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WORKING PAPER

24 AUG 88
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SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

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[REDACTED] (phonetic), is a Lebanese national, a Moslem fundamentalist, about 42/45 years of age, holding the rank of Colonel (or LTC) in the Lebanese Army. He is somewhat short, slim, sports a mustache, customarily wears blue conservative suits and appears to walk with somewhat of a stoop. He is known to sport a red stone (ruby) on a white turban which he wears to attend religious services. Shortly after the arrival of USMC LTC William (Rich) Higgins in Lebanon as a member of a United Nations (UN) contingency, [REDACTED] approached three influential Lebanese politicians to obtain a sum of money, the equivalent of about \$250,000 in gold and cash, to arrange for the abduction of LTC Higgins. The purpose of the abduction was to silence Higgins who appeared to be blatantly and explicitly supportive of a Syrian-supported takeover of the Lebanese government. On the political spectrum, the three politicians approached by [REDACTED] functioned at the cabinet level, albeit in positions secondary importance, and in capacities described "non-ministerial." [REDACTED] subsequently contacted the Iranian army Colonel, a member of the Iranian Red Guard, to arrange for the abduction of Higgins through the Hezbollah faction in Lebanon. [REDACTED] issued orders not to kill Higgins. [REDACTED] is not an assassin; his intent was to silence Higgins from engaging in what was perceived as

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repeated, ignorant and outrageous outbursts against the better interests of Lebanon. Noted that [REDACTED] can be bribed and an early release of Higgins can be effected as a result of this bribery. The Hezbollah group in Lebanon was invited and directed to abduct Higgins. Strangely enough, the Hezbollah cell was not particularly anxious to kidnap Higgins; the group was lured by the money; it was provided with guns, ammunition and logistical support. A review of events at the time of Higgins capture (Feb 88) will reveal that it was an inopportune moment for the Hezbollah cell in Lebanon to carry out the abduction. The Hezbollah captors in Lebanon are currently out of funds; they are disgruntled, tired, discouraged, and are amenable to rapidly affect the release of Higgins.

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[REDACTED] contact in Iran was highly decorated Iranian army officer, a Colonel and a member of the Red Guard. Attempts to phonetically determine his name resulted in "Gabdul-'ad-Bullah/Ballah-an -Gabdul" and variations thereto. He was described as a somewhat handsome individual proud of his silver-yellow uniform. He is known as an orator, a diplomat, and above all, a highly decorated and a top ranking senior colonel in the Red Guard. He is mainly associated with the training of guerrillas (or guerrilla forces) via subliminal, mind control techniques that ultimately result in the formation of a unit of self-convinced martyrs who readily and willingly die for the Ayatollah under any plausible pretext. He received this training mandate from the Ayatollah and is known to have performed this training function for about seven years.

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For some unexplainable reason, the Iranian colonel cannot be reached or contacted by [REDACTED] at this time. However, contact with the Iranian colonel is not crucial to the release of Higgins at this time. [REDACTED] once successfully bribed and playing the role of the self-appointed saviour of Lebanon, can use available, alternate contacts to secure the expeditious release of Higgins.

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[Redacted]

An Iranian Col
in Red Guard.

Was he involved?

All started when H^u arrived then

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And the Col + [Redacted] both negative -
SG1A bads. bads,

[Redacted] - is Col -

he first decided that biggest
threat - was man like "H"
his views were mixed up -

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[Redacted] reported to Col in Red Guard
to get H^u out

he received orders from some place

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not [Redacted] - (Lebanese national
factionized groups

Iranian Col was the co-conspirator

He made plans + details - Worker

Orders came usawir.

Then the Hizbala took

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decided not to kill -
just silence him - make
him ineffective - never
meant to kill -
he was not liked -
he was out of touch - out
of base, out of this world.

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can be bought
easily - CI can give
him a large sum of money

Things are going better
without having "H" in the
picture

~~Christian Masden~~ -
Serving in Court -

Iranian Col - contacted
Clem group as to who
was "Kilmer" "H"

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~~He~~ He received money -
[redacted] gave Iranian [redacted]
money -
Red Guard Rebel.

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[redacted] - he received money -
He took money from
funds - of Govt

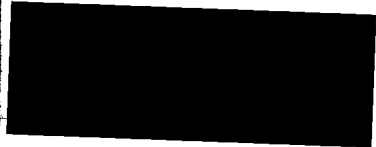
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[redacted] needed help in County
of Lebanon - to get 'H' out
he was in touch with
3 in govt higher than
he -
Cabinet - Sub Cabinet.

It was not only Asawi -
higher than he.

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does not have that
kind of money —

Hisbala given - weapons +
money -

If you can find out
where the money came
from — you will find
3 men —

They are running out of
money.

Hisbala ready to give
"H" back thru propaganda

Secondary posts
in cabinet

A lot of money spent to
get rid of "H"

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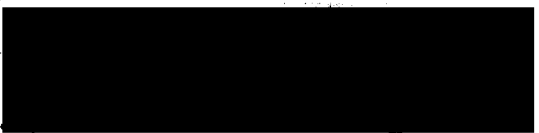
Hospala received
strict orders not to
kill him -

Hospala didn't really
~~not~~ kill
want him.

Col told ~~Hosbula~~ about
"H" - he did not give Thaw's
name - just said "Some"
they took him for money
Hosbula took him
as favor - they never wanted
him - more trouble
than he was worth -

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did not want him killed -
in conservative -
not radical - not killer -
just wanted "H" removed
"H" had big mouth -

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Serving

place
politically
wants things his way
Syria does not understand
Lebanese way.

He wants more for
Lebanon -

Lebanese

Cal

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Go higher than

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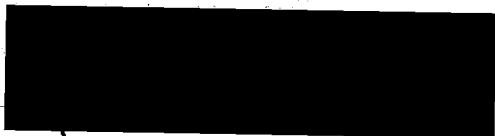
- funneling

of money -

u

"H" release depends on

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Yes.

he lost track of "H" at one point -

Hiskola tried to contact Red Guard Col -

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will not deal directly with Hiskola -

Hiskola think they've been blocked - been half-

they are wondering if order's even came down

from Libanese

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Money in Van & Truck.

deposits taken out
of Silverman - Federal Reserves

Swiss -

Gold -

+ money wrappers

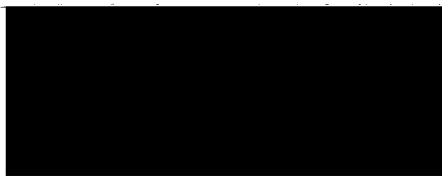
clean money - newly

minted

How much - ~~1/4~~ of million

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~~B~~



- 45 yrs old

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no fat - no real thin

- slender -

- Not tall - not short -
- short for a man -

Western sized clothes
blue suit

turban hat - red emerald
on turban when he goes to
church.

dark, black hair, olive skin
of course
mustache -

he stoops over when he
walks - not good posture

The Iranian Col is out of
picture now -

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Can look good by getting

fitting out (to)

(10)

Harry knows ^{who} Iran in
Col is

Tall
Thin
Slender

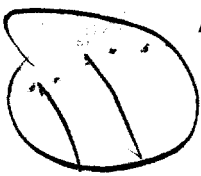
wears uniform to the
most - highly decorated
Trains - for Corillas
given orders to train -

more of diplomat,
orator

In silver - yellow uniform
handsome - in uniform
high in Command - 7-10 years

Subliminal mind control
techniques (Martyr out of this

When they are reluctant - use torture



Gabriella

Bobel

Abdullah

He has 3 words in his
name - Duphenated

40 years

highly regarded.

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1. (S/NF/SK) MISSION: Determine and describe the roles, if any, [REDACTED] in a possible conspiracy in the abduction of USMC LTC William (Rich) Higgins, a member of the United Nations (UN) peacekeeping force in Lebanon.
2. (S/NF/SK) VIEWER TASKING: Viewer tasked in accordance with mission requirements reflected in Para 1, entitled Mission.
3. (S/NF/SK) COMMENTS: No Inclemencies noted. A Summary of Information is attached.
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