



ASIC-TF81/2010/08/23

23 August 10

ASIC TF-81 ^{PSR(T)}_{S)2} SITREP WEEK: 10 - 16 August 10

1. This SITREP covers key TF-81 ASIC activities over the period 17 – 22 August 10.

SITREP

Operations

2. OP BURNHAM (Baghlan) – TF 81 conducted an operation against ^{PSR(T)}_{S)2} targets in Talawa Barfek, Baghlan on Saturday night. These were long-time targets who were involved in the 3 August contact with Kiwi Team 2. The operation was successful ^{PSR(TS)2}

HUMINT had identified three compounds belonging to our targets. A large weapons cache was discovered in the compound associated with Kalta including rockets, IED materials, and ammunition. ISR tracked several individuals from compound two. And there was a contact at compound three. Several individuals were killed over the following hour and a half. An SAS trooper was injured by a collapsing wall – he is currently in Germany and is expected to make a full recovery. In support of the operation were a multitude of air assets. CDF and LCC were at Camp Warehouse and able to watch the operation ^{PSR(TS)2}

3. The Dead-or-Alive Game has commenced with its usual vigour, although expectations among the TF command group are fairly realistic in terms of the time it takes to collate accurate BDA from ASIC intelligence sources. The SNO, however, remains worried due to the fact that the Taleban's IO campaign is not hindered by a lack of accurate information, while the Task Force must wait days, possibly weeks for an accurate battle damage assessment. ^{PSR(TS)2} HUMINT will continue to report as information comes available. ^{PSR(TS)2} is currently being analysed by ^{PSR(IC)3} and ^{PSR(IC)3} both of whom received ^{PSR(TS)2} training

ASIC Operations

PSR(TS)1

IT Issues

5. Following some final tweaking, all PSR(analysts are officially in PSR(TS)2 and all accounts are active and legal. This confirmed this week by PSR(T New Zealand

CapDev

PSR(TS)1

Personnel

PSR(TS)1

Future Activities

10. The following activities are planned for the forthcoming week:
 - a. PSR(IC)3 – work with PSR(T and S6 in order to complete installations;
 - b. Pick up of PSR(IC)3 from BAF and visit with PSR(while there;

- c. Continue reparations for ^{PSR(TS)2} visit to Camp Warehouse; and
- d. Review/become more familiar with ^{PSR(TS)2} community exchange and collaboration.

PSR(IC)3

Task Force 81

