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Former Abu Ghraib commander says she met Israeli interrogator in Iraq -
 (London-AP) -- The former U-S commander in charge of Abu Ghraib (grayb) prison says there are signs Israelis were involved in interrogating Iraqi detainees at another facility.

Brigadier General Janis Karpinski says she met a man who told her he was Israeli during a visit to a Baghdad intelligence center with a senior coalition general.

In an interview with the B-B-C she says the man told her he carried out some interrogations and that he spoke Arabic, but was not an Arab, but from Israel.

However, Israel's Foreign Ministry tells denies the claim, saying reports of Israeli troops or interrogators in Iraq are "completely untrue."

Karpinski was suspended in May over allegations of prisoner abuse.

The presence of Israeli forces in Iraq would inflame opinion in the Muslim world, where many compare the abuse of prisoners by U-S forces to Israel's treatment of Palestinian detainees. -

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Charles de Ledesma, correspondent A former Abu Ghraib prison camp commander says she met an Israeli interrogator in Iraq.

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Charles de Ledesma, correspondent De Ledesma reports that Israeli interrogators are known for using tough methods.

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Donald Rumsfeld, as US Defense Secretary, with Janis Karpinski, Brigadier General (l-r), stand in Abu Ghraib prison, Baghdad, Iraq, photo -

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