



DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

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U-16-4007/FAC-2A1 (FOIA)

June 30, 2016

Accuracy in Media
4350 East West Highway, Suite 555
Bethesda, MD 20814-4582

Dear Accuracy in the Media:

This responds to your two Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests, dated April 7, 2014 and May 28, 2014 that you submitted to the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) for the following information:

1. **Maps.** Maps depicting all assets within fifteen hundred miles of Benghazi, Libya, on September 11th and 12th, 2012, regardless of such maps were created before or after September 11, 2012.
2. **Military assets pre-positioned in October 2011.** Records of all Defense Department assets that were pre-positioned off the coast of Tripoli on October 18, 2011, when Secretary Clinton visited Libya.
3. **Terrorist threat in 2012.** For the calendar year 2012, records of the threat to U.S. personnel because of al-Qaida or Ansar al-Shariah or other belligerent build-up in Benghazi, including photographs.
4. **Op Rep 3's.** The OPREP-3 PINNACLE report(s) used to provide any Department of Defense division on (or office or entity) with notification of, or information about, the September 11th and 12th 2012 attacks on U.S. facilities in Benghazi, Libya.
5. **Orders re readiness status.** For the period of July 1, 2012, through September 30, 2012, records of all directives, orders, and other communications regarding the readiness status of United States armed forces on the anniversary of the September 11th, 2001, attacks on the World Trade center, to or from:
 - USEUCOM (U.S. European Command);
 - CENTCOM (United States Central Command);
 - AFRICOM (U.S. Africa Command);
 - USSOCOM (Special Operations Command);
 - OSD /JS (Office of the Secretary of Defense and the Joint Staff);

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- Naval Air Station Sigonella, Sicily;
- Spanish naval base Naval Station Rota, Spain;
- Aviano Air Base in northeastern Italy; and
- Special Operations Forces in the United States.

As you are aware, this case is currently the subject of litigation in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in case number 14-01589.

A search of DIA's systems of records located 148 documents (1,063 pages) responsive to your request. Of these responsive records, 92 documents (698 pages) were referred to other government agencies for their review and direct response to you. This referral is necessary because the documents did not originate with DIA. One document (7 pages) was previously processed for you in this litigation. The Department of Defense (DoD) referred this document to DIA for consultation on March 1, 2016 and DIA provided DoD a response on April 19, 2016. This document will not be processed again at this time.

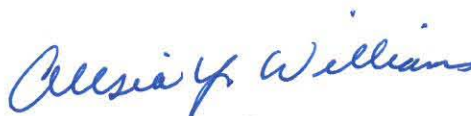
Please be advised that the majority information within the documents was not responsive to your requests. In good faith DIA reviewed this information as well.

Upon review, I have determined that some portions of 25 documents (138 pages) must be withheld in part from disclosure pursuant to the FOIA. The withheld portions are exempt from release pursuant to Exemptions 1, 3, and 6 of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(1), (b)(3), and (b)(6). Exemption 1 applies to information properly classified under the criteria of Executive Order 13526. Exemption 3 applies to information specifically exempted by a statute establishing particular criteria for withholding. The applicable statutes are 10 U.S.C. § 424 and 50 U.S.C. § 3024(i). Statute 10 U.S.C. § 424 protects the identity of DIA employees, the organizational structure of the agency, and any function of DIA. Statute 50 U.S.C. § 3024(i) protects intelligence sources and methods. Exemption 6 applies to information which if released would constitute an unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of other individuals.

Further, I have determined that 30 of the documents (220 pages) must be withheld in full pursuant to the FOIA. These withheld documents are exempt from release pursuant to Exemptions 1 and 3 of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(1) and (b)(3).

DIA has reviewed all the information to ensure that no reasonably segregable portions of the records have been withheld from you.

Sincerely,



Alesia Y. Williams AM
Chief, FOIA and Declassification Services Office

25 Enclosures

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Defense Intelligence Report

Terrorism

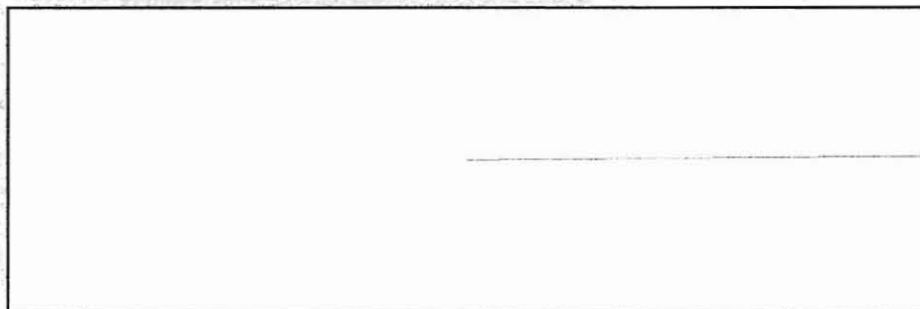
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ICOD: 11 June 2012

DIA-09-1206-347

~~(S//NF)~~ Libya: Terrorists Now Targeting U.S. and Western Interests

(U) The Defense Intelligence Report provides indepth analysis of a new intelligence development, discovery, or finding.



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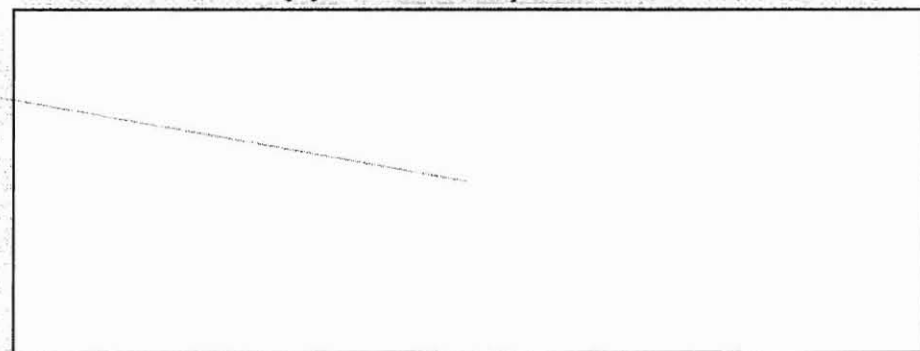
• (U) On 6 June, a previously unknown group calling itself the Brigades of Captive Umar Abd al-Rahman claimed responsibility for an IED attack on the U.S. mission in Benghazi by stating it was in response to the recent death of al-Qaida deputy leader Abu Yahya al-Libi. The claim also threatened the United States for what it referred to as polluting the skies of Darnah, according to Libyan press.¹

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(U) TERRORISTS ATTACKING U.S. AND WESTERN INTERESTS

~~(S)~~ We expect more anti-U.S. terrorist attacks in eastern Libya in [redacted] due to the terrorists' greater [redacted]

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This will include terrorists conducting more ambush and IED attacks as well as more threats against

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- (U) On 11 June, the Brigades of the Captive Umar Abd al-Rahman claimed responsibility for the 6 June attack and the 22 May attack on a Red Cross office in Benghazi, according to two online statements by the group.^{3, 4} Libyan press from 6 June stated on 27 May the brigades claimed responsibility for a 22 May attack.^{5, 6}

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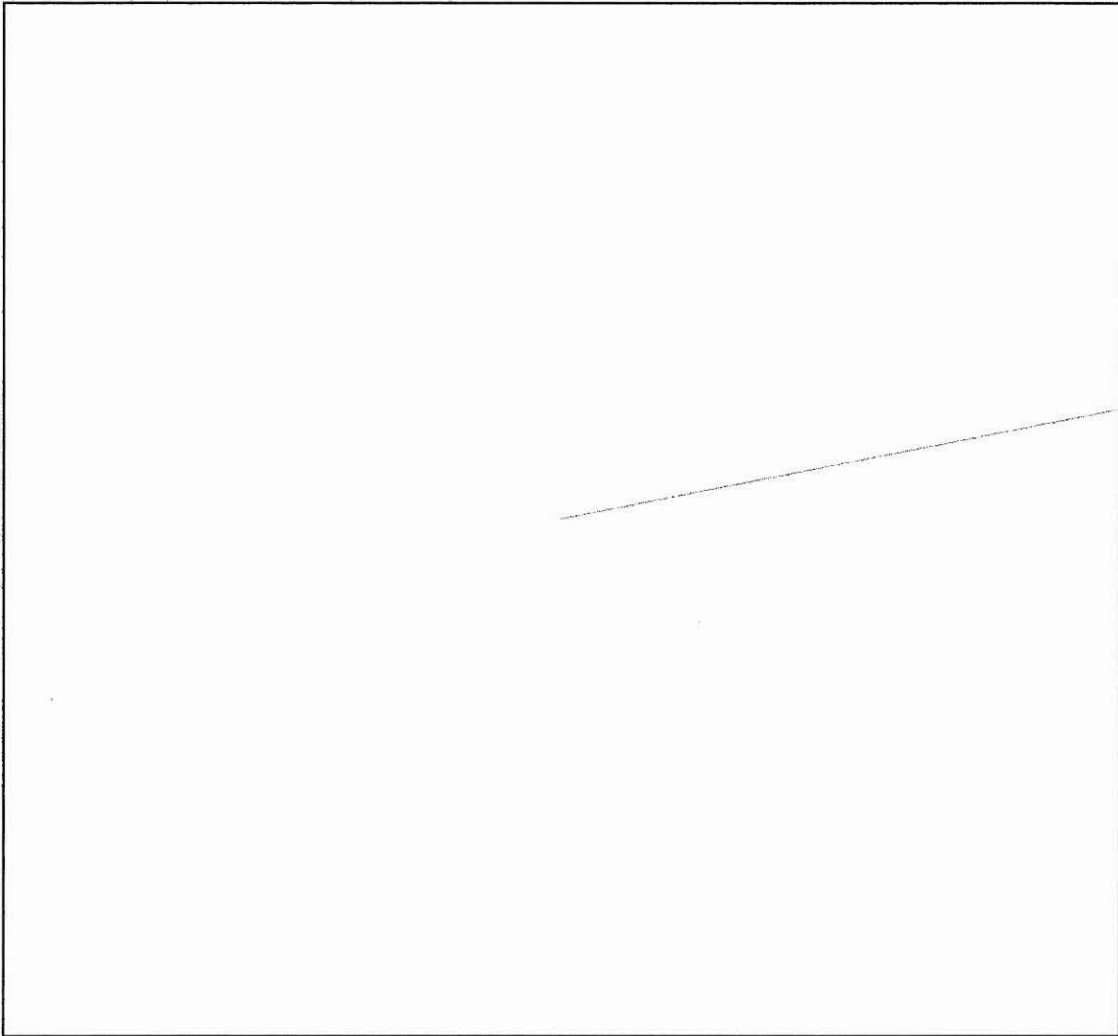
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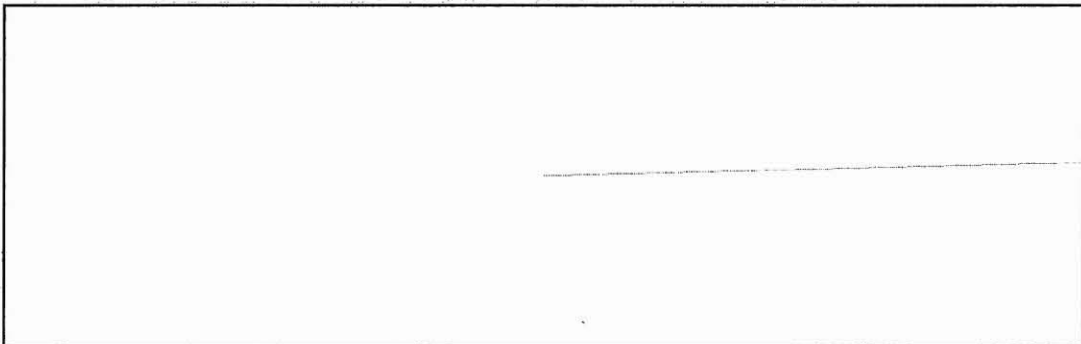
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(U) OUTLOOK, IMPLICATIONS, AND OPPORTUNITIES



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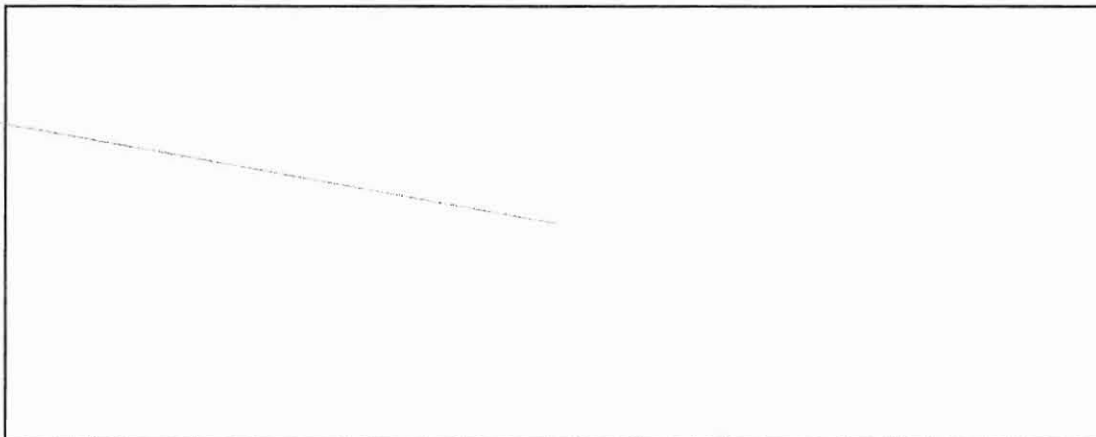
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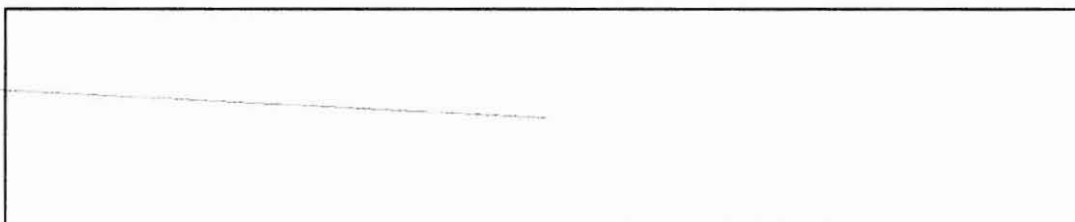
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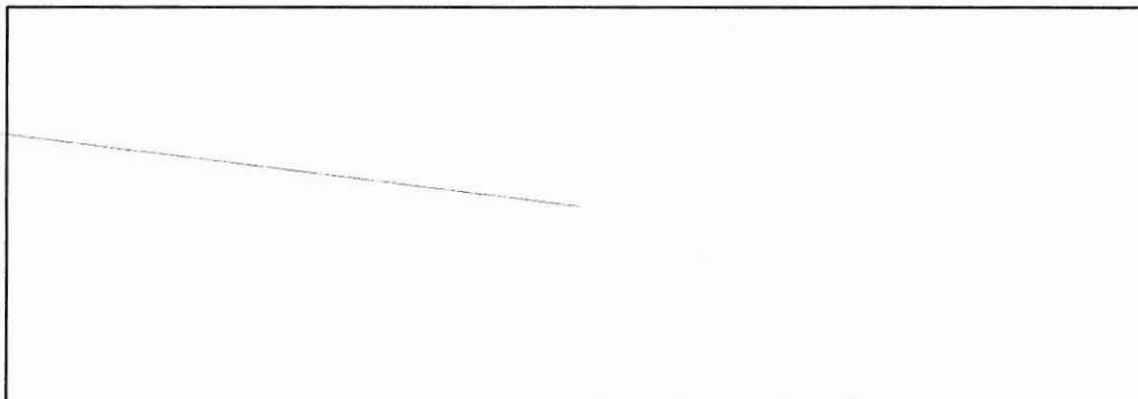
Brigades of the Captive Umar Abd al-Rahman claimed responsibility for the 6 June attack on the US Mission and the 22 May attack on a Red Cross office in Benghazi, which resulted in no casualties, according to two online statements by the group.

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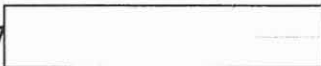


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(U) Salafist Groups Activity in Libya



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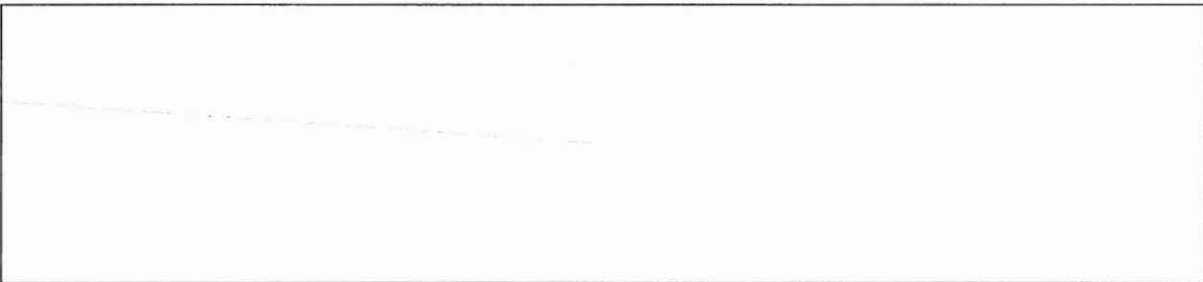
Since mid-2012, these groups have operated with near impunity, primarily in eastern Libya, to conduct multiple attacks against U.S., Western, and Libyan government interests.

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(U) Ansar al-Sharia Battalion

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(U) Brigades of Captive Umar Abd al-Rahman

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we expect the Brigades will seek to conduct further anti-Western attacks in Eastern Libya.

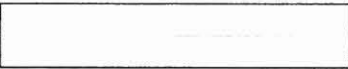
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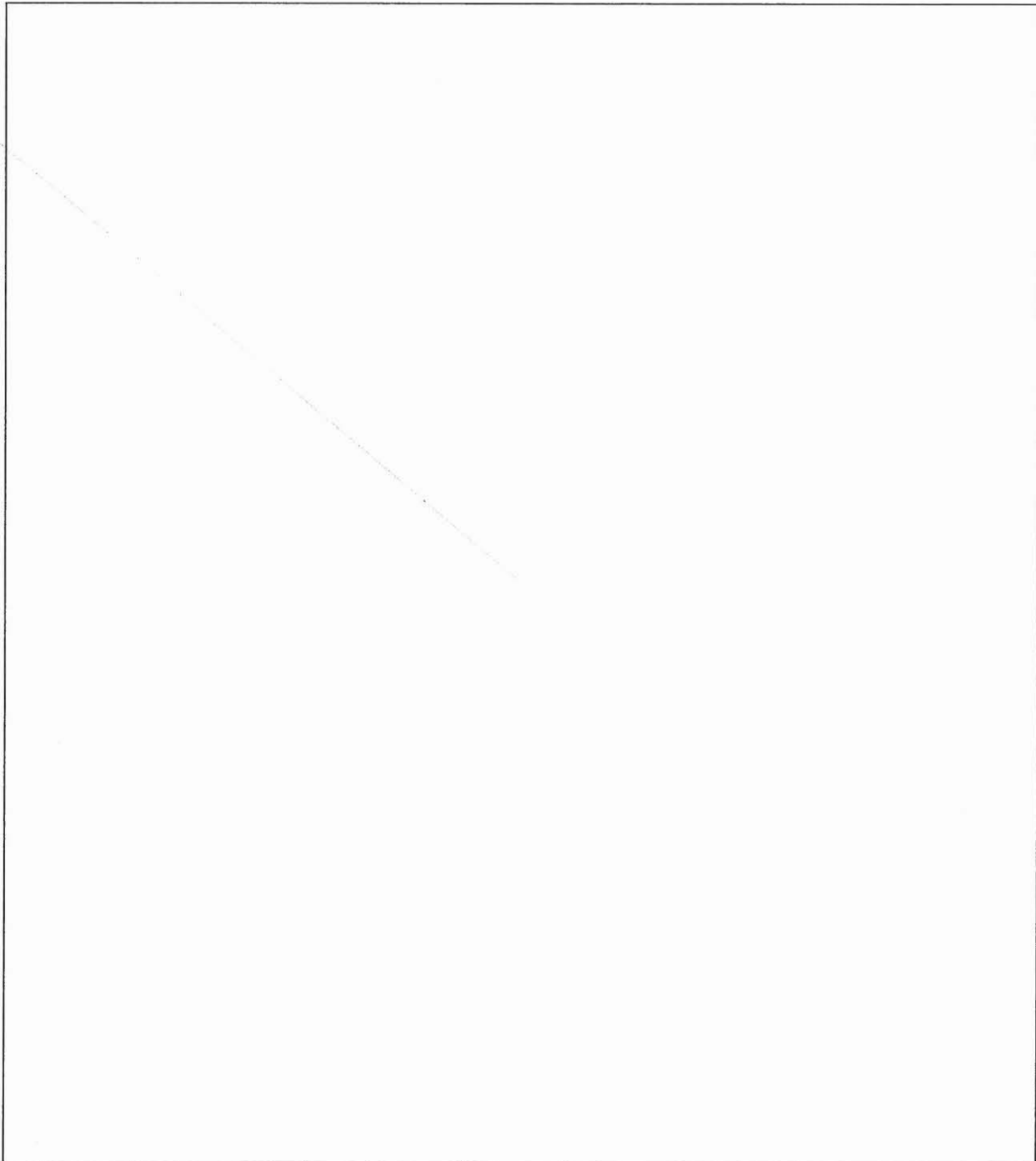
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- (U) On 6 June, the Brigades of Captive Umar Abd al-Rahman claimed responsibility for an IED attack on the U.S. mission in Benghazi by stating it was in response to the death of al-Qaida deputy leader Abu Yahya al-Libi.^{viii} The group later claimed responsibility for the 22 May attack on a Red Cross office in Benghazi.^{ixx}

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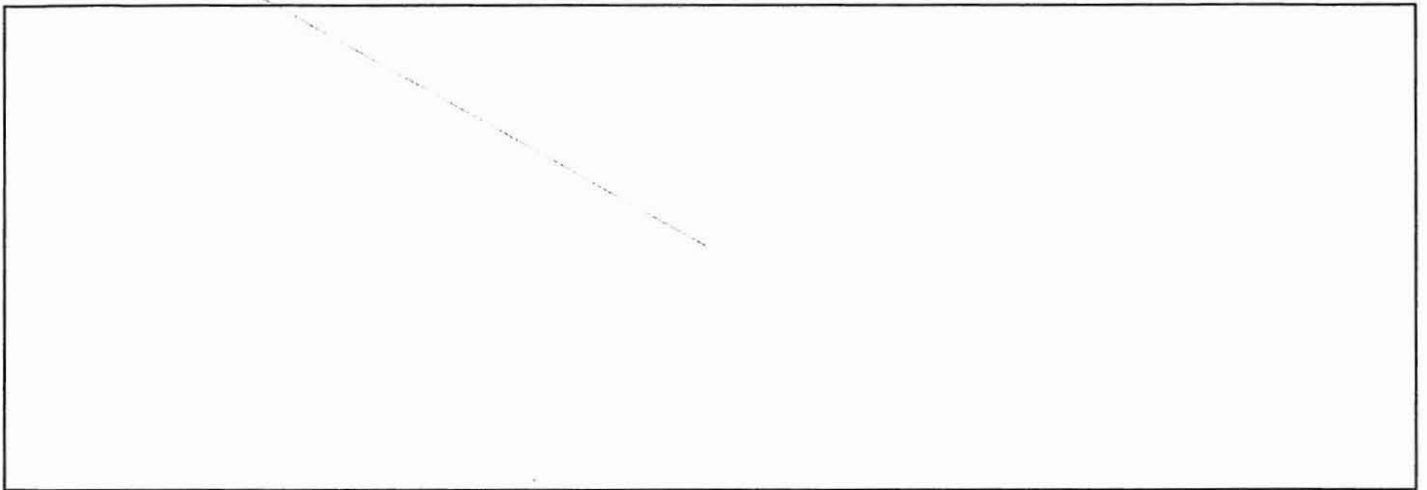
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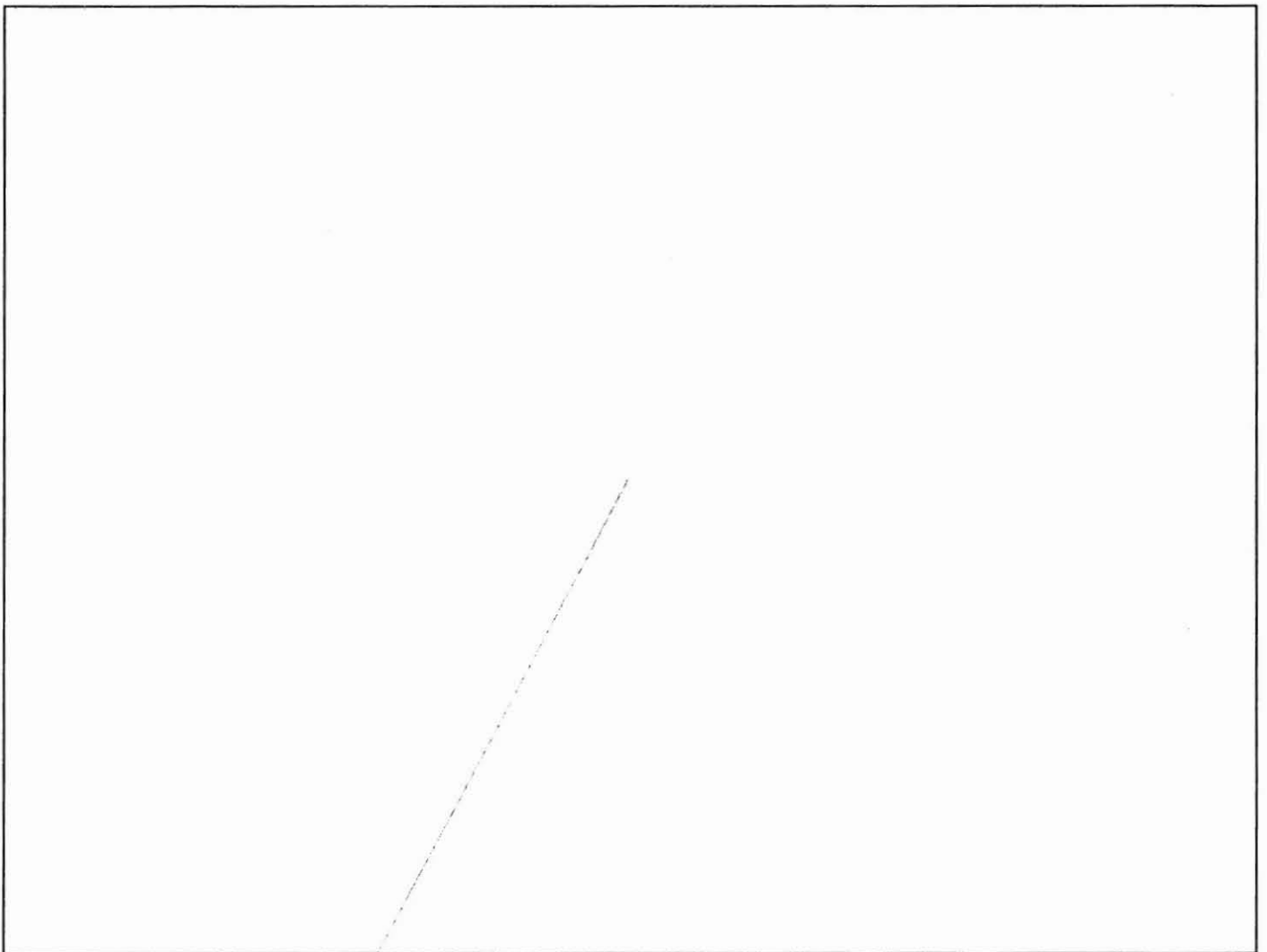
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- (U) Since mid-2012, terrorists in eastern Libya have conducted multiple attacks against U.S., Western, and Libyan government interests, according to credible Libyan press reporting. ^{(v), [vi], [viii]}



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THERE IS CONCERN THAT SENSITIVE
ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION MAY BE COMPROMISED AND USED TO TARGET U.S.
GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL, U.S. FACILITIES, ALLIED PERSONNEL/EQUIPMENT,
AND U.S. EQUIPMENT.

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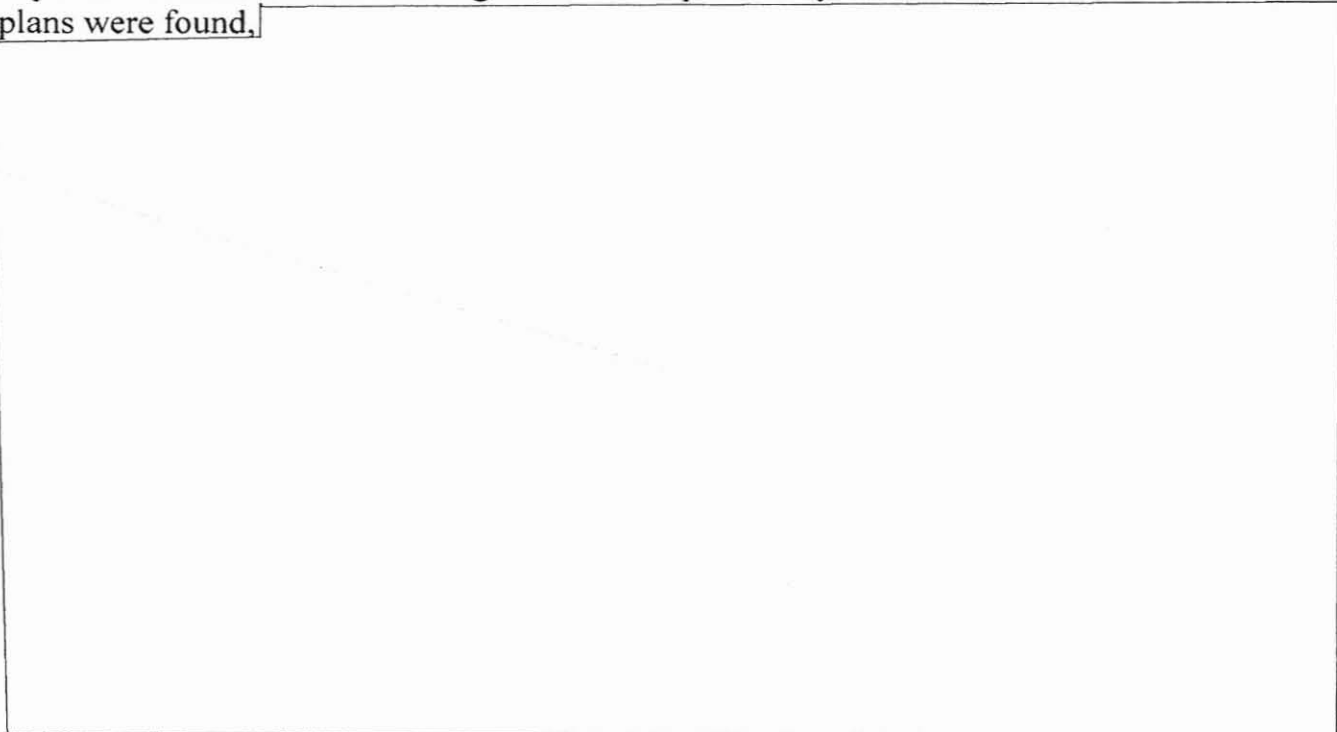
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We had no one in Benghazi and had reported no imminent attack.

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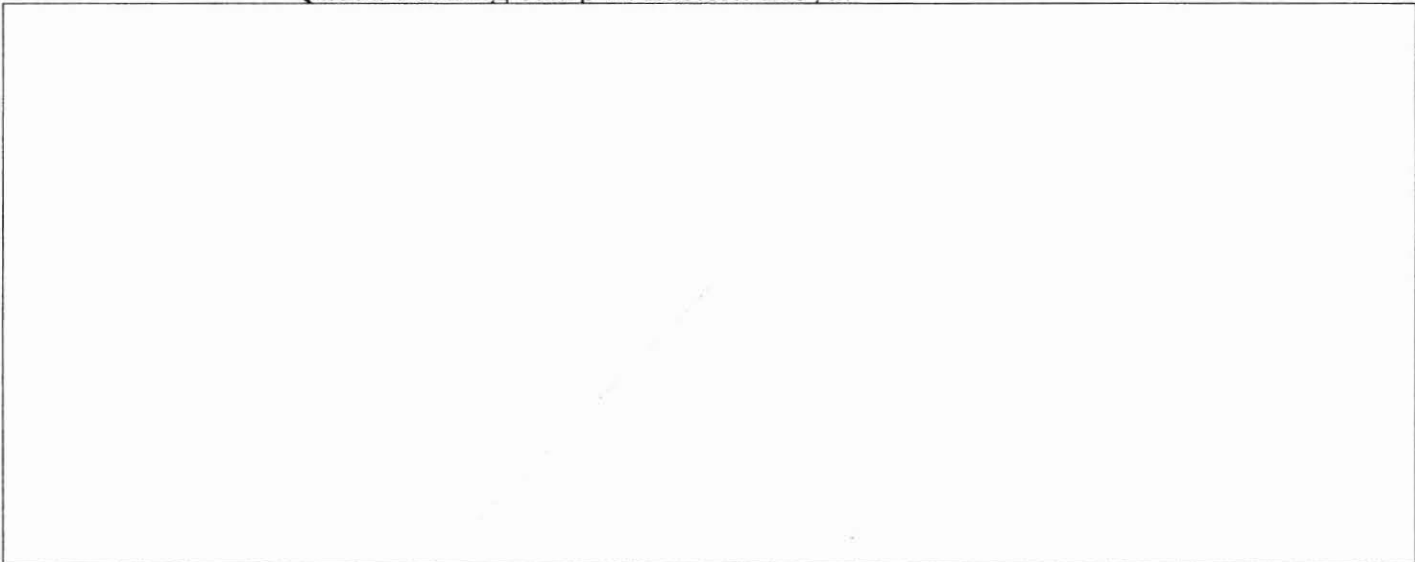
- Between 11 Aug 2012 and 11 Sept 2012, no specifically related Intelligence Collection Requirements and/or Intelligence Information Reports (IIR) were found that specifically indicated an imminent attack on the U.S. Consulate in Benghazi, Libya.

- In an attempt to seek out potential indicators of the attack, this after-the-fact search was expanded back to 1 Jan 2012. Again, no IIRs specifically detailed U.S. Consulate attack plans were found.



- ~~(S//NF)~~ A Jul 2012 DIA report on an attack on a U.S. Allie's Ambassador's Motorcade in Benghazi [redacted] British Ambassador's Motorcade attacked in Benghazi, Libya. (b)(3):10 USC 424
- ~~(S//NF)~~ A Jun 2012 DIA report on the Libyan Minister of Defense's concerns over a suspected training camp in Eastern Libya [redacted] [redacted] Libyan Minister of Defense expresses concerns about suspected al-Qaeda training camp in Eastern Libya. (b)(3):10 USC 424

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Sir,
 Here is my initial stab at this. Reading the question over again my interpretation of it is if there was ANY DOD generated intelligence on the threat to US personnel in Libya and that is what I tried to answer.
Q: What if any intelligence existed from Defense Department agencies regarding threats to US personnel or our diplomatic mission in Libya and what intelligence was disseminated to the intelligence community?

Let me know what you think.

v/r
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Question#4 from Sen. McCain letter to SECDEF

What if any intelligence existed from Defense Department agencies regarding threats to US personnel or our diplomatic mission in Libya and what intelligence was disseminated to the intelligence community?

UNCLASSIFIED: (U) Prior to events of Sept 11 in Benghazi, Department of Defense agencies did not have any specific DOD intelligence that indicated threat to US personnel and diplomatic mission in Tripoli and Benghazi . Over the course of last year numerous DoD intelligence products addressing the terrorist aspirations and threats in Libya, based on the intelligence reporting from other Intelligence Community agencies, were disseminated to the Intelligence Community.

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Defense Intelligence Note

Terrorism

12 September 2012

ICOD: 11 September 2012

DIA-09-1209-838

(U) Daily Threat Summary

(U) Intelligence Reporting From The Last 24 Hours

(U) AFRICOM

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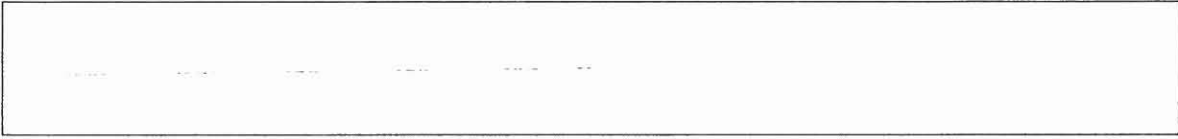


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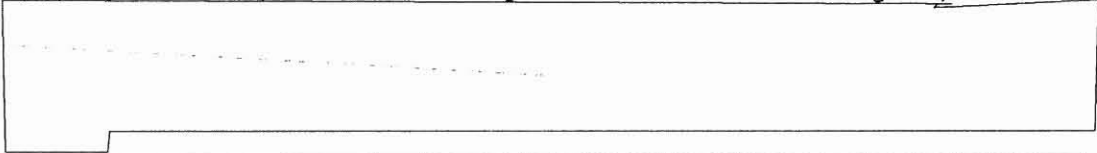
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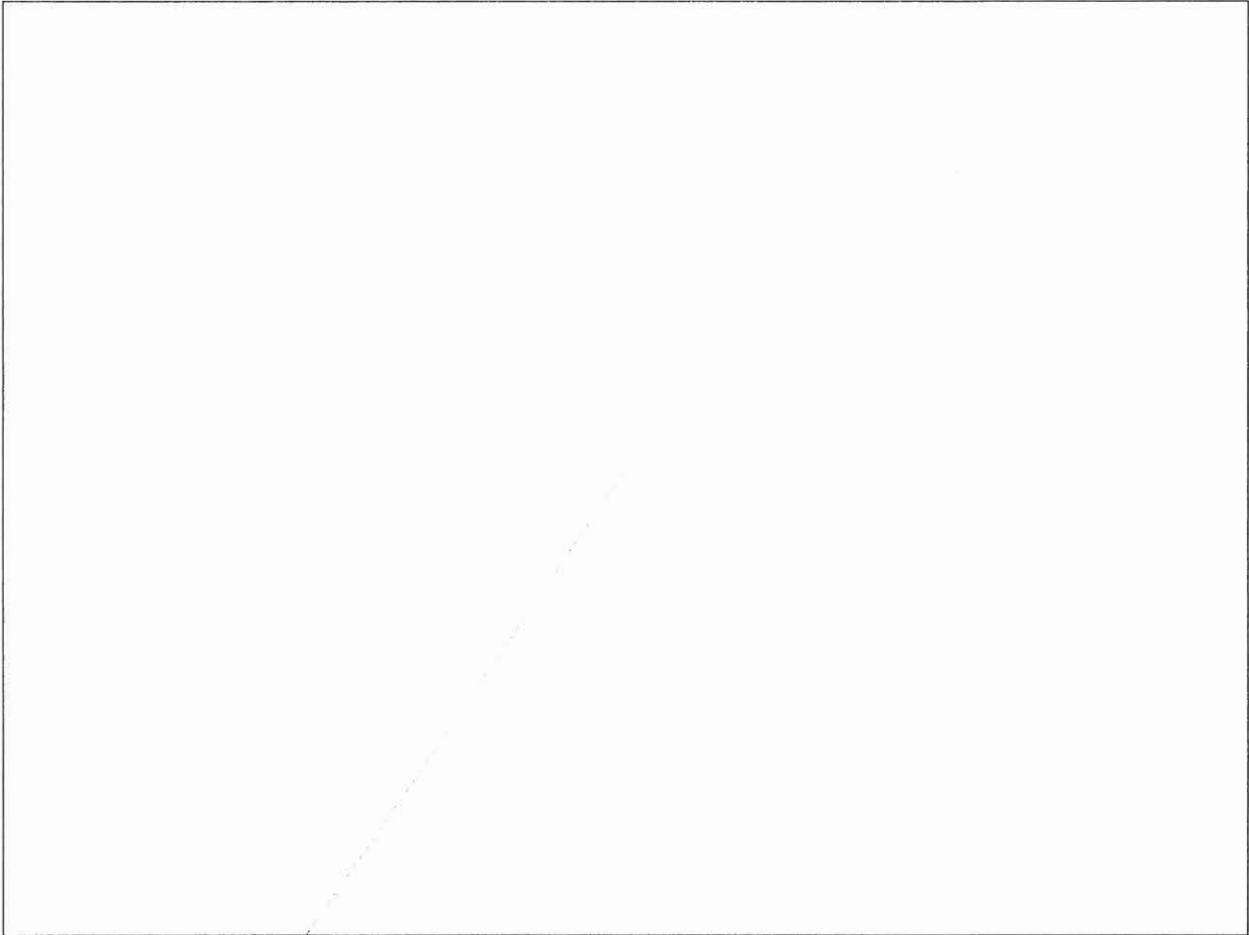
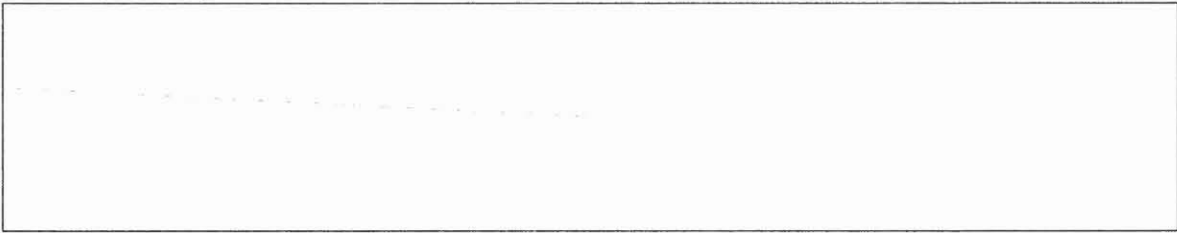


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- ~~(S//NF)~~ On 6 June, an IED attack targeted the US Mission in Benghazi, and a

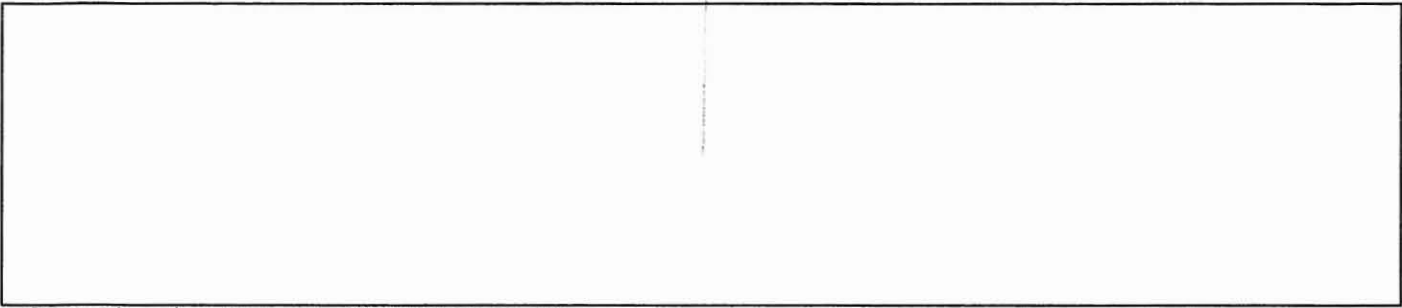


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3.) ~~15/~~ [Redacted] We expect more anti-U.S. terrorist attacks in eastern Libya (from
LBY_Terrorist Now Targeting U.S. and Western Interests)

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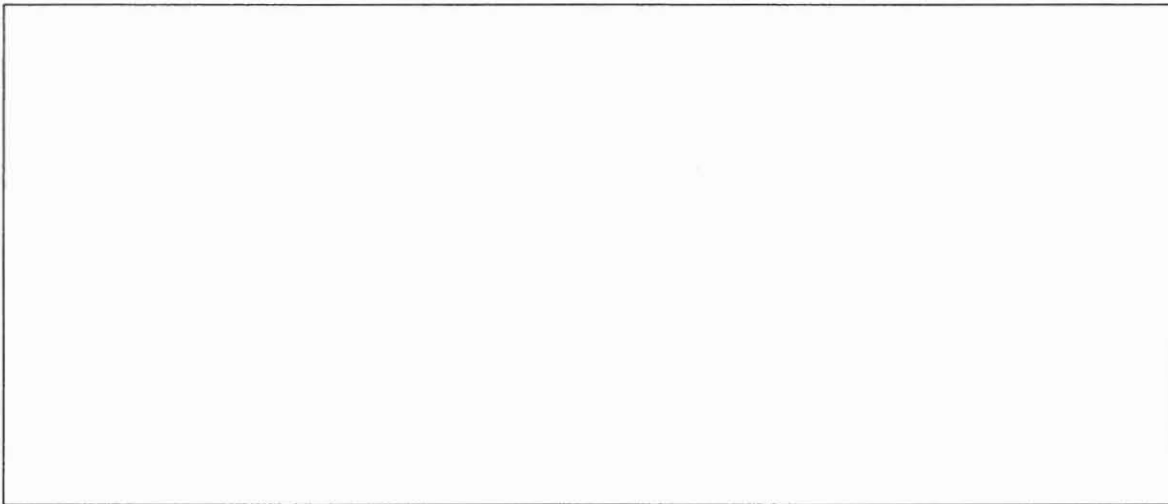
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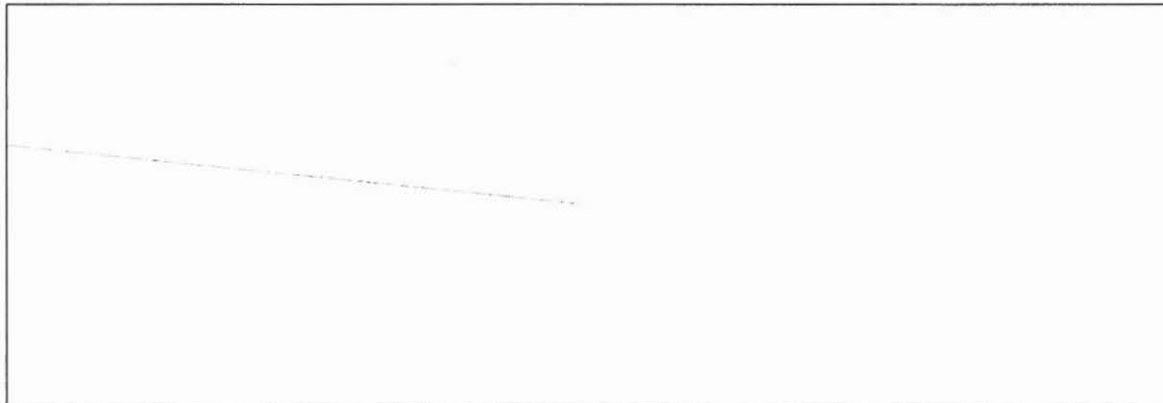


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• ~~(S)~~ [redacted] Since mid-2012, terrorists in eastern Libya conducted multiple attacks against U.S., Western, and Libyan government interests, based on credible Libyan press reporting and reliable information. A group calling itself the Brigades of the Captive Umar Abd al-Rahman publicly claimed at least two of these attacks, including a 6 June IED attack on the U.S. Mission in Benghazi. [redacted]

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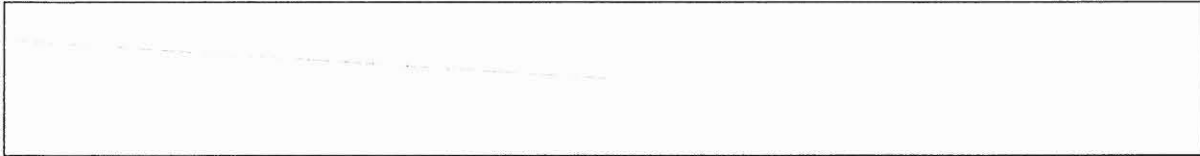
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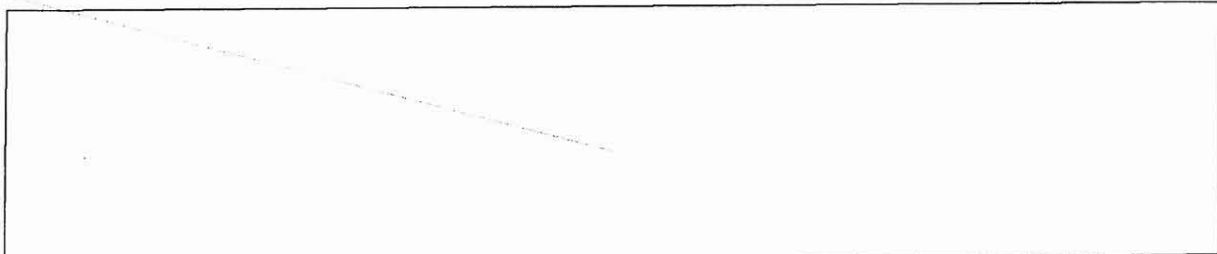
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~~(U//FOUO)~~ Overview of Terrorist Groups Operating in Libya

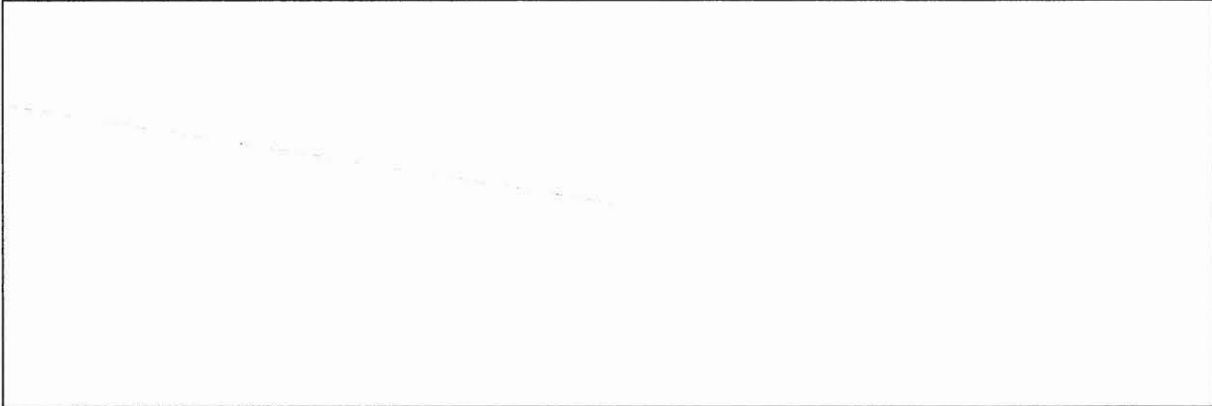


Since mid-2012, terrorists in eastern Libya have conducted multiple attacks against U.S., Western, and Libyan government interests.

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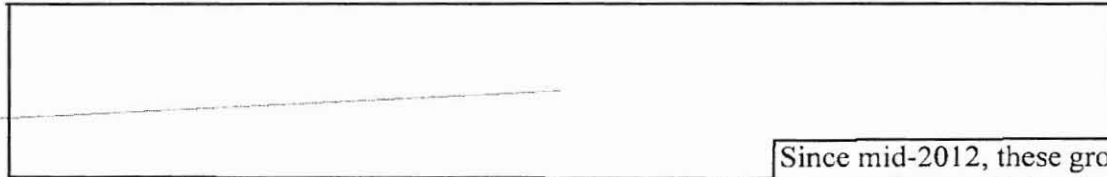
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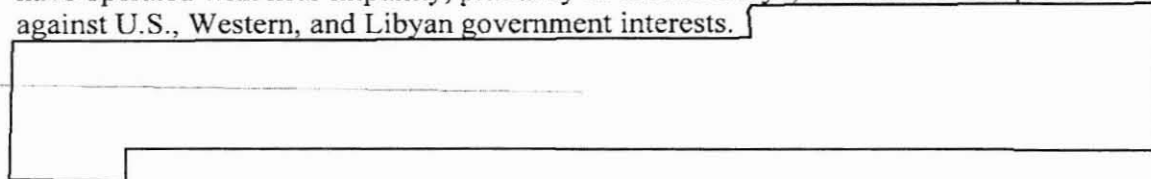


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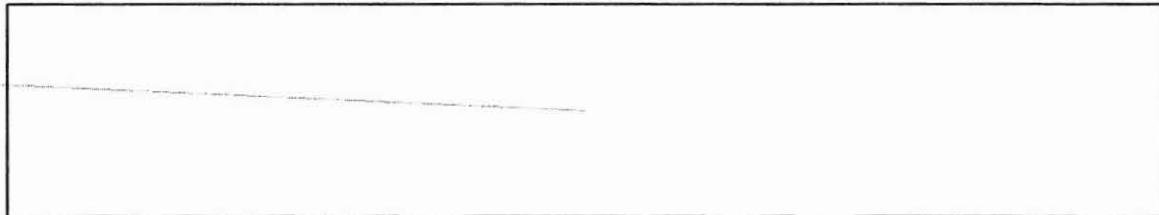
Since mid-2012, these groups have operated with near impunity, primarily in eastern Libya, to conduct multiple attacks against U.S., Western, and Libyan government interests.

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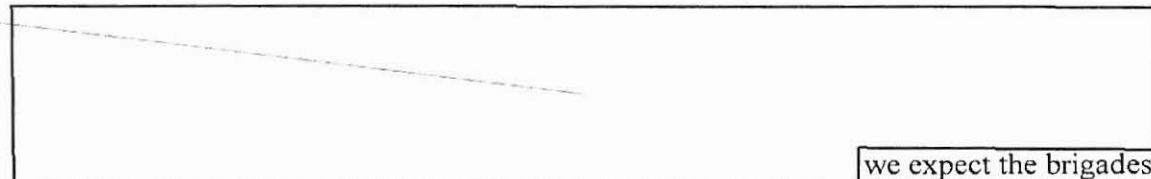
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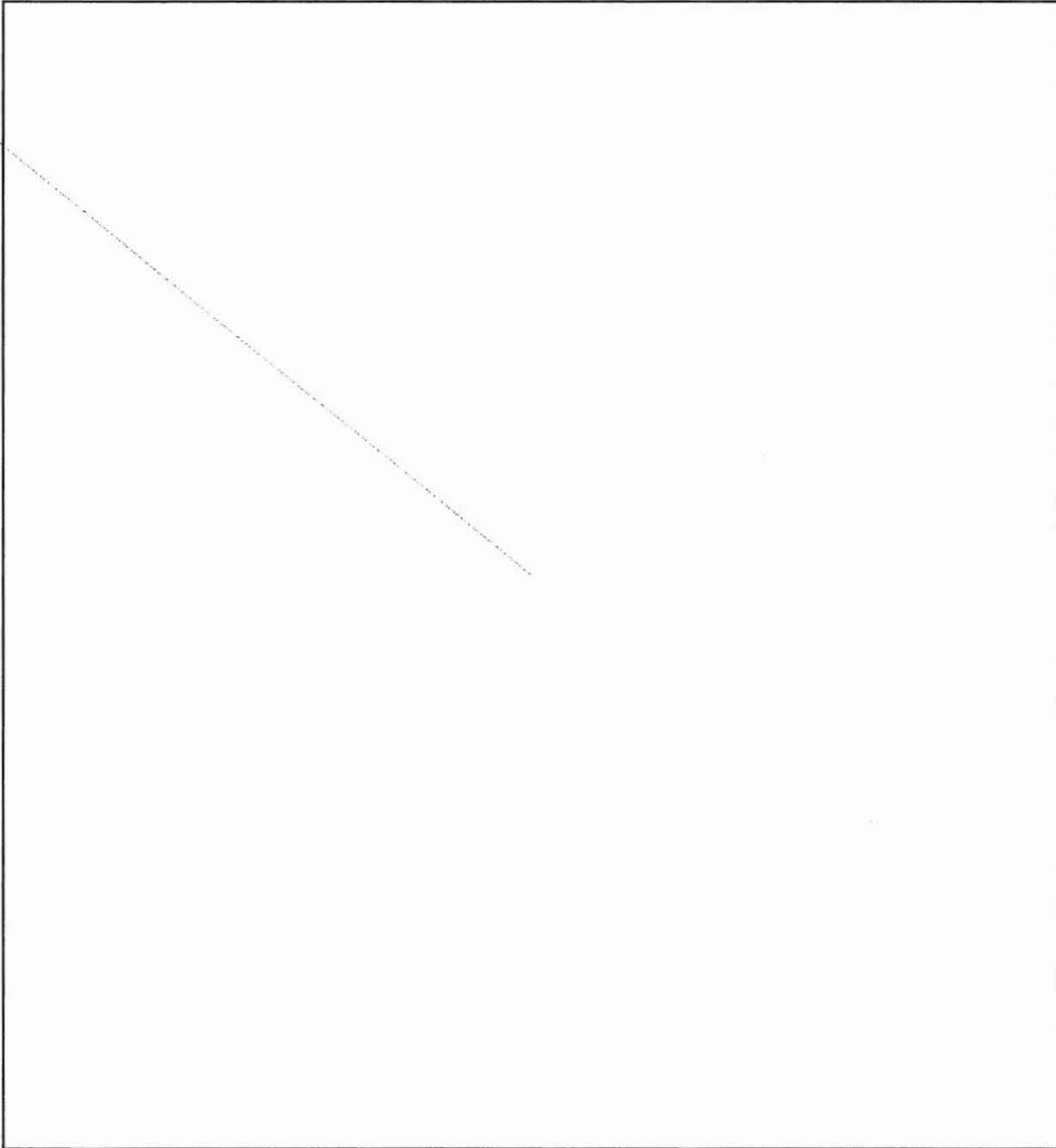
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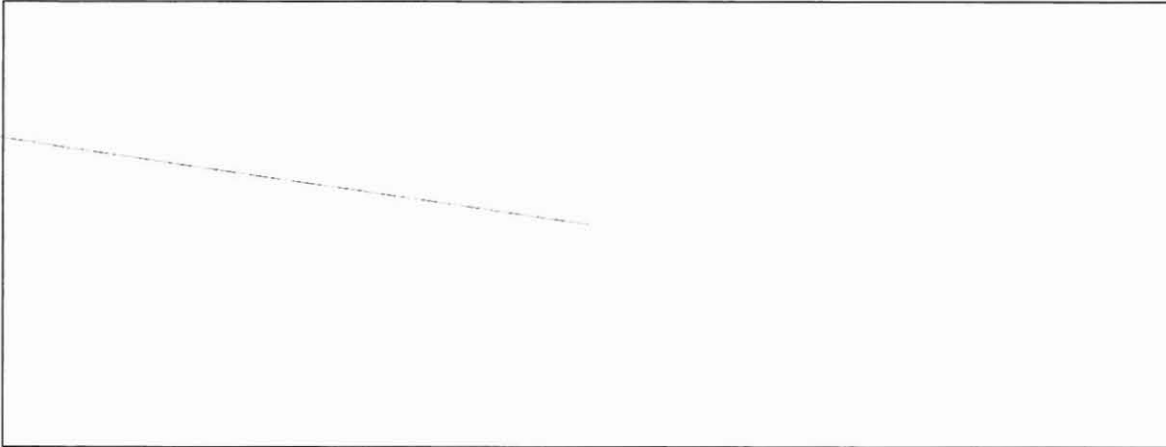
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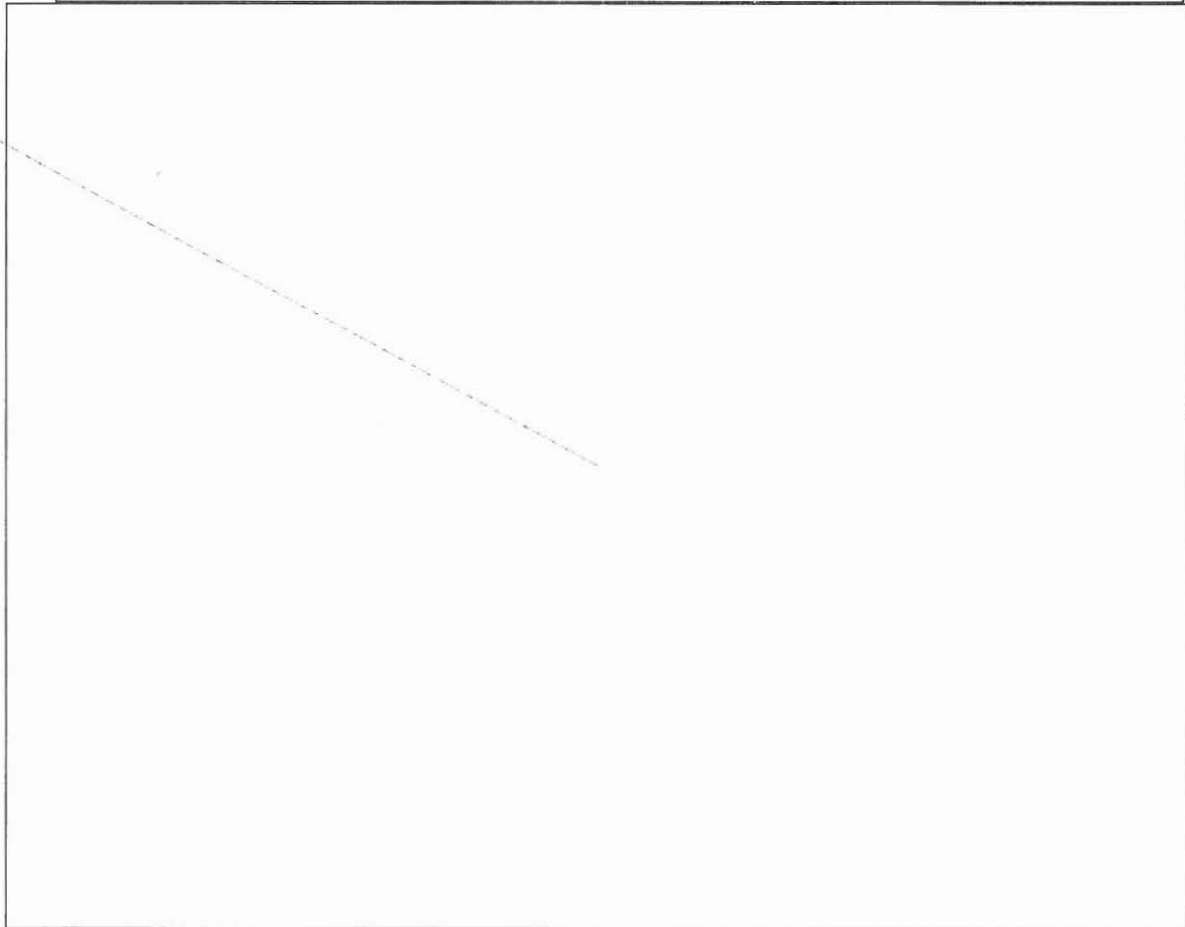


- Social media is being employed to encourage further protests and attacks on the U.S. embassy in Tripoli on 12 and 13 Sep.

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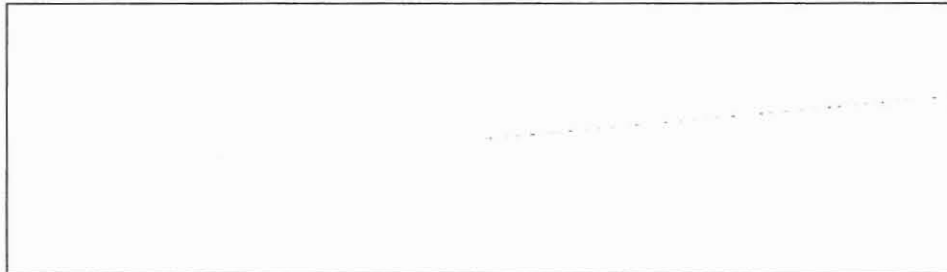
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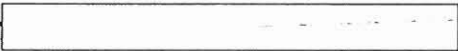
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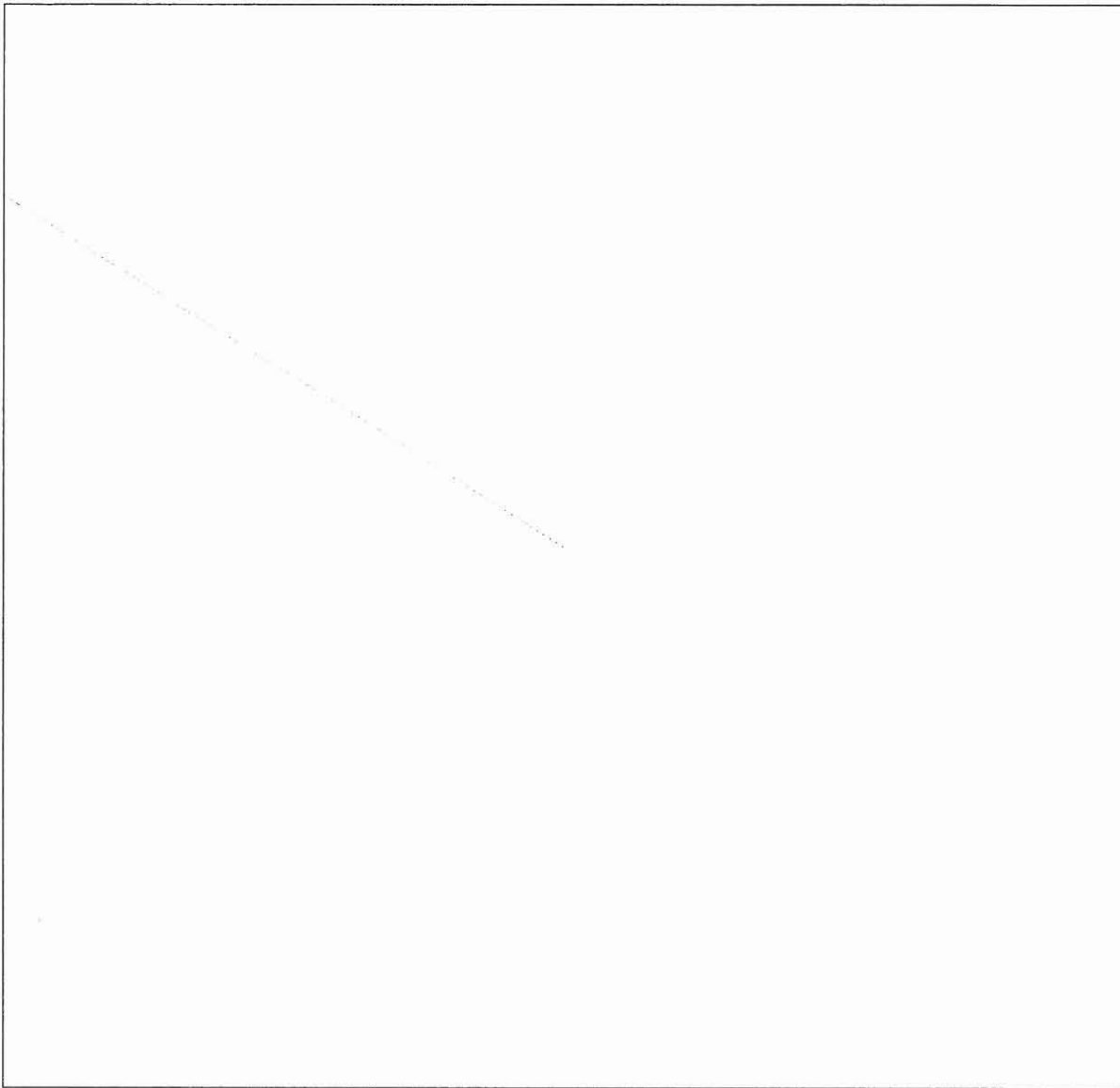
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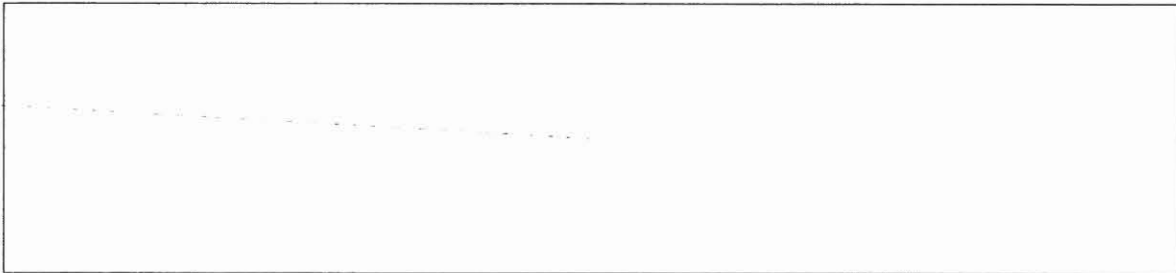


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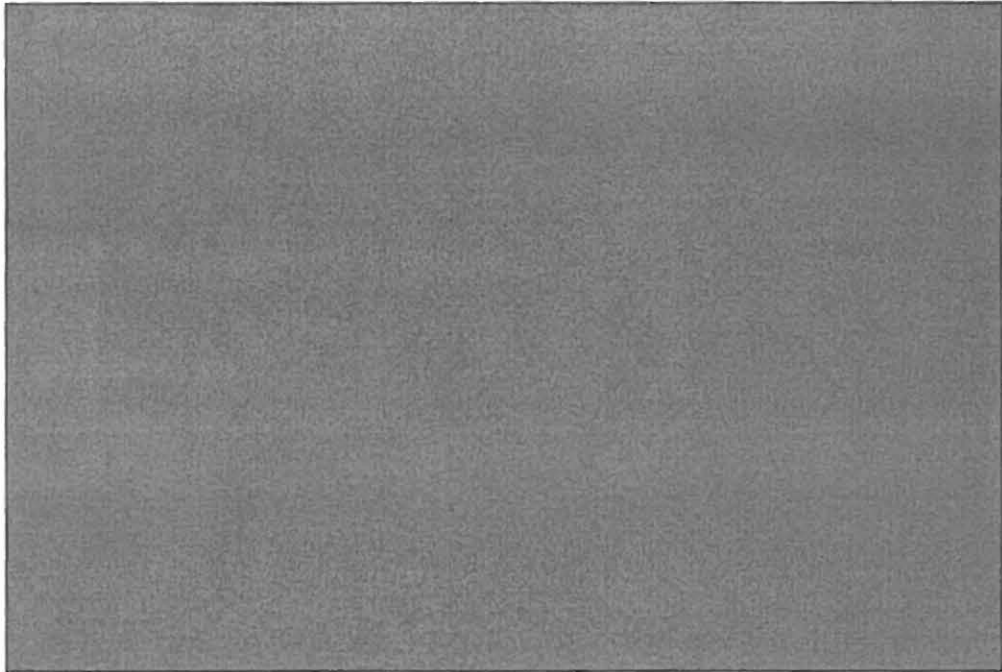
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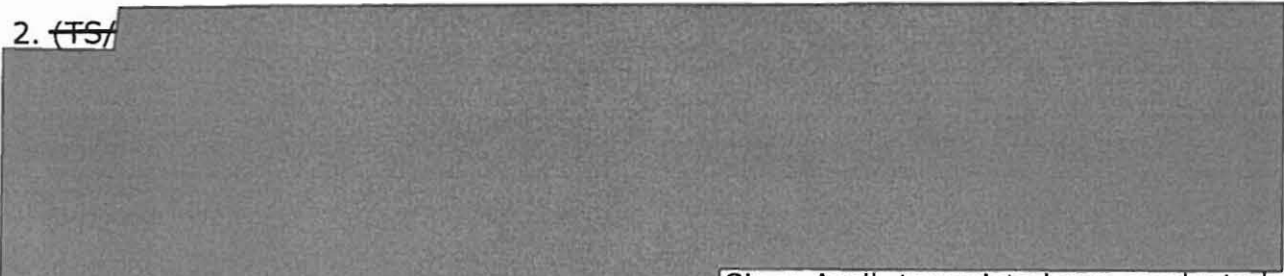
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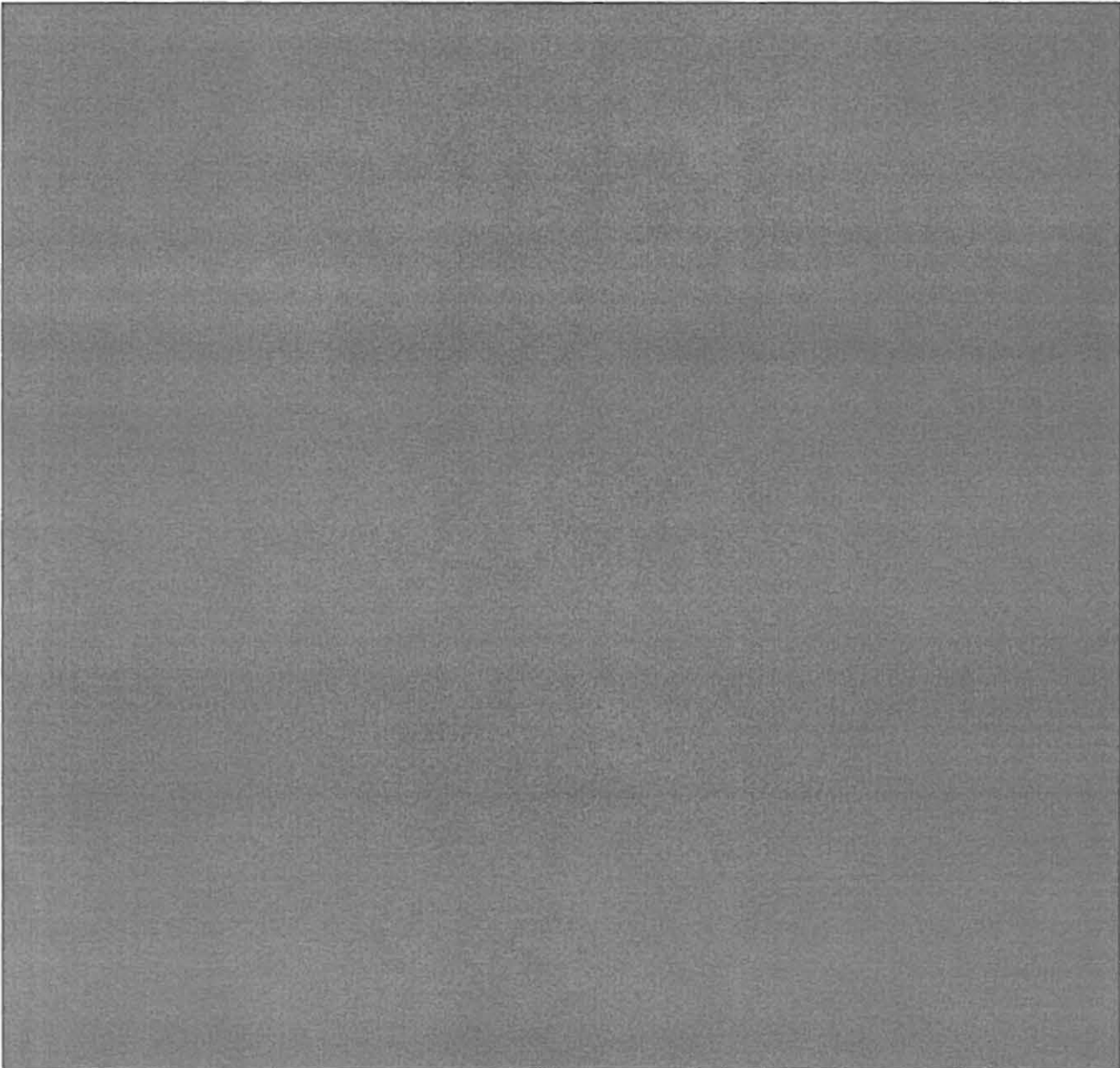
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Since April, terrorists have conducted at least four attacks against U.S. and Western interests, including a rocket-propelled grenade attack against the British ambassador's convoy and the U.S. mission in Benghazi.^{4,5}

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6 APR 12: Attack on U.S. Mission	[redacted]
10 APR 12: UN Motorcade Attack	(U//FOUO) On 10 April a UN envoy motorcade in Benghazi was attacked/ [redacted]
22 MAY 12: RPG attack on the Red Cross Compound in Benghazi	(U//FOUO) On 22 May the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) office in Benghazi was attacked with an RPG: [redacted]
6 JUN 12: U.S. Mission attack 11 JUN 12: Attack on UK Ambassador's Motorcade attacked near US Mission	[redacted]

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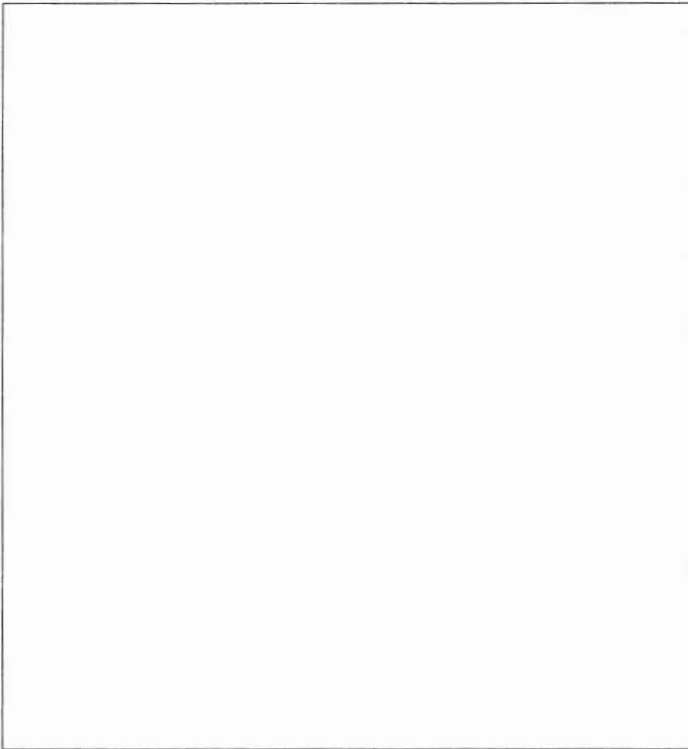


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• (U) On 18 September, Libya-based militia Ansar al-Sharia publicly threatened the United States, claiming Benghazi would become an inferno for U.S. troops if the U.S. military retaliated for the 11 September attack.³

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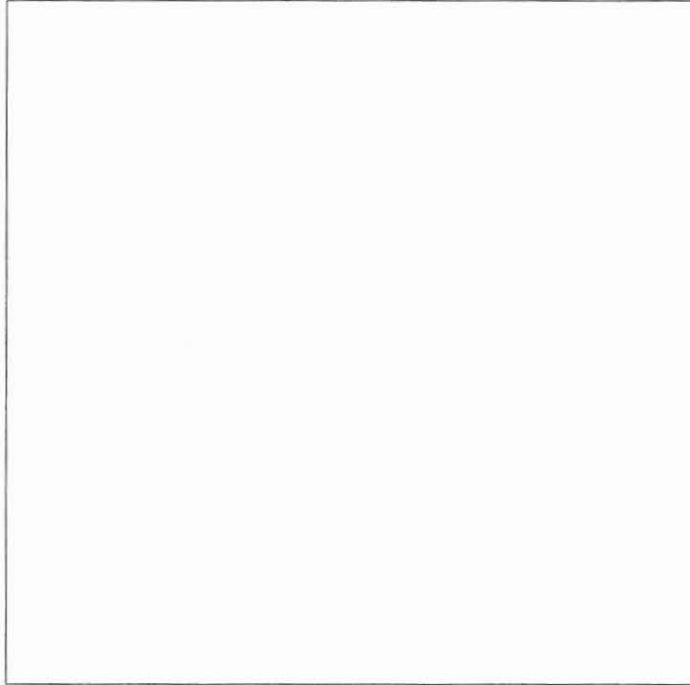
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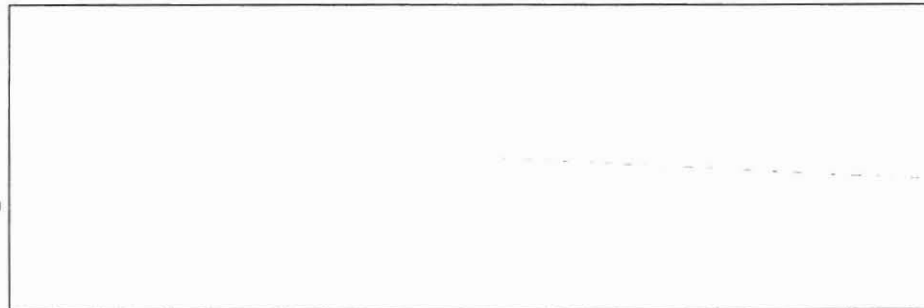
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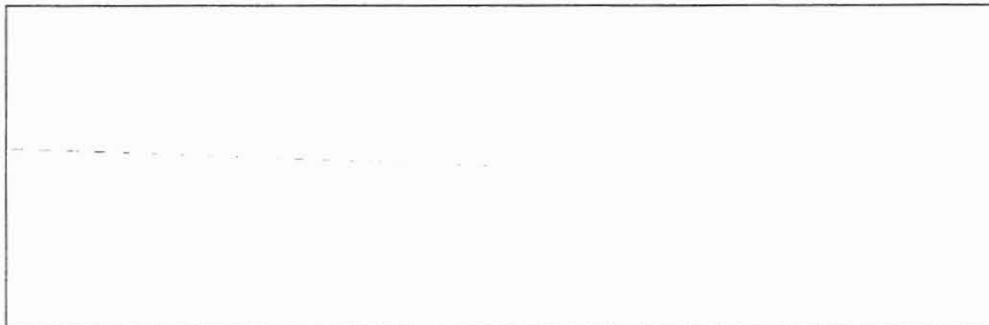
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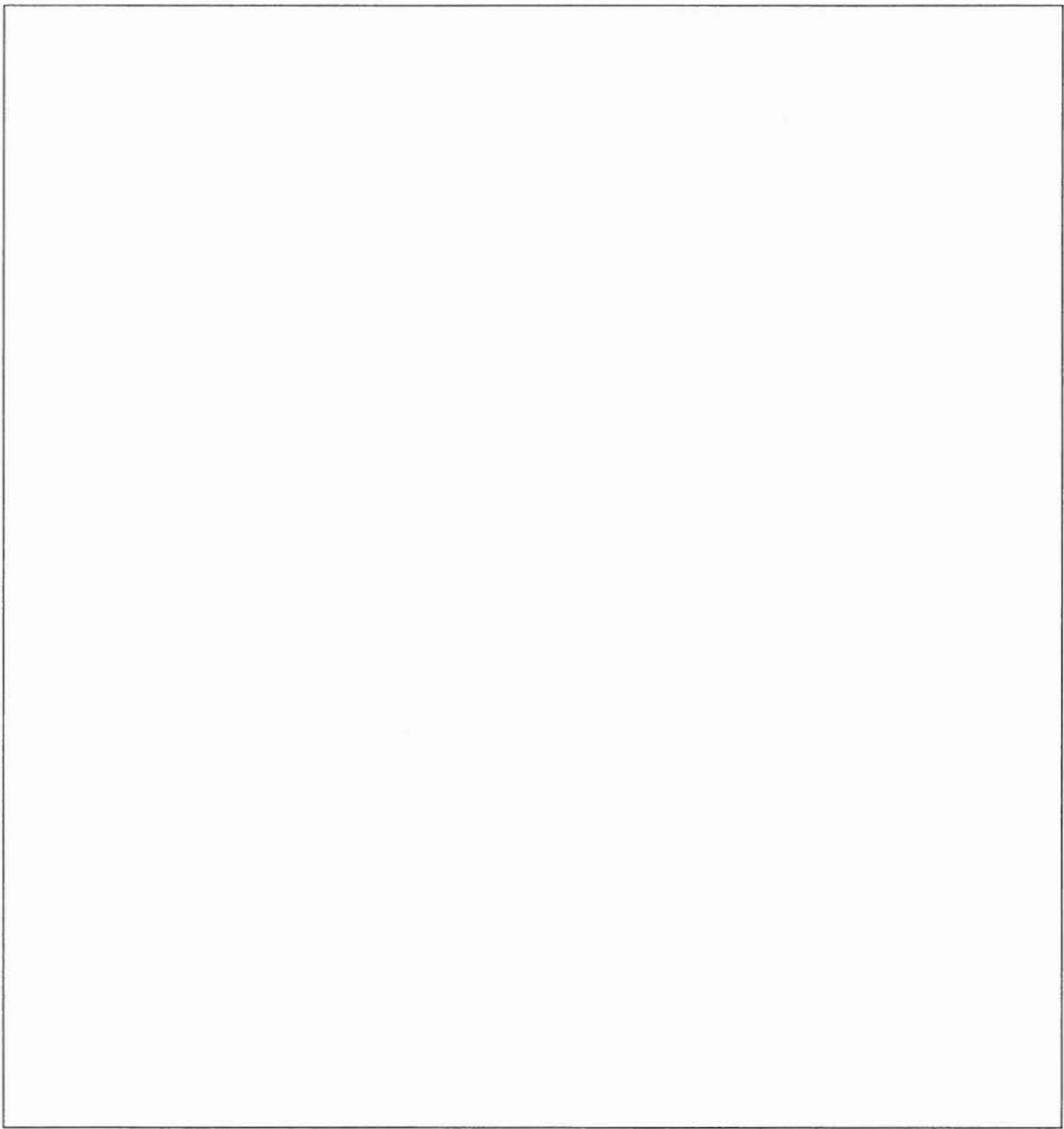
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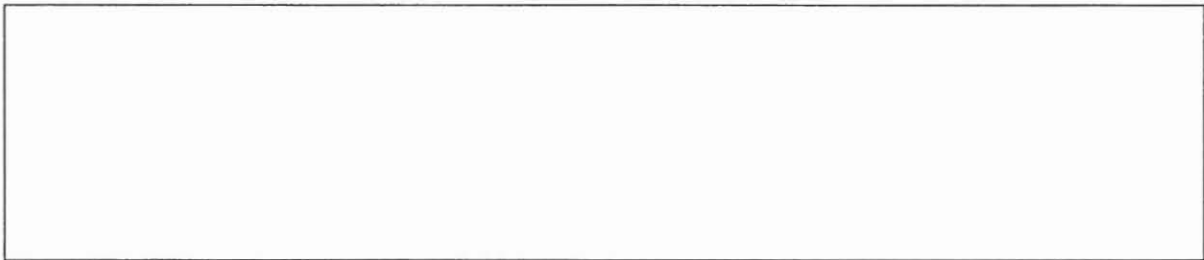
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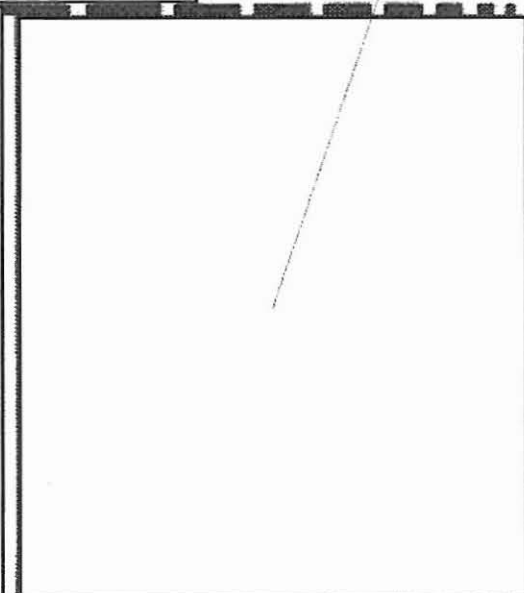
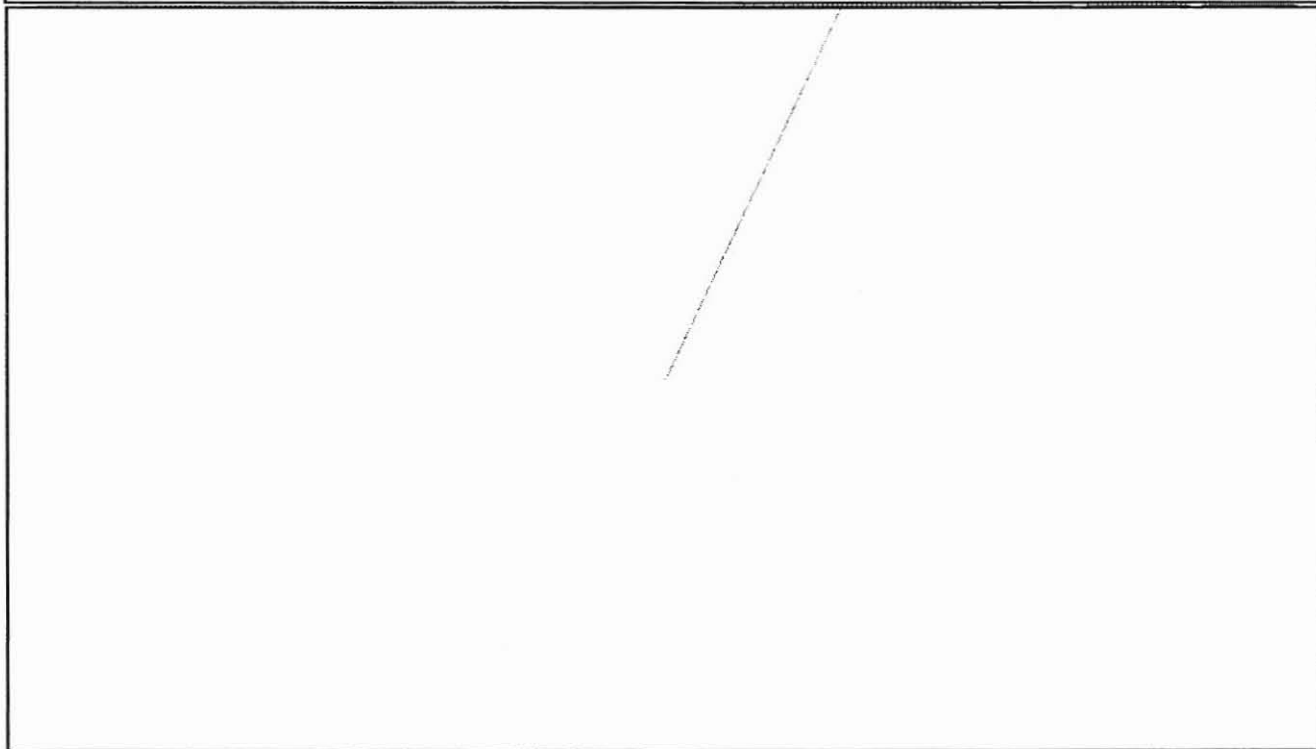
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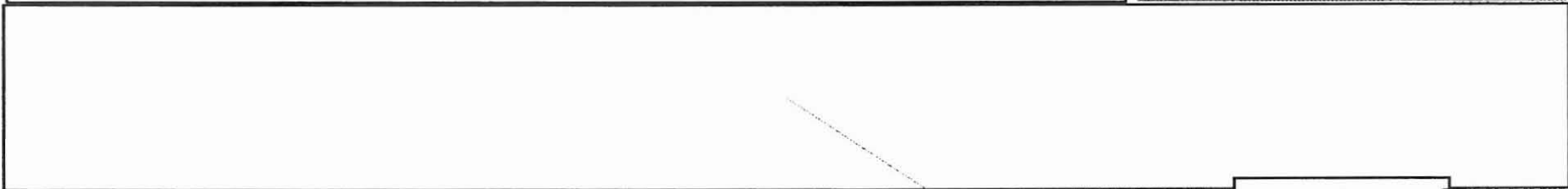
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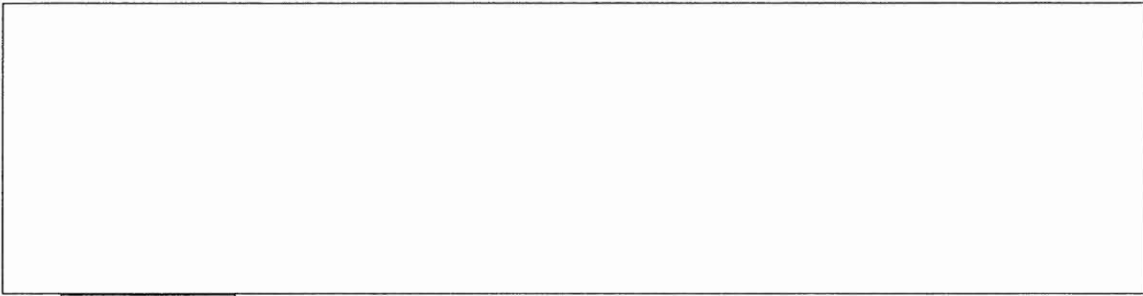
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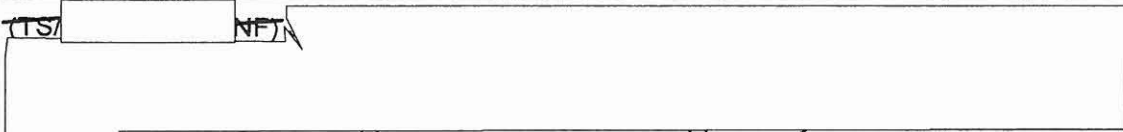
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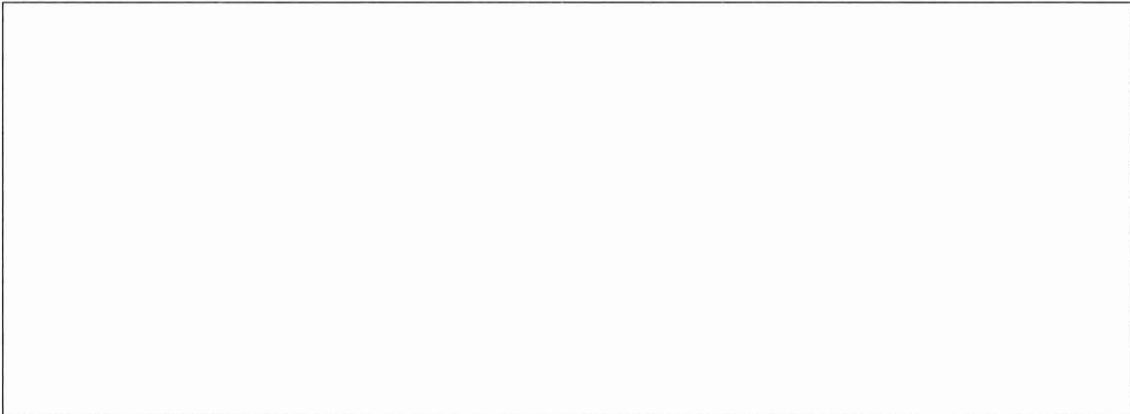
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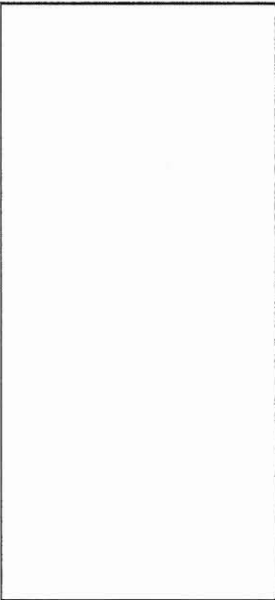
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While there were no indications of preoperational planning for this specific target before the attack, [redacted] estimates terrorists were planning unspecified attacks against US and Western interests and likely leveraged a target of opportunity amidst security vulnerabilities created by protest activity.

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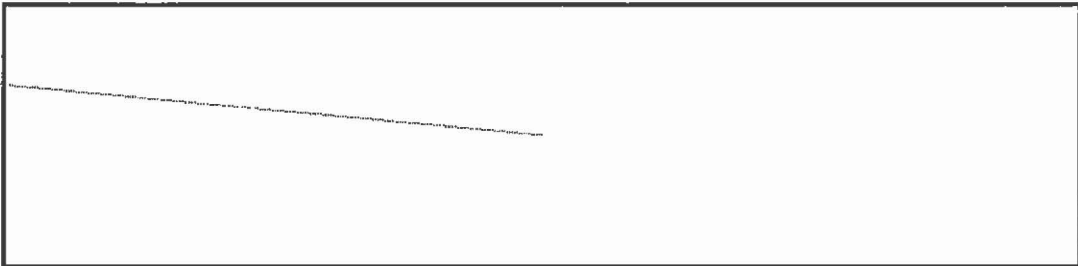
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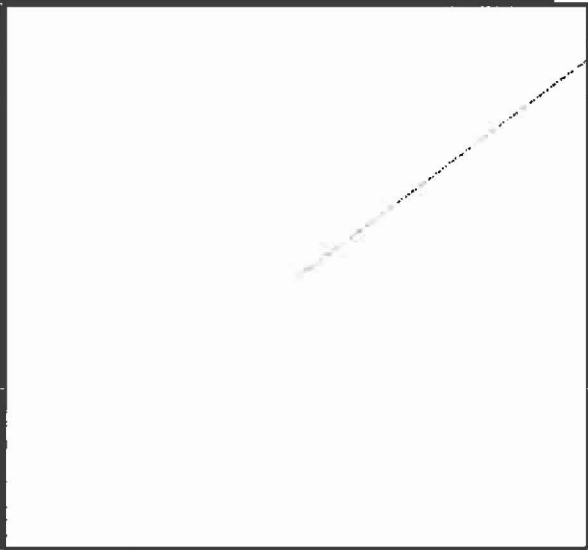
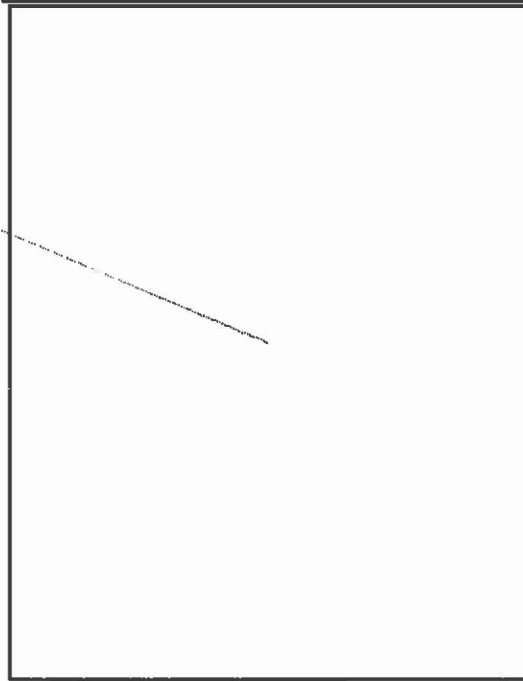
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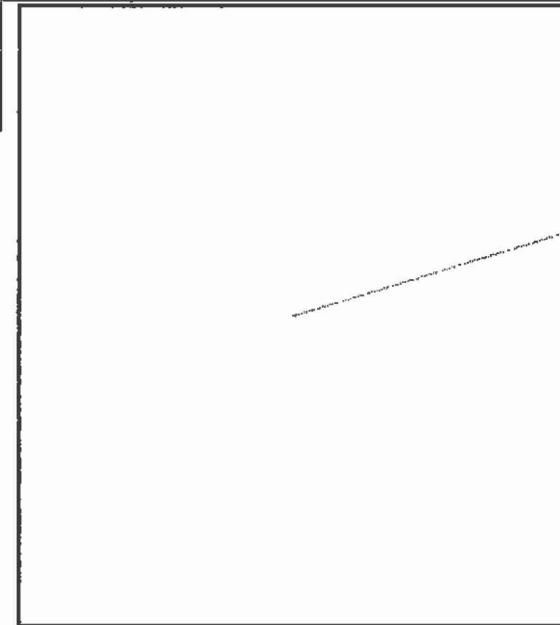
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USC 3024(i)

Although there were no indications of preoperational planning for this specific target before the attack, we estimate terrorists were planning unspecified attacks against U.S. and other Western interests and likely leveraged a target of opportunity amid security vulnerabilities created by protest activity.

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On 6 June, an IED detonated adjacent to the main gate of the U.S. Mission compound in Benghazi, [Redacted]

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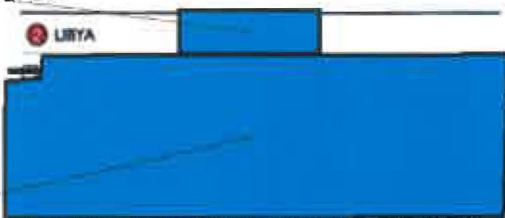


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Since April, terrorists have conducted at least four attacks against U.S. and Western interests, including a rocket-propelled grenade attack against the British ambassador's convoy and the U.S. mission in Benghazi.



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Greetings,

for your situational awareness, No action on behalf is warranted....

There is concern that sensitive administrative information may be compromised and used to target U.S. government personnel, U.S. facilities, allied personnel/equipment, and U.S. equipment.

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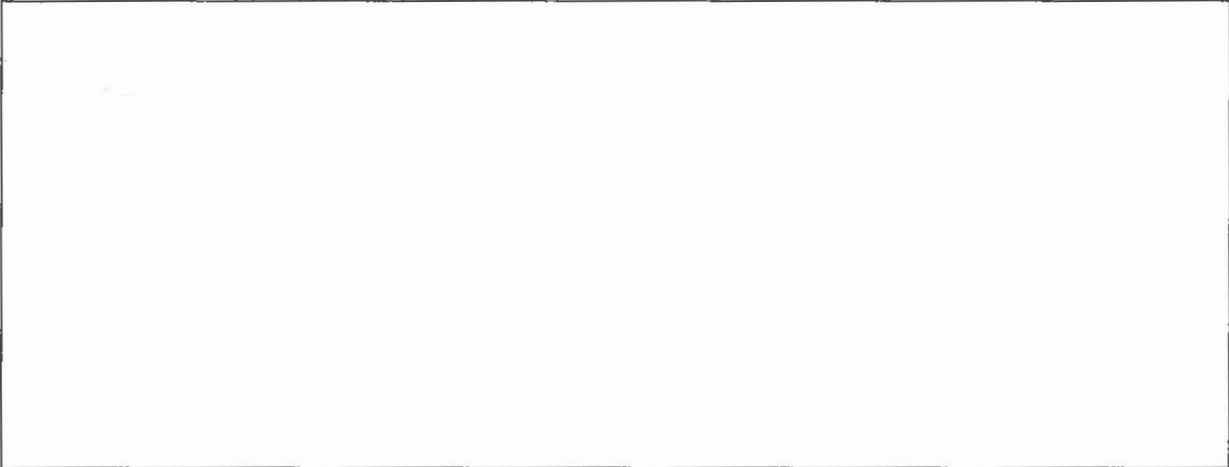
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While

there were no indications of preoperational planning for this attack, [Redacted] estimates that were planning attacks against U.S. and Western interests in Libya, and likely leveraged the security vulnerabilities created by protest activity to execute the attack.

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