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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Counterterrorism, Paramilitary and Narcotics Staff, DO

Chief, Central American Task Force

FROM:

Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT:

Terrorist Incident Investigation and Reaction Team

- 1. I would like you to oversee the preparation of a proposal which I would intend to make quickly to Bill Webster that we work together to create a Terrorist Incident Investigation and Reaction team. This would be a counterpart of the Incident Response Team. It would be a small group with representation from the FBI, perhaps the military, and CIA which would be ready to activate and assist local governments to find out who perpetrated a terrorist action and help it take steps to bring them to justice. The Salvadoran followup on the killing of the Marines there would be the prototype for this activity. This would be a way of having on hand the kind of investigative talent the FBI provides and marrying it with which CIA can contribute.
- Give me a piece of paper outlining how this would work and your recommendation as to how it should be put forward, what kind of support within the government it should have, etc.
- I attach some information on this. You will see John McMahon's written comment on the memorandum from the Central American Task Force.

William J. Casey



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