

APPENDIX B

AGENDA

Conference on Environmental Security Planning, Prevention, and Disaster Response in the Arabian Gulf Region

Day 0 (15 September 2002)

2130-2130 **Registration**

1900-2200 **Dinner Hosted by Qatar Armed Forces** (Buses Leave
From VIP Entrance In Front Of Al Wosail Room At 1815
Hours – Guides Posted In Hotel Lobby)

Day 1 (16 September 2002)

0900-1010 **Opening Ceremony**

- *Host Welcome:* MG Hamad bin Ali Al-Attia, Chief of Staff, Qatar Armed Forces
- *USCENTCOM Welcome:* BGen George J. Trautman III, Deputy Director, Plans and Policy, J5, USCENTCOM
- *Setting the Azimuth:* Dr. Kent Hughes Butts, Director, National Security Issues, Center for Strategic Leadership, U.S. Army War College (AWC/CSL)
- *Introduction of Keynote Speaker:* Ms. Alina Romanowski, Director Near East-South Asia Center for Strategic Studies (NESA Center)
- *Keynote Address:* Mr. Curtis Bowling, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary of Defense, Installations & Environment [ADUSD(I&E)]

1010-1030 **BREAK**

- 1200-1200 Session One: Security and the Environment: Regional Approaches (Moderator: Dr. Kent Hughes Butts, Director, National Security Issues, AWC/CSL)**
- *Report on Results of April 2000 Conference:* Colonel Nasser Bin Salem Al-Tamtami, Sultanate of Oman's Armed Forces
 - *Interagency Training for Disaster Response, September 2002 Exercise:* Brig Gen Nasser Mohammed Al-Ali, Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff, Qatar Armed Forces
- 1200-1500 BREAK**
- 1620-1620 Session Two: Potential Risk Scenarios (Moderator: Brig Gen Hamad Ali Al-Hinzab, Qatar Armed Forces)**
- *Petro-Chemical Environmental Concerns:* Mohammed Jassem Al-Muslimani Qatar Ministry of Energy, Director, Safety, Quality and the Environment, Qatar Petroleum Company
 - *Water: Protecting the Supply and Quality in the Gulf:* Abdul Rahman Ali Al-Naama, Water Quality Engineer, Environment, Safety, and Quality Department, Qatar General Electricity and Water Corporation
 - *Health and Disease Response:* Brig Gen Annette L. Sobel, M.D., Assistant to the Chief, National Guard Bureau for WMD and Civilian Support
- 1620-1640 BREAK****1640-1640**

1640-1800 Session Three: Security and Environmental Planning in the 21st Century – Regional Monitoring, Warning & Information Exchange (Moderator: Mr. Trevor Hughes, Rice Hughes L.L.C.)

- *9/11: Multi-level Response & Management:* LTC Randy Lambrecht, Deputy Director, Operations, Training, and Readiness, New York Army National Guard•
- *Remote Sensing and Disaster Support:* Dr. Michael Foose, Regional Specialist for Africa and the Middle East, United States Geological Survey
- *Information Exchange & Management Tools: PIMS & DENIX:* Jackie Hux Cain

Day 2 (17 September 2002)

0900-1020 Session Four: Cooperation Between Defense and Other Agencies (Moderator: RADM (Ret.) John F. Sigler, Near East South Asia Center)

- *Initial Reactions: Coordinating with The First Responders:* BGen Craig T. Boddington, Commander, Joint Task Force – Consequence Management, Kuwait
- *Promoting Stability & Capability – Regional Cooperative Initiatives:* Mr. Paul Malik, Director, DOS Environmental Hub, Jordan
- *Turkish Earthquakes: Response, Lessons Learned, New Procedures and Mechanisms:* Professor Mustafa Erdik, Chairman, Earthquake Engineering Department, Bogazici University
- *Medical Response:* Dr. Abdul Wahab Al-Mosleh, Assistant Medical Director, Hamad Medical Corporation

1020-1040 BREAK

1040-1200

Session Five: Multilateral Approaches To Security Cooperation on Environmental Issues (Moderator: Mr. Curtis Bowling, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary of Defense, Installations & Environment [ADUSD(I&E)])

- *Coordinating Regional Disaster Response Activities:* Mr. Gary Barrett, Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance (OFDA), United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
- *Post-Event Environmental Assessment - United Nations Processes and Mechanisms:* Mr. Pekka Haavisto, Chairman Of The Afghanistan Task Force, United Nations Environment Program
- *Existing Qatari and GCC Organizations/Mechanisms:* Mr. Khalid Al-Ali, Secretary General, Supreme Council of Environment and Natural Preservation for Qatar
- *Multilateral Approaches to Consequence Management – A Medical Perspective:* Brig Gen Mohammed Al-Abbadi, Director of Medicine, Royal Jordanian Air Force

1230-1230

**Breakout Workshops
(Moderator: Professor B.F. Griffard, Center for Strategic Leadership, USAWC)**

- Plenary Session: Objectives and Process

1530-1530

BREAK

1800-1800 Breakout Workshops: Problem Definition

- *Group One: Defining Environmental Security and Setting Regional Approach Objectives* (Facilitator: Ms. Alina Romanowski, Near East-South Asia Center)
- *Group Two: Environmental Security Intelligence / Detection / Information Sharing* (Facilitator: Mr. John Mentz, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
- *Group Three: Regional Center / Command and Control* (Facilitator: Prof. B.F. Griffard, AWC/CSL)
- *Group Four: Regional Training / Exercises* (Facilitator: (RADM (Ret.) John Sigler, NESACenter)

2000-2200 Dinner Hosted by United States Central Command

Day 3 (18 September 2002)

0900-1200 Breakout Workshops: Problem Resolution and Report Preparation

- Group One: Defining Environmental Security and Setting Regional Approach Objectives
- Group Two: Environmental Security Intelligence / Detection / Information Sharing
- Group Three: Regional Center / Command and Control
- Group Four: Regional Training / Exercises

Concurrently: *Executive Committee: The Next Steps and Way Ahead* (Co-Facilitators: Dr. Kent Hughes Butts, AWC/CSL; Brig Gen Hamad Ali Al-Hinzab, Qatar Armed Forces)

1500-1500 BREAK

- 1700-1700 Breakout Workshops: Reports / Recommendations
(Moderator: Professor B.F. Griffard, AWC/CSL)**
- 1700-1715 Executive Committee: Next Steps and the Way Ahead
(Moderator: Dr. Kent Hughes Butts, Center for Strategic Leadership, USAWC)**
- 1800-1800 Closing Remarks**
- General Tommy R. Franks, Commander, United States Central Command
 - Ambassador Maureen E. Quinn, U.S. Ambassador to Qatar
 - MG Hamad bin Ali Al-Attia, Chief of Staff, Qatar Armed Forces