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This doc refers to an interview given by PSR(IC)4 about the findings from the assessment into the op in TWB. MFAT picked this up off the wire this morning. Given that he is speaking publicly, can we now expect a copy of the assessment or at least a copy of the findings so we can report back to the PM, MFA and MINDEF, they are quite excited by this and are very keen to hear the official outcome.

CDF updated them last night on the basis of your email yesterday and is up to date. Once the findings are passed formerly to NZDF they will then consider making an announcement about the injury to PSR(sen). This is likely to be a bland statement and will not provide any detail other than it happened in Afghanistan.

Grateful if we could get our hands on the report sooner rather than later i.e. next 24-48hrs please. I will have both Ministers offices on the phone tomorrow chasing it up.

Cheers

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