

### Iraq Historic Allegations Team: work completed

IHAT Investigation Number	Review/Investigation Result
IHAT/084	<p>The IHAT was tasked to review an RAF Police investigation into an allegation relating to the death of a Prisoner of War (PoW). He died whilst being transported along with nine other PoWs in an RAF helicopter to a Coalition base.</p> <p>The review has been completed and presented to the RAF Police for consideration. Provost Marshal (Royal Air Force) has directed further investigation.</p>
IHAT/097	<p>In April 2011 the <i>Mail on Sunday</i> sent the Ministry of Defence's media centre video footage showing the apparent abuse of an Iraqi man by British servicemen.</p> <p>One of those soldiers was identified and interviewed by IHAT investigators. He admitted to being responsible.</p> <p>He was subsequently referred by IHAT to his Commanding Officer and was fined £3,000 after a Summary Hearing.</p>
IHAT/105	<p>During the course of an IHAT review an email was recovered which raised concerns about RAF training in the inappropriate use of hooding, blindfolding and the restraining of prisoners through the use of collar and rope.</p> <p>Following an investigation IHAT concluded that there was no evidence to suggest that this inappropriate training was conducted by anyone other than one individual trainer.</p> <p>The IHAT report was forwarded to the RAF Police.</p>
IHAT/106	<p>In March 2011 information was received by the IHAT that whilst on a routine patrol in the desert a serving soldier had been involved in the 'mock execution' of an Iraqi.</p> <p>An investigation was conducted and an interview under caution undertaken with the suspect. There was insufficient evidence to refer the case to prosecutors. Should any other information come to light the investigation could be reopened.</p>
IHAT/107	<p>This investigation was launched after an email from the IHAT to RMP personnel asking for anyone who had witnessed ill treatment in Iraq to get in touch resulted in a member of the RMP responding to say that during his tour on Telic 2 he witnessed 'hooding'.</p> <p>Due to the status of the individual and the nature of his response the IHAT interviewed him under caution. He confirmed that on one occasion he had witnessed two hooded detainees and that he questioned the use of hooding at the</p>

	<p>time. He was told the individuals were militia and that it was done for security reasons.</p> <p>It was decided that, with regards this individual, the evidential sufficiency test had not been met and the investigation has been discontinued pending any further information coming to light.</p>
IHAT/116	<p>This investigation concerned an allegation that in June 2007, British Forces were involved in a helicopter transfer in the Majar Al Kabir area. It is alleged that the operation led to rockets being launched from the air and shots fired by British Forces on the ground. After the attacks, Iraqi police reported that 36 people had been killed and a further 100 were reportedly injured.</p> <p>IHAT concluded that, whilst this incident did take place, with the exception of aircraft refuelling there is no evidence of British involvement to date. We will seek to establish contact with the relevant US investigative agency to discuss the possible handing-over of the case to US authorities.</p>