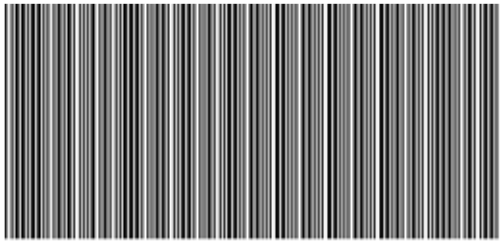
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Summary of Op Northmoor PIP 4 Report 7 dated 18th July 2015 & associated docs

Op Northmoor PIP 4 Report 7 – 18th July 2015

a) Confirms MIR relocation to St Magwan Cornwall (Newquay) date not confirmed but imminent.
b) Moira Penman has replaced Gary Ward as OIOC.
c) NCA have been invited to provide additional operational assistance across a range of areas.
d) Northmoor resources are being re-assessed
e) PIP 4 had identified a range of strategic and tactical issues and general investigative suggestions that have been highlighted to the Investigation SLT (i.e - No recent policy book entries have been recorded).
f) Case Review Panel met for the first time on 19/06/2015
g) CIA document is now being developed by NCA.

Comment

(a) Long way for us to travel..!! (serious point if we are to remain engaged)

(e) Could some of these be interpreted as potential Review Team issues?

Operation Northmoor SIGWIT Advice

An advice and guidance document dated 22nd June 2015 prepared by the NCA providing Operation Specific guidance on significant witness issues to Op Northmoor.

Appendix A - Operation Northmoor Community Impact Assessment draft for Gold Commander

Draft CIA document for Northmoor prepared by the NCA

Comment

We queried the progress of the CIA some months ago.

Appendix B - NCA Operational Threat and threat reduction checklist

Generic but very detailed NCA working document created as an aide to assist in identifying and reducing the risk of operational compromise and the implementation of threat reduction measures

NCA Crime Ops BIA Report Operation NORTHMOOR

BIA advice dated 23rd April 15 provided to the OIOC Op Northmoor and produced under the following TOR.

- Undertake a literature review to assist Team 4 within Operation Northmoor in their task to review 13 interrogations from Afghanistan in which the Challenge Direct approach was used. The literature review seeks to assist in:
- Understanding the legal, procedural, human rights and moral issues surrounding military interrogation in hostile / combat environments;
- Identifying historical reviews and reports on the use of interrogation in army operations that may assist in identifying good practice, learning, as well as promoting ideas for consideration by the Team 4 SIO;
- Identifying SMEs on military interrogation that could assist the RMP

Table 1 – Table 6

Checklists described as follows in the PIP 4 report

The NCA PIP 4 has appended a summary of recommendations corresponding to each of the NCA PIP 4 Reports versions 1-6. It is strongly advised that the OIOC and SIOs to assess these for continued relevance and address any outstanding action required prior to the next meeting with PIP 4.

Comment

In effect a summary of all case specific recommendations made by the PIP 4 advisor to the SLT of Op Northmoor.