

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS- 22 NOVEMBER 2003

1. [REDACTED] were the targets of a raid conducted by Alpha Company, 588<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion at 220400CNOV03.
2. [REDACTED] initiated contact during the raid. [REDACTED] fired an AK-47 at US soldiers from the roof of the residence.
3. [REDACTED] fired an AK-47 at US soldiers inside the residence.
4. All three men were detained inside the residence, moved outside to the entrance to the compound, handcuffed, and bags placed over their head.
5. Video footage taken by Reuters Reporter [REDACTED] shows [REDACTED] with no noticeable injuries, with his hands up in the air, inside the house, under control of the assault team.
6. Video footage shows a member of the assault team, inside of the house, throw [REDACTED] to the floor by placing a hand on the back of [REDACTED] neck and shoving down. [REDACTED] head possibly made contact with a chair. At this point the assault team had not cleared the entire house. [REDACTED] the shooter on the roof, was not detained yet.
7. Video footage shows [REDACTED] with his hands in the air, on the roof of the house, under the control of the assault team. The entire house and roof had not been cleared yet. The image on the video tape is not very clear.
8. Video footage shows a member of the assault team, on the roof of the house, strike [REDACTED] in the stomach/chest and then strike [REDACTED] in right side of the head.
9. At the completion of the raid all three men were transported by Alpha Company to the Badger Detention Facility (652<sup>nd</sup> Engineer Company) at FOB Gabe at 220430CNOV 03.
10. Video footage shows [REDACTED] after being taken to Badger Detention Center with noticeable swelling of right eye, a swollen nose, and blood dripping from his nose. (At this time, [REDACTED] did not have a cut to his lower left lip)
11. [REDACTED] were not accepted by Badger Detention Facility due to the injuries identified by the guards at 220451CNOV03. [REDACTED] was accepted and placed in a cell.
12. [REDACTED] were taken to the 588<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion Aid Station (BAS) at 220500CNOV03. They were treated and released by CPT [REDACTED] and 2LT [REDACTED]
13. [REDACTED] were then accepted by Badger Detention Facility and placed into cells.

14. All three men remained at the Badger Detention Facility for approximately 11 hours.
15. At 221600CNOV03, Alpha Company, 588<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion transported the three men from Badger Detention Facility to the Brigade Detention Facility at FOB Warhorse.
16. When the three men arrived at FOB Warhorse, The Brigade Detention Facility (978<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company) observed that [REDACTED] had visible injuries in the head and face areas. Pictures were taken of [REDACTED] at 221649CNOV03.
17. 978<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company transported [REDACTED] to Echo Company, 204<sup>th</sup> Forward Support Battalion Aid Station. [REDACTED] were treated and released by MAJ [REDACTED] MD.
18. [REDACTED] had at least one injury that was treated by MAJ [REDACTED] that was not treated earlier that day at the 588<sup>th</sup> Engineer BAS. A cut to Taher's lower left lip was annotated on MAJ [REDACTED] notes. LT [REDACTED] who treated Taher at the 588<sup>th</sup> BAS, did not document this injury or recall seeing this injury.

THE ABOVE SEQUENCE OF EVENTS WAS PREPARED AFTER ALL EVIDENCE AND WITNESS STATEMENTS WERE COLLECTED AND REVIEWED.

[REDACTED]

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Investigating Officer