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(b)(2) SERIAL: (U) [REDACTED]

**BODY**

COUNTRY: (U) IRAQ (IZ).

(b)(2) IPSP: (U) [REDACTED]

(b)(2) SUBJ: IIR [REDACTED] MOSUL - **DETAINEES** TO BE TURNED OVER TO IRAQI  
POLICE FROM U.S. CUSTODY PRIOR TO RELEASE (U).

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SUMMARY: ~~(S)~~ MOSUL POLICE CHIEF REQUESTED AND RECEIVED APPROVAL FROM MULTI-NATIONAL BRIGADE NORTHWEST FOR A NEW **DETAINEE** RELEASE PROCEDURE, IN WHICH ALL IRAQI **DETAINEE**S IN U.S. CUSTODY DESIGNATED FOR RELEASE WILL FIRST BE TRANSFERRED TO MOSUL POLICE CUSTODY FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES.

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2 ~~(S)~~ STATED REASON FOR THE REQUEST WAS FOR IDENTIFICATION AND DOCUMENTATION PURPOSES. THE MOSUL POLICE WOULD PHOTOGRAPH, FINGERPRINT AND DOCUMENT THE **DETAINEE**S AS A MEANS OF KEEPING TRACK OF ALL MOSUL AND NINEWA PROVINCE **DETAINEE**S, BOTH FROM COALITION FORCES AND IRAQI SECURITY FORCES (ISF).

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MOSUL POLICE DOCUMENTATION OF U.S. RELEASED **DETAINEE**S WILL ENABLE TRACKING OF REPEAT **DETAINEE**S AND SERVE AS A VETTING MECHANISM FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND SECURITY FORCES RECRUITING.

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IN THE ONGOING COUNTERINSURGENCY OPERATIONS OF MOSUL.

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6. (U) EMBASSY COMMENT. **DETAINEES** TRANSFERRED BACK TO THE DIVISIONAL LEVEL FROM MNF-I CUSTODY ARE SO TRANSFERRED BECAUSE THEY HAVE BEEN FOUND BY MNF-I TO POSE NO IMPERATIVE THREAT TO SECURITY AND HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED FOR RELEASE.

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