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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
The Senior Military Assistant
11 October 2002

MEMORANDUM FOR: ~~SECRETARY OF DEFENSE~~ (LTG CRADDOCK)
UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR POLICY
GENERAL COUNSEL
DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
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SUBJECT: State Department's Response to Request concerning Iraq

Gentlemen:

Mr. Wolfowitz wanted to be sure that you have received a copy of the attached reply from Deputy Secretary of State Armitage regarding the Department's request on Iraq..

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Very respectfully,,

Bill Caldwell

William B. Caldwell, IV
Brigadier General, USA
Senior Military Assistant to the
Deputy Secretary of Defense

Attachment:
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Dear Dr. Wolfowitz:

~~(S//NF)~~ Thank you for your letter of September 13 requesting the Department's assistance with respect to the screening and vetting of Iraqi opposition members.

~~(S//NF)~~ The Department has met with DIA representatives and we are in agreement that the most useful and efficient course is to run the names against databases unique to the Department. The first set of names is already being run against the Bureau of Consular Affairs CLASS database, and technical experts are working on a similar name check process for the Department's NODIS and EXDIS holdings.

~~(S//NF)~~ We believe this approach will satisfy DIA's information requirements.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Richard L. Armitage

The Honorable
Paul D. Wolfowitz
Deputy Secretary of Defense

8 OCT 2002

Bill:
Make sure
DSD sees this.

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