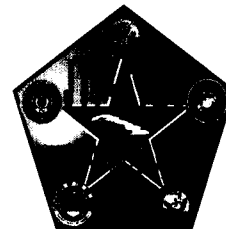




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16 June 2005

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, United States Southern Command, 3511 NW 91st Avenue, Miami, FL 33172.

SUBJECT: Update Recommendation to Transfer to the Control of Another Country for Continued Detention (TRCD) for Guantanamo Detainee, ISN: US9AF-000945DP (S)

### JTF GTMO Detainee Assessment

#### 1. (FOUO) Personal Information:

- JDIMS/NDRC Reference Name: Said Amir Jan
- Aliases and Current/True Name: Gorzang Pacha, Said Amir Jan
- Place of Birth: Kyzbiar Village, Khogani District, Jalalabad, Nangahar Province, Afghanistan (AF)
- Date of Birth: 01 January 1981
- Citizenship: Afghanistan
- Internment Serial Number (ISN): US9AF-000945DDP



**2. (FOUO) Health:** Detainee is in fair health. He has Hepatitis C, but has no detectible virus and no liver inflammation. He has chronic heartburn, but takes no medication for it. Past surgical history includes foot surgery for a congenital malformation and a dental extraction. He is on no medications and has seasonal allergies.

#### 3. (S//NF) JTF GTMO Assessment:

**(S) Recommendation:** JTF GTMO recommends this detainee be Transferred to the Control of Another Country for Continued Detention (TRCD).

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**a. (S//NF) Summary:** JTF GTMO previously assessed detainee as Transfer to the Control of Another Country for Continued Detention (TRCD) on 22 November 2003.

For this update recommendation, detainee is assessed as a low-level member of Al-Qaida's Terrorist Network. Detainee is assessed to be a member of the Anti-Coalition Militia (ACM) who planned to conduct insurgent operations against U.S. Special Forces (USSF) and Coalition members based in the Jalalabad, AF area. Detainee was one of two individuals captured with improvised explosive devices (IEDs) during the raid on an Afghan National Army (ANA) compound on 29 January 2003. The IEDs were to be attached to bicycles and motorcycles, parked near USSF/Coalition targets, and then remotely detonated. It has been determined this detainee is a MEDIUM risk, as he may pose a threat to the US, its interests and allies.

**4. (S//NF) Detainee Background Summary:** Unless otherwise noted, the following paragraphs are based solely on the detainee's statements.

**a. (S) Prior History:** Detainee is a 24-year old Afghan National Army military officer. Detainee is a member of the Sayed tribe (part of the PACHA religious tribe). He has been married for seven years and has two children. Detainee possesses a tenth grade education and learned to read and write at the Madrassa Malackyar Hotack Lecyee, Jalalabad, AF. According to detainee, he then moved to Peshawar to fight against the Taliban.

**b. (S) Recruitment and Travel:** Detainee worked as a soldier for Haji Qadir, (governor of Jalalabad and brother of Haji Daoud). Haji Qadir opposed the Taliban and Al-Qaida regimes. Detainee stated that he had no rank, but was considered a "small commander" for Qadir. Detainee directly supervised 15 men. Detainee stated that he and his soldiers traveled to Shenwar, AF, (near Jalalabad, AF) where they fought the Taliban and Al-Qaida soldiers. The Taliban captured them and 120 other soldiers during the first week of fighting. He was eventually taken to the Sarpooza prison in Kandahar, AF. While imprisoned at Sarpooza, he stated he was beaten and tortured by the Taliban. Detainee claimed that his two front teeth were knocked out as a result of a beating. Detainee stated that he was in the Sarpooza prison for "no less than five (5) years". He claims he was released when the Taliban fell from power, and that United States and Allied forces freed him from prison.

**c. (S) Training and Activities:** After his release from the Sarpooza prison, detainee received information that Haji Qadir was offering his soldiers five hundred (500) Pakistani rupees to accept a job in the future. Instead of going home, detainee stated that Qadir invited him to the Governor's house in Jalalabad. According to detainee, this meeting occurred during the holy month of Ramadan. Qadir thanked the soldiers for their service and provided each man with 20,000 Pakistani rupees. Qadir then told the men to return to their homes and spend time with their families. When the soldiers returned to Jalalabad, Qadir was to assign

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each man a job. Detainee stated that he did not spend much time at home because he wanted to return to the Province of Jalalabad to find out what job Qadir was going to give him. When he returned to Jalalabad, detainee learned that Qadir created four Afghan National Army divisions, which he referred to as "bodyguard" divisions. One division was responsible for protecting Qadir and his home. The second division was created to patrol and protect inside the city of Jalalabad. The remaining two divisions were set up to protect the larger district area. Detainee stated that he was assigned as an officer to the second division within the city of Jalalabad. His division was responsible for fighting weapons and opium smugglers. Detainee then received news that unknown individuals had assassinated Qadir. As a result, Brigadier General Said Agha Sakib took over the command of the divisions. Detainee stated that Sakib shared the same beliefs as Qadir. Detainee then came under the supervision of Sakib.

**d. (S) Capture Information:** Detainee advised he spent two months in the Shar Shahid compound outside of Jalalabad, AF. He was then given orders to take his men to military base at Kandaki Toupchi. Detainee stated that the Americans arrived one day after he arrived at Kandaki Toupchi and searched the compound. The Americans found several improvised explosive devices (IEDs) in a storage room and arrested everyone. Detainee was taken to Bagram, AF and was subsequently transported to Guantanamo Bay Naval Base, Cuba, on 27 February 2003.

**e. (S) Transferred to JTF GTMO:** 23 February 2003

**f. (S//NF) Reasons for Transfer to JTF GTMO:** To provide information on the following:

- Detainee may be able to provide specific information concerning IED's found during the search and information on Al-Qaida members.
- Detainee may be able to provide information concerning Al-Qaida and Taliban personalities.

**5. (S//NF) Detainee Threat:**

**(S) Assessment:** It is assessed the detainee poses MEDIUM risk, as he may pose a threat to the US, its interests and allies.

**a. (S//NF) Reasons for Continued Detention:**

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- (S) Based on the circumstances surrounding his capture, it is assessed detainee is a member of the Anti-Coalition Militia (ACM) that planned to use improvised explosive devices (IEDs) to conduct insurgent operations against U.S. Special Forces (USSF) and Coalition members based in the Jalalabad, AF area.
  - (S) Detainee is assessed to have been a member of a four-man cell made up of detainee, ISN 944, Sharifullah, Qari Naqibullah (ISN 944's brother), and Said Raheem. The cell used improvised explosive devices (IEDs) against USSF in the Jalalabad, AF, area.
    - (S) The four-man-cell operated from a compound belonging to Haji Zahir. Afghan Military Forces (AMF). U.S. Special Forces (USSF) recovered six bombs, 15 mortar rounds, igniters and fuses from Haji Zahir's compound. Information obtained identified the intended targets of these bombs to be USSF, United Nations American personnel, United Nations foreign personnel, and non-governmental organization (NGO) non-Afghan personnel.
    - (S) This cell was operationally connected to Qari Mohadin, deputy to Maulawi Kabir.
      - ◆ (S) Mullah Kabir is the former Taliban Eastern Zone Governor/Financial Deputy Chairman – Taliban Council of Ministers.
      - ◆ (S) Kabir and his assistant, Agha Ghul, are responsible for facilitating IED and rocket attacks in Paktia, Paktika, and Logar Provinces of Afghanistan.
  - (S) Detainee was captured at Haji Zahir's compound. Zahir was the 100th Brigade Commander and the son of Haji Qadir, former governor of Nangarhar. During a search of the compound, detainee would not comply with instructions. The IEDs were found in a bathroom/supply closet connected to the room where the detainee slept.
    - (S) USSF found the following items inside the building: two bombs in propane tanks, two bombs in wooden boxes inside "Nice Sweet" candy boxes, two bombs located in a wax box, one box of igniters and fuses, two Nokia cell phones wired as an igniter, one portable cellular base station, one motorcycle, two bicycles, and 15-20 82mm mortar rounds.
    - (S) In addition to Zahir's personnel and the above items, there were soldiers from another brigade in the compound.
  - (S) Two personnel (assessed to be referring to detainee and ISN 944) were captured preparing bomb targets in and around Jalalabad. After questioning, suspects admitted they were going to place the bombs the night before, but were convinced to wait until morning.
- (S) While detained in Bagram, AF and at Guantanamo Bay, both detainee and ISN 945 denied any knowledge of the bombs/explosives recovered at Zahir's compound on the morning of 29 January 2003.

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○ (S) Analyst Note: It is quite possible that ISN 944's brother Naqib Ullah and Said Raheem were responsible of the IEDs and that detainee and ISN 944 were support personnel. Ullah and Raheem were nowhere to be found when the AMF/USSF's arrived at the compound and may have been tipped off about the raid. Both detainee and ISN 944 continue to claim to that they were not aware of the IEDs. However, the following facts indicate detainee knew about the IEDs; ISN 944 and Naqib Ullah are brothers, the IEDs were located in a room used as a bathroom/supply closet and the closet was connected to the detainee's room. It would be impossible for detainee not to have knowledge of the IEDs since he would have had to use the restroom at some point during his stay.

**b. (S//NF) Detainee's Conduct:** Detainee is assessed to be a LOW threat from a detention standpoint. Detainees overall behavior pattern while at Camp Delta has been one of compliance with the occasional nuisance activity. Detainee has been disciplined 14 times; the last Report of Disciplinary Infraction was on 11/19/04. appointment. Since March 2005 detainee has mostly been noted for refusing his medication. His last hostile act was on 03/22/05

**6. (S//NF) Detainee Intelligence Value Assessment:**

**a. (S) Assessment:** JTF GTMO determined this detainee is of LOW intelligence value.

- (S) Detainee had affiliations and connections to a number of individuals who were former members of the Taliban. In addition, he should be able to provide information on insurgent operations in the area of Jalalabad. Detainee should be able to provide biographical information concerning these individuals.

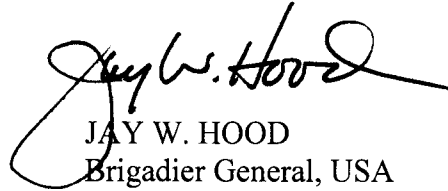
**b. (S//NF) Areas of Potential Exploitation:**

- Detainee should be able to provide information on Haji Zahir and his personnel
  - Detainee should be able to provide information on how Zahir uses his ANA position to facilitate insurgent operations and illegal opium smuggling
- Detainee should be able to provide information on IEDs
  - Detainee should be able to provide information on how they are procured
  - How they are used in attack operations against USSF/Coalition Forces

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**7. (S) EC Status:** Detainee's enemy combatant status was reassessed on 5 January 2005, and he remains an enemy combatant.

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JAY W. HOOD  
Brigadier General, USA  
Commanding