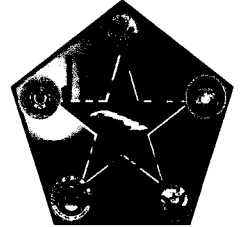




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28 August 2005

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

SUBJECT: Update Recommendation for Transfer to the Control of Another Country with Conditions (TWC), Subject to the Conclusion of an Acceptable Transfer Agreement for Guantanamo Detainee, ISN: US9TI-000077DP (S)

### JTF GTMO Detainee Assessment

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

- JDIMS/NDRC Reference Name: Mehrabanb Fazrollah
- Aliases and Current/True Name: Mehrabon Faizulloh Odinaev
- Place of Birth: Pyandj, Tajikistan (TI)
- Date of Birth: 18 October 1962
- Citizenship: Tajikistan
- Internment Serial Number (ISN): US9TI-000077DP



2. (FOUO) Health: Detainee is in good health. He has not had any reported medical conditions since his last assessment. Detainee has no known drug allergies or travel restrictions.

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

a. (S) Recommendation: JTF GTMO recommends this detainee be Transferred to the Control of Another Country with Conditions (TWC), Subject to the Conclusion of an Acceptable Transfer Agreement.

b. (S//NF) Summary: JTF GTMO previously assessed detainee as Transfer to the Control of Another Country for Continued Detention (TRCD) on 5 May 2004.

For this update recommendation, detainee is assessed as a low-level member of the Islamic Movement of Tajikistan (IMT), which is allied with the Islamic Movement of Uzbekistan

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(IMU). Detainee admitted he fought alongside the Taliban against Northern Alliance forces and fled after the collapse of the Taliban. Detainee was captured with other Tajik fighters who were members of the IMU. They were transported to the Qala-E-Jenki prison in Mazar-E-Sharif, AF. It is assessed 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//NF) Prior History:** Detainee was drafted into the Russian Army in 1981 and received six months of training before being assigned to the motorized infantry unit in Banganur, Mongolia, for 18 months. Detainee was discharged in 1983, never having fought in Afghanistan. Detainee received training as a bus driver and an auto mechanic. Detainee also worked at an oil refinery, on a collective farm producing cotton, and in a fruit delivery business. From 1992 until 1994, during the time of the Tajik civil war, detainee lived in Emam Saheb, AF, for three months. Then he became a refugee and moved to a refugee camp near the Konduz airport. Following the civil war detainee claimed he moved back to Dushanbe, TI.

**b. (S//NF) Recruitment and Travel:** In 2000, detainee claimed he sent his ten-year-old son with a group of Tajik youths to study at the Darul Ullum Madrassa (religious school) in Karachi, Pakistan (PK). Detainee decided to visit his son, Obdulla Odinayeb, in Afghanistan around March or April 2001. When he left his home in Dushanbe, he went to his parent's home in "Pyandzh," where he illegally crossed the border into Afghanistan.

**c. (S//NF) Training and Activities:** On the way to visit his son, detainee crossed the "Pyandzh" river and spent a week with unidentified friends in Emam Saheb, AF. He continued his travels with stops in Konduz and Kabul while on his way to Karachi (PK). Detainee claimed he located his son upon arrival in Karachi, PK, in May 2001, and spent a month with him before departing for Tajikistan. Detainee claimed he spent two months traveling between Kabul and Konduz trying to locate someone to help him cross the "Pyandzh" River. Unable to do so, he returned to Emam Saheb, AF and again tried to locate someone to help him before he proceeded to cross alone on 27/28 July 2001. Unable to cross, detainee remained in Emam Saheb until early November 2001. Detainee then decided to depart for Konduz because the Northern Alliance arrived and were arresting people who did not have identification.

**d. (S//NF) Capture Information:** Detainee joined a group of people walking to Konduz. Upon arrival in Konduz, he stayed at a Konduz refugee camp for ten days. Detainee was picked up by Taliban troops and told that they would bring him and several others to a safe

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place. They were loaded into vehicles full of weapons and brought to the Qala-I-Jenki prison at Mazar-E-Sharif, AF. Detainee was then transferred to the Sherberghan prison in Afghanistan, before being transferred to US custody at the Kandahar detention facility.

**e. (S) Transferred to JTF GTMO:** 10 May 2002

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

- The prison uprising at Mazar-E-Sharif
- Tajiki refugees residing in Afghanistan
- A madrassa in Karachi, PK

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

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

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

- (S//NF) Detainee is assessed to be a low-level IMU/IMT member who fought alongside the Taliban against the Northern Alliance in the Konduz, AF area. (Analyst Note: IMU is a Tier 1 counterterrorism target, defined as terrorist groups, especially those with state support, that have demonstrated the intention and the capability to attack US persons or interests.)
  - (S//NF) Detainee admitted he fought alongside the Taliban and was armed with a Kalashnikov and spare ammo. Detainee later tried to deny knowing how to use an AK-47 even though during his capture, he stated that he had learned to use them in the 9<sup>th</sup> grade in Tajikistan.
  - (S//NF) Detainee was captured with "Mustafa" and other unidentified IMU members. (Analyst Note: Mustafa may be referring to the commander of the Namangan region.)
  - (S//NF) Detainee admitted he was in an area that had an Al-Qaida SIGINT (Signals Intelligence) site manned by the IMT.
    - (S//NF) It is probable detainee worked at/supported the Al-Qaida Emam Saheb SIGINT site (just north of Konduz). The site was reportedly manned by members of the IMT
      - ◆ (S//NF) Detainee is very familiar with the Emam Saheb area. He claimed that he lived there for three months in 1992, visited for one week with friends,

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and was located there from July through November 2001. (Analyst Note: It is highly probable detainee crossed the Tajikistan/Afghanistan border at the "Pyandzh" river near Emam Saheb specifically to work at that site and when Dostom's forces captured that area, he fled along with other IMU members whom he admitted he fought with for four or five months.)

- ◆ (S//NF) Umar Bin Hamza Abdallahyiv, ISN US9TI-000257DP (ISN 257), admitted he had personal knowledge of the IMT camps, including detainee's Emam Saheb refugee camp. ISN 257 claimed that Abdullah Noori, the leader of the IMT was also the leader of the Tajik refugee camp at Emam Saheb when detainee was first there in 1992. Noori divided all of the refugees into groups and sent them to other camps.
- (S//NF) Detainee was probably a fighter under IMU leader Jumaboy Namangani while the IMU fought on the Konduz front lines with the Taliban against the Northern Alliance.
  - (S//NF) Detainee stated at time of capture that he had been informed he would have to fight with the Taliban under the command of Mustafa, the commander of the Namangan region.
  - (S//NF) IMU leader Jumaboy Namangani was killed on 11 November 2001 as he traveled from Konduz province in the direction of Mazar-E-Sharif, Balkh Province, AF, during an attack by coalition air forces. Namangani was accompanying a detachment of approximately 700 persons. The group consisted of IMU fighters, Chechens, and Uighur separatists moving to support Taliban Military Units.
    - ◆ (S//NF) Mohammad A Fazl, US9AF-000007DP (ISN 007), stated that Quari Tahirjan, the political leader of the IMU met with Mullah Rabbani of the Taliban government at Kandahar, AF, in approximately 1999. They agreed that the Taliban would provide the IMU with money, weapons and logistical support and the IMU would provide soldiers for the Taliban.
- (S//NF) The Tajik delegation believed that detainee should be returned to their country for prosecution because he illegally crossed the Tajikistan border.
  - (S//NF) Detainee has not been forthright during debriefings. Detainee has provided a cover story that he crossed the Tajikistan/Afghanistan border to visit his son and was unable to get back across the border.
  - (S//NF) It is believed that detainee knowingly traveled to Afghanistan to participate in jihad alongside the Taliban as a member of IMU operating in Tajikistan. This assessment is made due to his admission that he illegally crossed the border, his failure to inform any family member of his intentions, and a statement the former Chief of Staff for the Taliban, ISN 000007, made that the Taliban provided logistical support to the IMU.

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c. **(FOUO) Detainee's Conduct:** Detainee is assessed as a LOW threat from a detention perspective. Detainee's overall behavior has been non-hostile and compliant. .

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

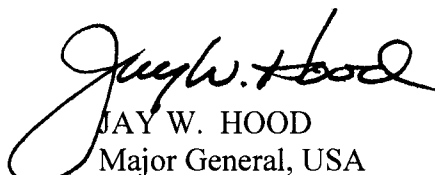
a. **(S) Assessment:** JTF GTMO determined this detainee is of LOW intelligence value.

- (S//NF) Detainee should be able to provide information on the Al-Qaida and IMT supported area of Emam Saheb, as well as militant organizations in Tajikistan and Afghanistan. Detainee should be able to provide information on the IMT, IMU, and IRPT, as well as his membership in one or all of these groups.

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

- Al-Qaida SIGINT site Emam Saheb
- Possible membership in the IMT, IMU, and/or the IRPT
- Personalities detainee traveled with and was captured with

7. **(S) EC Status:** Detainee's enemy combatant status was reassessed on 17 November 2004, and he remains an enemy combatant.

  
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