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Sent: Thursday, April 19, 2007 3:10 AM
To: (b)(3)(b)(6) USA Col USMC 201st ARSIC-C PeC; (b)(3)(b)(6) L USA LtCol USMC
Cc: (b)(3)(b)(6) BCT TF Phoenix; (b)(3)(b)(6) USA CPT USA 41st
 BCT TF Phoenix; (b)(3)(b)(6) USA 1LT USA 41st BCT CJTF Phoenix
Subject: RE: SOLATIA Payment Option
Importance: High
Attachments: Solatia ROE Card.pdf



Solatia ROE
 Card.pdf

Sir,

I'm working on the paperwork to start the process to request Solatia funds for the deceased child. This could take a couple days to get approved, so I wanted to start the process now.

I need to know who will be the POC at RC Central for the Young boy who was seriously injured resulting in death from an auto accident. I'll need to know the child's name, and who we will be paying and their relationship. We need to act on this ASAP, so we can pay the family in a timely manner. Thank you.

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 SSG, Legal NCOIC
 CJTF Phoenix V

DSN#: (b)(2)High

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From: (b)(3)(b)(6) USA 1LT USA 41st BCT CJTF Phoenix
Sent: 2007 11:58 AM
To: (b)(3)(b)(6) USA Col USMC 201st RSAC-C PeC ; (b)(3)(b)(6) USA LtCol USMC RSAC Cent
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Subject: SOLATIA Payment Option
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Gentlemen,

I am writing you regarding the recent death of a young boy as the result of an accident with a (b)(2)High and the recent shooting of an ANP officer. Both of these cases may be appropriate for Solatia payments. Solatia payments are intended to be a quick, gratuitous payment to Afghan Nationals as an expression of sympathy to a victim or a victim's family in connection with an injury, death or damage involving U.S. Forces. These payments do not replace or preclude claim payments a victim may be entitled to through the normal military claims process, however in both of the above mentioned instances if the U.S. is not at fault future claims may be denied based on a variety of

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 ertested in starting the Solatia payment process please have a POC

contact us with the relevant facts regarding the accident, injured parties and their families.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions you may have.

Thank you.

V/R

(b)(3)(b)(6)

Assistant Staff Judge Advocate

TF Phoe

CP PHX:

CELL: (b)(6)

(b)(2)High

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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS, COMBINED JOINT TASK FORCE PHOENIX V
CAMP PHOENIX, KABUL, AFGHANISTAN
APO AE 09320

CJTF PHX SJA

20 April 2007

MEMORADUM FOR COL (b)(3)(b)(6) Deputy Brigade Commander, Task Force Phoenix V,
Camp Phoenix Kabul, Afghanistan APO, AE 09320

SUBJECT: Solatia payment for (b)(6) father of deceased child

1. This memorandum is a request for solatia payment to (b)(6) for his minor son in the amount of 100,000.00 AFA (about \$2,014.30) from the (b)(2)High accident 17 April 2007 near Durulaman.
2. (b)(6) was an adolescent who was trying to cross traffic near Camp Dubbs on 17 April 2007. When he emerged as a pedestrian from behind a large parked truck, he was run over by a U.S. driven (b)(2)High in a five vehicle convoy. The accident caused a serious laceration to the boy's right leg and on his pelvis. Upon transporting the child from Cure Hospital to ISAF Hospital, he died.
3. I think a solatia payment would be proper in this case.

(b)(2)High

5. The 100,000.00 AFA will be paid using O & M funds of the approving commander.
6. POC is ILT (b)(3)(b)(6) at

(b)(3)(b)(6)

ILT, JA
Claims/Legal Assistance Attorney

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20 April 2007

MEMORANDUM FOR COL (b)(5) DCO

SUBJECT: Solatia Payment Approval Request – 17 April 2007 Vehicle Accident killing an adolescent boy, RC Central

1. Executive Summary. Sir, you are the approving authority for Solatia per (b)(2)High Solatia uses O&M funds so the use of the money reduces the commander's funds. Herein it is recommended that you approve the solatia payment. The facts of the accident are in the SIR and a 15-6 has already been started.

2. Discussion. Solatia Payments are intended to be a quick, gratuitous payment to Afghan Nationals as an expression of sympathy and condolence to a victim or a victim's family in connection with an injury, death, or damage involving U.S. Forces and accompanying civilian employees in Afghanistan. The payments are not an admission of legal liability or fault. Solatia payments are proper when an injury, death, or property damage is:

(a) Suffered in connection with the Afghan national's employment with the U.S. Armed Forces;

(b) Caused by a military member or civilian employee of the U.S. Armed Forces in the performances of official duty;

(c) The result of an accident involving an official U.S. Armed Forces vehicle driven by an authorized military or civilian driver; or

(d) Caused by a military member or civilian employee of the U.S. Armed Forces in a non-official duty status and the member or employee is unable to make a solatia payment.

3. Here, clearly the death to the Afghan boy was the result of an accident involving an official Army vehicle driven by one of our soldiers. Solatia is proper under the facts of this incident.

4. POC is LTC (b)(3)(b)(6) SJA, (b)(3)(b)(6), (b)(2)High

(b)(3)(b)(6)

LTC, JA
Staff Judge Advocate

(b)(3)(b)(6)

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PURCHASE REQUEST AND COMMITMENT For use of this form, see AR 37-1; the proponent agency is OASA(FM)		1. PURCHASE INSTRUMENT NO.	2. REQUISITION NO.	3. DATE	PAGE 1 OF 1
4. TO: PURCHASING AND CONTRACTING OFFICE, CAMP PHOENIX (PRWED ROUTE, KOPI)		5. THRU: COL DCO CAMP PHOENIX, AFGHANISTAN	6. FROM: CJTF PHX - SJA CAMP PHOENIX, AFGHANISTAN	20 APRIL 2007	PAGES
It is requested that the supplies and services enumerated below or on attached list be					
7. PURCHASED FOR SOLATIA PAYMENT FOR MUTAZA		8. DELIVERED TO		9. NOT LATER THAN (Date) 25 APRIL 2007	
10. NAME OF PERSON TO CALL FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		11. TELEPHONE NUMBER		(2)Hi	
12. LOCAL PURCHASES AUTHORIZED AS THE NORMAL MEANS OF SUPPLY FOR THE FOREGOING BY		13. REQUISITIONING DISCLOSES NONAVAILABILITY OF ITEMS AND LOCAL PURCHASE IS AUTHORIZED BY		The supplies and services listed on this request are properly chargeable to the following allotments, the available balances of which are sufficient to cover the cost thereof, and funds have been committed.	
EMERGENCY SITUATION PRECLUDES USE OF REQUISITION CHANNELS FOR SECURING ITEM					
14. ITEM	15. DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLY OR SERVICES	16. QUANTITY	17. UNIT	18. ESTIMATED UNIT PRICE ^a	TOTAL COST ^b
1	SOLATIA PAYMENT FOR DEATH OF CHILD ILIT SOLATIA PAY AGENT SOLATIA REFERENCE # 07-02 NEED APPROVAL NLT 24 APR 07 DUE TO RIP SCHEDULE CAMP DUBBS, AFGHANISTAN 100,030 AFS / 49,64508 = \$2,014.30 PAYMENT TO BE MADE IN AFGHANI		1 EA		\$2,014.30
25. THE FOREGOING ITEMS ARE REQUIRED NOT LATER THAN AS INDICATED ABOVE FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSE SOLATIA PAYMENT TO FAMILY OF CHILD, LOCAL NATIONAL KILLED IN RC CENTRAL AO					
27. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF INITIATING OFFICER		29. DATE		36. DATE	
SSG (b)(3)(b)(6)		20 APR 07		20 APR 07	
30. TELEPHONE NUMBER		33. DATE		35. SIGNATURE	
(2)				(b)(3)(b)(6)	
31. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF SUPPLY OFFICER		32. SIGNATURE		34. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF APPROVING OFFICER OR DESIGNEE	
MAJ (b)(3)(b)(6) CJ8				(b)(3)(b)(6)	
19. ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION AND AMOUNT		20. TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF CERTIFYING OFFICER		21. SIGNATURE	
(2) Hi					
23. DISCOUNT TERMS		24. PURCHASE ORDER NUMBER		26. DELIVERY REQUIREMENTS	
				ARE MORE THAN 7 DAYS REQUIRED TO INSPECT AND ACCEPT THE REQUESTED GOODS OR SERVICES YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
				IF YES, NUMBER OF DAYS REQUIRED	
				36. DATE	
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**TITLE: ACCIDENT REPORT/SERIOUS INCIDENT REPORT (SIR)
REPORT NUMBER:**

Nonresponsive, (b)(2)High

(b)(2)High

171757Apr07

1st Brigade, 201st CORPS S-3 Operations

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Savage 6 reported a vehicle accident involving his vehicle. His vehicle struck a 12 year old male.

171625Apr07

NO

(b)(2)High

LTC (b)(3)(b)(6) SSGT (b)(3)(b)(6) ILT(3)(b)(6)
(b)(3)(b)(6) ILT (b)(3)(b)(6) SGT (b)(3)(b)(6) ILT
(b)(3)(b)(6) (b)(6) (interpreters).

N/A

(b)(2)High

Unknown, Pelvic Fracture, pelvic laceration, laceration to right leg, NO

N/A

N/A

Afghan

Male

12

Civilian

N/A

N/A

Nonresponsive, (b)(2)High

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(b)(2)High

ON 17 April 2007, 1st Lt. (b)(3)(b)(6) was driving his (b)(2)High with Lt. Col. (b)(3)(b)(6) as his passenger and SSgt. (b)(3)(b)(6) as gunner. They were driving north on (b)(2)High in a five vehicle (b)(2)High and (b)(2)High convoy returning to Camp Darulaman from a patrol to Logar. They were as the fourth vehicle in the convoy when at approximately 1620 vicinity (b)(2)High while passing through the village bazaar, a (b)(6) year old Afghan local national darted out into the street from behind a large truck parked to their right, directly in front of 1st Lt. (b)(3)(b)(6)'s (b)(3)(b)(6) vehicle. Their vehicle was traveling at approximately (b)(2)High MPH, but could not stop in time, and he was struck and went underneath the vehicle before they could stop. Upon stopping, ANA Soldiers driving in the same convoy directed 1st Lt. (b)(3)(b)(6) to back the vehicle up. As he backed up, he exited and proceeded to help the Afghan boy. 1st Lt. (b)(3)(b)(6) saw that the young boy had a serious laceration to his right leg and a serious laceration to his pelvis. 1st Lt. (b)(3)(b)(6) then grabbed his Combat Lifesaver Bag and began first aid procedures on the boy. By that time, 1st Lt. (b)(3)(b)(6) arrived on the scene and assisted in bandaging the boy's wounds. They then prepared the boy to evacuate him to Camp Dubs. The boy was placed on a stretcher in the back of ANA Ranger vehicle, and LTC (b)(3)(b)(6) made the decision to transport him in his convoy back to Camp Darulaman. While they were en route, the 1st BDE TOC submitted a (b)(2)High MEDEVAC request to 201st RSAC-C, and prepared the camp Medical Staff. Upon their arrival at Camp Dubs at approximately 1640, he was transported directly to the US Medical Clinic where the staff stabilized the boy awaiting the arrival of the MEDEVAC. While waiting for the MEDEVAC, the BDE TOC provided updates on the boy's condition including vital signs while attempting to obtain an ETA for the MEDEVAC. When the MEDEVAC could not arrive in a timely manner, at approximately 1710 LTC (b)(3)(b)(6) made the decision to coordinate with and transport the boy to the nearest hospital using the camp's ground ambulance for further treatment. The 201st RSAC and TF Phoenix were informed that the decision was made and to cancel the MEDEVAC. The ambulance and escort arrived at the Cure Hospital at approximately 1735 and he was taken right into surgery. At 1740, two (b)(2)High MEDEVACs arrived unannounced and one touched down on the camp LZ. The BDE TOC attempted to contact the a/c on the MEDEVAC frequency without success, and eventually a ground element talked with the aircraft and they departed. At approximately 1840 the patrol that escorted the ambulance to the hospital informed the BDE TOC that the boy was being transported to the ISAF Hospital at Camp Warehouse by the Kabul Ambulance Service. At 2023, 1st BDE was informed by the director of the Cure Hospital that the boy died during transport and that his body was being transported back to his family.

Anticipated

(b)(2)High

LTC (b)(3)(b)(6) 1st BDE, 201st CORPS (b)(2)High

SFC (b)(3)(b)(6) 1st BDE, 201st CORPS, S-3 Operations
NCOIC (b)(2)High

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(b)(2)High

(b)(2)High

201st CORPS

Sunny, visible

Camp Dubs/Darulaman

(b)(2)High

NO

YES

NO

NO

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

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