/-/ACMS IN THE OPEN

//

RESULT/ /-/SUCCESSFUL-/SUCCESSFUL REPORTED
DIRECT HIT.//

AMPN/AT 0355Z, / PASSED COORDINATES FOR A
10M-SQUARED AREA WITH ACMS. BETWEEN 0355Z AND 0410Z,
CONDUCTED A RADAR TALK ON WITH FOR THE TARGET AREA.
REPORTED FRIENDLIES WERE 350M AWAY. CLEARED
TO STRIKE THE TARGET AND AT 0415Z, RELEASED 1XGBU.

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38,

REPORTED A DIRECT HIT//

TGTPOS/1B/-/ACM COMPOUND/N

RESULT/ /-/SUCCESSFUL-/SUCCESSFUL REPORTED
DIRECT HIT//

AMPN/AT 0355Z, PASSED COORDINATES FOR A
SMALL COMPOUND WITH APPROXIMATELY 10 ACMS SHOOTING AT
FRIENDLY FORCES. BETWEEN 0415Z AND 0435Z CONDUCTED A
TALK ON TO THE TARGET WITH AND VERIFIED THE
LOCATION OF THE COMPOUND. REPORTED FRIENDLIES WERE
LOCATED 777M AWAY. CLEARED TO STRIKE THE
TARGET AND AT 0439Z, RELEASED 1XGBU-38.

REPORTED A DIRECT HIT//

AMPN/BETWEEN 2243Z AND 2252Z F

BY FOR TIC SUPPORT AT 2252Z.//

SOP/0115Z/

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0346Z. RETASKED TO SUPPORT TIC 1A (SAF AND RPG
FIRE) WITH TRUMPCARD REPORTED THE LOCATION OF A
HOSPITAL 700M SOUTH OF GRID AT 0355Z.
CHECKED IN WITH PASSED TWO TARGET
LOCATIONS DERIVED FROM FALCONVIEW. THE FIRST LOCATION WAS A
10M SQUARE AREA WITH ACMS AND THE SECOND LOCATION WAS A
SMALL COMPOUND WITH ABOUT 10 ACMS FIRING AT FRIENDLY TROOPS
VERIFIED THAT THE HOSPITAL WAS MORE THAN 500M AWAY
FROM BOTH TARGET LOCATIONS). BETWEEN 0355Z AND 0410Z,
CONDUCTED A RADAR TALK ON WITH FOR THE ACM IN THE
OPEN. REPORTED FRIENDLIES WERE 350M AWAY.
CLEARED TO STRIKE THE TARGET AND AT 0415Z
RELEASED IXGBU-38.

REPORTED A
DIRECT HIT. BETWEEN 0415Z AND 0435Z CONDUCTED A RADAR
TALK ON TO THE SECOND TARGET WITH AND VERIFIED THE
LOCATION OF THE COMPOUND. REPORTED FRIENDLIES WERE
LOCATED 777M AWAY. CLEARED TO STRIKE THE
TARGET AND AT 0439Z. RELEASED IXGBU-38.

REPORTED A DIRECT HIT. AT 0441Z.
CHECKED OUT WITH AND CLEARED TO
RTB.

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Classification:
OPER/ENDURING FREEDOM//
MSGID/MISREP/ 51627ZDEC06//
MSNID// 'ASR/4703//
FLTDTAIL/ /2/A-10/050718Z/051448Z/051508Z//
TIMESPEC/050838Z/051337Z//

AMPN/A-10/

AMPN/A-10/

TGTPOS/1A/-/ACMS IN TREELINE/

RESULT/ //1A/ CALLED DIRECT HITS AND REQUESTED REATTACK//
AMPN/AT 0935Z, 1 ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE
ACMS IN THE TREELINE EXPENDING 161X30MM
RDS. CALLED DIRECT HITS AND REQUESTED REATTACK//

TGTPOS/2A/-/ACMS IN TREELINE/

RESULT/ CALLED DIRECT HITS//
AMPN/AT 0937Z, ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE
ACMS IN THE TREELINE EXPENDING 202X30MM
RDS. CALLED DIRECT HITS//

TGTPOS/1B/-/ACMS IN TREELINE/

RESULT/ /1B 3 CALLED DIRECT HITS AND REQUESTED REATTACK//
AMPN/AT 1030Z ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE
ACMS IN THE TREELINE EXPENDING 202X30MM
RDS. CALLED DIRECT HITS AND REQUESTED REATTACK//

TGTPOS/2B/-/ACMS IN TREELINE/

RESUL /2B/ CALLED DIRECT HITS//
AMPN/AT 1032Z, ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE
ACMS IN THE TREELINE EXPENDING 169X30MM
RDS. CALLED DIRECT HITS//

TGTPOS/1C/-/C2 NODE IN COMPOUND/

RESULT/ CALLED DIRECT HIT//

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AMPN/AT 1101Z
NODE IN A COMPOUND
DIRECT HIT//

DROPPED 1XMK-82 AB ON A C2
CALLED

TGTPOS/1D/-/C2 NODE IN COMPOUND/

RESULT
AMPN/AT 1106Z,
NODE IN A COMPOUND
DIRECT HIT//

CALLED DIRECT HIT//

DROPPED 1XMK-82 AB ON A C2

TGTPOS/2C/-/ACMS IN TREELINE/

RESULT/ 1/2C/
AMPN/AT 1113Z,
ACMS IN THE TREELINE

CALLED DIRECT HITS//

ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE

CALLED DIRECT HITS//

TARWI/WRATHER WAS SUITABLE FOR MISSION//

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3 PASSED THAT ACMS IN THE
TREELINE WERE FIRING TO THE NORTH AT THE FRIENDLY LOCATIONS.
(F-18) PASSED AIR DECONFLICTION AND AN AO UPDATE THAT THEY HAD DROPPED
2XGBU-12'S AND 1XGBU-38 ON ACM POSITIONS. AT 0933Z, PASSED A 9-
LINE FOR ACM POSITIONS IN A TREE LINE AND REQUESTED A STRAFE PASS.
MARKED THE TARGET WITH ROCKETS. AT 0935Z,
ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE ACMS IN THE TREELINE LOCATED
EXPENDING 161X30MM RDS. CALLED DIRECT
HITS AND REQUESTED REATTACK. AT 0937Z,
ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE ACMS IN THE TREELINE.
EXPENDING 202X30MM RDS. CALLED DIRECT HITS. NEAREST
FRIENDLIES WERE 600M NORTH OF THE TARGET. CHECKED OFF STATION
AT 0955Z IN PACO FROM 1008-1020Z. WAS BACK ON
STATION AT 1021Z AND RECHECKED IN WITH PASSED THAT
FRIENDLIES WERE STILL IN CONTACT AND WERE TAKING FIRE FROM MULTIPLE
LOCATIONS. WAS ENGAGING ENEMY FORCES IN ANOTHER
TREELINE. REQUESTED A GUNS PASS AGAINST THE ACMS IN THE
TREELINE FOLLOWING) MARKS LOCATED A
1030Z, ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE ACMS IN

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THE TREELINE LOCATED AT 1 EXPENDING 202X30MM RDS.
 ALLED DIRECT HITS AND REQUESTED REATTACK. AT 1032Z,
 ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE ACMS IN THE TREELINE
 EXPENDING 169X30MM RDS. CALLED
 LOCATED AT. NEAREST FRIENDLIES WERE 700M NORTH OF THE TARGET AREA. AT
 DIRECT HITS. PASSED A 9-LINE FOR A C2 NODE LOCATED AT
 1058Z, WITH THE NEAREST FRIENDLIES 800M NORTH. AT 1101Z,
 DROPPED 1XMK-82 AB ON A C2 NODE IN A COMPOUND LOCATED AT
 CALLED DIRECT HIT. PASSED ANOTHER
 TARGET AT AT 1106Z, DROPPED
 1XMK-82 AB ON A C2 NODE IN A COMPOUND
 CALLED DIRECT HIT. AT 1110Z, REQUESTED A GUNS PASS
 AGAINST THE ACMS FIRING FROM THE TREELINE LOCATED AT . AT
 1114Z, FIRED 4XWP'S TO MARK THE TARGET.
 AT 1113Z, ROLLED IN AND STRAFED THE ACMS IN
 THE TREELINE LOCATED AT EXPENDING 98X30MM RDS.
 CALLED DIRECT HITS. AT 1130Z, CHECKED OFF IOT
 ON STATION AT 1201Z. ENEMY CONTACT HAD CEASED AND WAS BACK
 RECCE IN SEARCH OF ANY ADDITIONAL ENEMY ACTIVITY. REQUESTED
 SIGHTED NSTR.

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MSNID/A1 CAS/

FLTDTAIL/ 2/GR7A/TAKE OFF 0310Z/LAND 0740Z/ENG OFF
0750Z//

AMPN/HARRIER/

TIMESPEC/ON STN 0325Z/ OFF STN 0725Z//

TGT POS/1A/-/BUILDING//

RESULT/ /-/SUCCESSFUL - JTAC CALLED DH ON BUILDING/-//

AMPN/ HAD PID'S TB ARMED WITH RPG
AND AK-47 MOVING INTO THE COMPOUND AT THIS GRID AND THEY
ENGAGED MOVING TB WITH 30MM. TB WERE SEEN TO ENTER A
BUILDING WHICH WAS ENGAGED WITH HELLFIRE.
SUGGESTED IT WAS A BETTER TARGET TO ENGAGE WITH BOMBS.
I REQUESTED ENGAGE WITH 500LB BOMB.
RECOMMENDED PRECISION WEAPON AS IT WAS A SMALL TARGET IN
A COMPOUND, CONFIRMED 1000LB EPWII.
REQUESTED GROUND COMMANDERS INITIALS AS FRIENDLIES WERE
300M AWAY DANGER CLOSE. INITIALS WERE PASSED AND
STATED FRIENDLIES UNDER COVER. SELF LASED 1X EPWII
WEAPON IMPACTED AS AIMED AND
I CALLED DH ON BUILDING CONTAINING TB.//

MSN RESULT/SUCCESSFUL//

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AT APPROX 0420Z WERE CONTACTED BY WHO
DIRECTED THAT THEY WERE TO SUPPORT TIC IA IVO
GARMSIR CONTACTING FURTHER
DIRECTED THAT SHOULD CONDUCT AAR PRIOR TO TRANSIT TO
THE TIC WITH GOING DIRECT. TRANSITED TO TIC AND
CONTACTED WAS WORKING A CALLSIGN
AND CONDUCTED A LISTENING WATCH WHILST
CONDUCTED A BOMBING RUN DELIVERING A 500LB BOMB ON TB IN A
DITCH. AFTER HIS ATTACK DEPARTED AND
PROVIDED RL41 WITH AN AO UPDATE. WAS ON
FRIENDLIES WERE ADVANCING DOWN BOTH SIDES
OF THE RIVER AND HAD COME UNDER ENEMY FIRE COMPOUNDS TO
THE SOUTH OF THEIR POSITION BY APPROX 700M.
REQUESTED A SOF PRIOR TO FRIENDLIES CONTINUING THEIR
ADVANCE. 0445Z CONDUCTED A SOF EAST TO WEST
CENTERED ON RUNNING SOUTH OF THE DISTRICT
CENTRE AT 120FT, 470KIAS NIL EXPENDABLES. REPORTED
SOF SUCCESSFUL AND FRIENDLIES WOULD BEGIN ADVANCE. 0450Z
RETURNS FROM AAR AND DEPARTS FOR AAR WITH
CALLSIGN. OBTAINED AN AO UPDATE FROM
AND CONTINUED TO PROVIDE OVERWATCH WHILE GROUND
CALLSIGNS MOVED INTO POSITION TO ASSAULT ENEMY. 0520Z
RETURNED AND REQUESTED LT HOLD NORTH OUT
OF EARSHOT TO ALLOW THE ENEMY TO BELIEVE CAS HAD GONE OFF
STATION. APPROX 0535Z CAME ON
FREQUENCY AND REQUESTED HE INVESTIGATE A SERIES OF
COMPOUNDS WHERE TB WERE BELIEVED TO BE HOLDING UP.
GROUNDCALLSIGN FIRED SMOKE MARKING ROUND AT A COMPOUND
FROM WHICH THEY WERE TAKING FIRE. PID'D ENEMY
PERSONNEL CARRING RPG AND AK-47 RUNNING SOUTH.
OBSERVED ENEMY ENTER A COMPOUND /
THEY ENGAGED MOVING TB WITH 30MM. TB WERE SEEN TO ENTER A
BUILDING IN THE SE CORNER OF THE COMPOUND WHICH WAS THEN
ENGAGED WITH HELLFIRE. SUGGESTED THE TARGET
BETTER-SUITED BOMBS. REQUESTED ENGAGE WITH
500LB BOMB. RECOMMENDED PRECISION WEAPON AS

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BUILDING WAS A SMALL TARGET, CONFIRMED 1000LB
EPWII. REQUESTED GROUND COMMANDERS INITIALS AS
FRIENDLIES WERE 300M AWAY DANGER CLOSE. INITIALS WERE
PASSED AND STATED FRIENDLIES WERE UNDER COVER.
SELF LASED 1X EPWII (WEAPON
IMPACTED AS AIMED AND CALLED DH ON BUILDING
CONTAINING TB. REQUESTED CONTINUE TO
OBSERVE TARGET COMPOUND AS FRIENDLIES MOVED FORWARD TO
ENTER COMPOUND. FLT WERE TASKED WITH OVERWATCH
FROM FL150 TO COVER ADVANCE. FLT PROVIDED OVERWATCH
AND PASSED PLAYTIME REMAINING TO AND REQUESTED
FOLLOW-ON AIR. //

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MSNID/RM/TIC RESPONSE/-//

FLTDTAIL/ TWO/AH-64/051705ZDEC06/051945ZDEC06/-//

TIMESPEC/051705ZDEC06/051945ZDEC06//

AMPN/AH-64/

TGTPOS/-/-/OPEN AREA SOUTH OF COMPOUND/

RESULT/ /-/SUCCESSFUL - WITNESS BURST OBSERVED/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/VEHICLE/

RESULT/ -/SUCCESSFUL - HIT VEHICLE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/BUILDING/

RESULT, /-/SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS ON TARGET/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/2 X PAX/

RESULT/ /SUCCESSFUL - TARGET CONFIRMED DESTROYED/-/ -//

AMPN/WHILE ISO A TIC DESTROYED A VEHICLE AND
ASSOCIATED ENEMY PAX WHO WERE PUTTING EFFECTIVE FIRE INTO CF POSITIONS//

TARWI/SUITABLE THROUGHOUT//

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MSNID/RM/ISO CLEARANCE PATROL/-//

FLTDTAIL, T/TWO/AH-64/051058Z/051358Z/-//

TIMESPEC/1110Z/1333Z//

AMPN/AH-64/

TGTPOS/-/-/EN PERS & BUILDING/

RESULT, -/SUCCESSFULLY NEUTRALIZED EN AND TGT RND ONTO BLDG/-/ -
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AMPN/

TGTPOS/-/-/

RESULT/ -/-/SUCCESS OF MUNITIONS NOT KNOWN/-/ -//

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TARWI/SUITABLE THROUGHOUT//

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SAFIRE/-//

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JAM/-//

ACLOSS/-//

SIGHTING/-//

RESCUE/-//

SURV/-//

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CALLED FLT RIP'D FLT IN GARMSIR/ON ARRIVING ON STATION
 UPDATE/ THEN TRANSITED NORTH & TRANSITED SOUTH, ---
 THEN GOT BOTH C/S TO OBSERVE VARIOUS AREAS OF INTEREST, ---
 SIGHTED ONE LONE MALE NEAR A DITCH
 TO ENGAGE/AT 1116Z ENGAGED --- --- CLEARED
 2 X 10 RND BURSTS AND 1 X 20 RND BURST OF 30MM/--- --- WITH

REPORTED GROUND CALL SIGNS HAD SEEN 2 X EN PAX MOVING JUST NORTH /AT APPROX 1140Z
 OF BOTH /S GAINED EYES ON 3 X EN PAX MOVING
 INTO A WOOD BY A COMPOUND WERE CLEARED
 TO ENGAGE BY /AT 1148Z ENGAGED WITH
 80 X 30MM

/ATT REPOSITIONED TO RUN IN WITH ROCKETS AND
 SUBSEQUENTLY FIRED 2 X HEISAP AS A MARKER AND 2 X FL7
 THEN REPOSITIONED AND ENGAGED THE SAME AREA WITH 2 X
 HEISAP & 4 X FL7
 IF HE COULD USE A CALL SIGN TO SUPPRESS AN AREA THEY WERE
 TAKING SAF FROM/

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MSGID/MISREP/ /051600ZDEC06//

MSNID/RM/ISO CLEARANCE PATROL/-//

PLDTAIL:/ /TWO/AH-64/050510Z/050822Z/-//

TIMESPEC/0525Z/0757Z//

AMPN/AH-64/:

TGTPOS/-/-/EN PERS & BUILDING/

RESULT/ SUCCESSFULLY NEUTRALIZED EN AND TGT RND ONTO BLDG/-/ -
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AMPN/WHILE ISO A CLEARANCE PTL IVO GARMSIR FIRED 100 RND OF
30MM AND RELEASED ONE HELLFIRE MISSILE IOT NEUTRALIZE EN FORCES//

TGTPOS/-/-/EN PERS/

RESULT/ SUCCESSFULLY NEUTRALIZED EN/-/ -//

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TARWI/SUITABLE THROUGHOUT//

ESM/-//

SAFIRE/-//

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WHICH HAD NOT YET FIRED/
NO PAX WERE OBSERVED/

GROUND CALL SIGNS UNTIL APPROX 0755Z/

REQUESTED
EXPEDITED THE FLT

52 FLT CONT'D TO PROVIDE COVER FOR

CHECK FIRE GUNS
BUT

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MSNID/RM/ISO CLEARANCE PATROL/-//

FLTDTAIL/ TWO/AH-64/050900ZDEC06/051140ZDEC06/-//

TIMESPEC/050900ZDEC06/051140ZDEC06//

AMPN/AH-64/1

TGTPOS/-/-/PAX IN TREELINE/

RESULT/ 52/-/SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED IN TREELINE AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/PAX IN TREELINE/

RESULT/ 1/-/SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED IN TREELINE AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/COMPOUND

RESULT/ /SUCCESSFUL - IDENTIFIED COMPOUND AND ROUNDS LANDED ON
TGT/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/TREELINE/

RESULT/ SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED IN TREELINE AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/TREELINE AND COMPOUND/

RESULT 1/-/SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED ON TARGET AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/TREELINE AND COMPOUND/

RESULT/ -/SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED ON TARGET AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

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TGTPOS/-/-/SMALL COMPOUND/

RESULT/ SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED IN COMPOUND AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/SMALL COMPOUND/

RESULT, /SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED IN COMPOUND AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/Y JUNCTION OF WOODS/

RESULT/ -/SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED ON TARGET AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

TGTPOS/-/-/Y JUNCTION OF WOODS/

RESULT/ /-//SUCCESSFUL - ALL ROUNDS LANDED ON TARGET AND
SURPRESSED ENEMY FIRE/-/ -//

AMPN/WHILE ISO A CLEARANCE PTL IVO GARMSIR SURPRESSED ENEMY
FIRE IN ORDER TO ALLOW FF TO RETREAT FROM CONTACT//

TARWI/SUITABLE THROUGHOUT//

NARR/ PROVIDED AN ESCORT TO TO COLLECT 1 X P1
AND 1 X P3 AND REMAINED ISO OF WHO WERE RECEIVING EFFECTIVE FIRE.
WAS BEING ENGAGED FROM A TREELINE
WAS CLEARED BY TO ENGAGE THE TREELINE WITH FLACHETTE AT
0941Z.) ENGAGED THE SAME TARGET AT 0942Z. DECLARED TARGET
NEUTRALISED AND TALKED ONTO A COMPOUND FROM WHICH THEY WERE RECEIVING SAF
AT 0952Z PUT DOWN 2 X 10 ROUND WITNESS
BURSTS OF 30MM TO CONFIRM COMPOUND AND ENGAGED COMPOUND WITH 10 X 30MM.
THE GROUND C/S' THEN FIRED INTO THE COMPOUND AND CONFIRMED THEY WERE
TAKING FIRE FROM THE TREELINE RUNNING WEST FROM THE ORIGINAL
AT 0959Z FIRED 40 X 30MM INTO TREELINE. THEN

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TALKED ONTO ANOTHER COMPOUND AND TASKED
TO OBSERVE BUT NOTHING SEEN. THEN INSTRUCTED TO LOOK
INTO THE AREA HE HAD PREVIOUSLY OCCUPIED AS HE WAS MOVING NORTH AND
BELIEVED EF WERE IN PURSUIT. OBSERVED FIRE FROM A COMPOUND AND
TREELINE

AND AT 1022Z ENGAGED WITH 60 X 30MM.
THEN FOLLOWED THIS WITH 40 X 30MM AT 1024Z. THEN
REENGAGED AT 1024Z WITH A FURTHER 60 X 30MM. CONFIRMED THAT THIS
WAS THE CENTRE OF MASS OF THE EF AND ASKED TO ENGAGE EAST AND
WEST ALONG THE WALL AND TREELINE AND CLEARED TO ENGAGE WITH
ROCKETS. AT 1028Z FIRED 4 X RA7 AT THE TARGET.

ATTEMPTED TO RUN INTO THE TARGET BUT COULDN'T GET A SHOT OF DUE TO A
C/S COMING IN AND MOVED OFF TO THE SOUTH TO OBSERVE. /S' WERE
TASKED TO LOOK IN THE TRENCHES BUT OBSERVED NO ACTIVITY, HOWEVER,
WAS STILL RECEIVING SPORADIC FIRE. TALKED ONTO A SMALL
COMPOUND WEST OF THE TREELINE AND AT 1043Z ENGAGED

IT WITH 40 X 30MM, FOLLOWED THIS AT 1044Z WITH 60 X 30MM.
THEN TALKED ONTO A Y JUNCTION OF THE WOOD

FROM WHICH HE WAS RECEIVING EFFECTIVE FIRE AND CLEARED TO ENGAGE WITH
30MM, RA7 AND FLACHETTE. AT 1048Z ENGAGED THE TARGET WITH 20 X
30MM, 2 X RA7 AND 4 X FLACHETTE. ENGAGED THE SAME TARGET WITH 2
X FLACHETTE AT 1056Z. THE C/S WERE THEN PUSHED OUT OF THE AREA
FOR ARTILLERY FIRE AND RTB DUE TO FUEL.

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