

## CDF OPS BRIEF – 31 MAY 2011

**CDF Verbal Brief Cancelled – provided as hard copy slides to CDF/VCDF/SECDEF.**

**Force Laydown** – As shown

**Key Events** – DSO Visit

**Ops Summary** –

- No combined TF954 / CRU operations were conducted during this last reporting period. The CRU deployed on one unilateral low-risk arrest operation.
- Task Force **PSR(S)1, PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3**  
Task Force, has confirmed that a kinetic strike on 24 May against QARI MUSA (OBJ MUESLI), of the TALEH-WA-BARFEK threat group, linked to attacks on the NZPRT, was successful. QARI MUSA was killed in the strike.
- **PSR(S)1**
  
- TF954 have completed a two day COIN course to complete in-theatre training for the new TF.

**Training Summary** –

- **PSR(S)1** Camp, in the vicinity of **PSR(S)1** is to be the new headquarters for the CRU. Construction is currently underway.
- Completion of Phase 1, which will provide the basic facility for CRU to relocate to, is scheduled for completion in Sep 11.
- Phase 2 provides for additional facilities (additional barracks, female accommodation, warehouses, communications facility, med clinic). Commences immediately after the completion of Phase 1.
- Phase 2 includes **PSR(S)1** worth of concrete footings for TF 954 Training team buildings (re-locatable from current CRU camp). This cost is picked up by the US funded project.
- Phase 3 provides <sup>PSR(S)1, PSR(S)2, PS</sup> facility – designed but not funded.

### **SUMMARY SHADOW** <sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup>

<sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> **As “Standby”** <sup>PSR(S)2</sup> **conducted a unilateral operation with MOI Counter-Terrorism Police.**

<sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> **Members of** <sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> **conducted personnel and vehicle search training at the entrance to Camp Warehouse.**

<sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> **Training at CRU KABUL as well as leave.**

**S1 Administrator** <sup>PSR(S)1, PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> Training: Occurred this week to enable the <sup>PSR(S)1, PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> administrator to input and amend CRU personnel data.

**Technical Exploitation Training:** A training course was conducted for members of <sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> who are now qualified in Technical Exploitation Operations along with other evidence management techniques.

## PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3

**Literacy Assessments:** <sup>PSR(S)1</sup> CRU personnel have had their literacy level assessed to date. Teaching to enhance the literacy level of CRU personnel will commence in the coming weeks.

**Range Conducting Officers (RCO) Course:** <sup>PSR(S)</sup> members of CRU qualified as RCO's through attendance on an RCO's course.

### SUMMARY SHADOW <sup>PSR(S)1, PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup>

<sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> : Deployed to <sup>PSR(S)1, PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup> and revised mission focused basic skills.

**Navigation Training:** This included how to correctly read a map, plot bearings and the use of compasses. The programming and use of the in service GPS was also revised concluding with a navigation circuit where groups had to correctly navigate through a series of checkpoints.

**Shooting:** Weapon zeroing was conducted on personal weapon systems. Shooting included static turns and room combat.

**NIGHT VISION EQUIPMENT TRAINING:** This included driving, walking onto target compounds and live Close Quarter Battle.

**BATTLE HANDLING EXERCISE:** Training was concluded by a BHE that involved driving onto a target, cordon the target and live clearance <sup>PSR(S)2, PSR(S)3</sup>

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- CRU manning conference – Sat 04 Jun – This is a new initiative started at the suggestion of TF 954.



