OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE FY 2008 Global War on Terror Request



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Global War on Terror (GWOT)/Regional War on Terror (RWOT)

Operations and Maintenance, OIG Budget Activity 04, Administrative and Service-Wide Activities

Detail by Subactivity Group

I. Description of Operations Financed: The OIG promotes integrity, accountability, and improvements of DoD personnel, programs, and operations to support the Department's mission and to serve the public interest. This includes performing audits, investigations and inspections of issues and high risk areas related to Operation Iraqi Freedom (OIF) and Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF). To perform GWOT activities, the DoD IG must sustain and expand its presence in theater and coordinate with the existing oversight agencies in the area including Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction (SIGIR), Army Audit Agency, Government Accountability Office, and others who provide oversight of programs and activities in support of GWOT. This presence will enable the OIG to properly fulfill its statutory requirements to Congress, DoD, and the taxpayer. The oversight activities include evaluation of contracting procedures, evaluation of equipment status of deployed forces in the U.S. Central Command (USCENTCOM), and determination of whether funds appropriated for the GWOT (like Iraq Security Force Funds and Commanders' Emergency Response Program) are expended for their intended purposes. Inspectors and evaluators will continue their progress with DoD/Department of State (DoS) interagency assessment of Iraq police training, and provincial reconstruction team programs, development of an Iraqi anti-corruption system, and ongoing to Iraq Ministry of Defense IG and Multinational Security Transitional Command-Iraq. Criminal investigators continue to uncover and investigate fraud related to DoD contracts and operations in Iraq and Afghanistan. The OIG will also evaluate the effectiveness and efficiency of DoD intelligence collection support to USCENTCOM and the US Special Operations Command (USSOCOM).

The FY 2008 supplemental funding request supports:

- Sustainment of an office in Qatar that consists of OIG audit staff members on four to twelve month detail assignments. The staff members may include investigators and inspectors, as required. The OIG seeks to expand in-country oversight presence in Iraq, Afghanistan, and Kuwait before the end of 2007.
- Dedicated audit teams conducting GWOT-related audits in the continental U.S. and overseas. The OIG will also expand oversight coverage of funds that are predominantly executed in the U.S.

- The Intelligence project to evaluate DoD intelligence support to the COCOMs supporting OEF and OIF. This evaluation will optimize intelligence support to the warfighter by determining whether priority intelligence requirements identified by USCENTCOM and USSOCOM are met through finished intelligence products produced by the DoD intelligence agencies. Funding enables the OIG to hire additional resources with considerable intelligence experience and expertise to augment existing staff to enable a comprehensive and timely report to be provided to the COCOMs.
- The Defense Criminal Investigative Service (DCIS), the criminal investigative arm of the DoD OIG, co-locating two special agents with the U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Command (USACID) office at Camp Victory to conduct criminal investigations of allegations of contract fraud and public corruption throughout Iraq. The DCIS has 2 additional special agents stationed in Kuwait where they and USACID special agents support criminal investigative operations in the Southwest Asia theater of operations. Audit support is provided to the DCIS at Camp Victory and in Kuwait. The DCIS has partnered with the Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, SIGIR, USACID, Agency for International Development OIG, and DoSOIG in establishing the International Contract Corruption Task Force (ICCTF) with the mission to investigate and prosecute contract fraud and public corruption related to US Government spending in Iraq and Afghanistan. The ICCTF has activated a Joint Operations Center to coordinate criminal investigations and employ criminal intelligence capabilities to achieve maximum interagency cooperation and successfully prosecute fraud and corruption cases in Iraq and Afghanistan.
- The Policy and Oversight (P&O) mission to conduct GWOT inspections and evaluations and to provide support for the DoD nation building missions. For GWOT inspections and evaluations, P&O conducts compliance inspections, directed inquiries, systemic evaluations, and assessments on IG-directed/customer-requested GWOT issues. These activities provide information, conclusions, and recommendations to senior leaders to facilitate management actions and decisions to prosecute the GWOT and improve related policies, programs, and operations. For the DoD nation-building mission, P&O provides support for DoD's stability, security, transition, and reconstruction (SSTR) operations.

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II. Financial Summary (\$ in Thousands):

A. Subactivity Group - Audits, Investigations, and Inspections

1. 1.2.1 Civilian Premium Pay

0

995

Narrative Justification: Personnel costs for support of Qatar, Kuwait, Iraq, and Afghanistan operations are for civilian overtime and premium pay (Sunday, hazardous duty, and night and post differential). The OIG has personnel continuously deployed in the theaters of operation. The number of personnel fluctuates as teams rotate in and out of areas of responsibility. These costs fluctuate based on the level of support required to conduct contingency operations.

Impact if not funded: To support the mission requirements in Iraq and Afghanistan, OIG would have to reduce baseline full-time-equivalent personnel.

2. 1.2.1 Temporary Personnel

0

1,139

Narrative Justification: Funding provides for sustainment of at least 11 civilian temporary full-time and part time personnel to perform GWOT related planning, coordination, and oversight work in the theater of operations and the U.S. Additional personnel ensure full coverage of audit, inspection, and investigative issues in the Qatar office and the planned forward sites in Iraq, Afghanistan, and Kuwait.

Impact if not funded: The temporary staff dedicated to support the OIG GWOT projects has proven to be invaluable; their technical competence and expertise enhance the performance of the mission. DoD OIG will be hindered in its ability to complete core mission requirements.

3. 2.1 Temporary Duty/Additional Duty

0

1,737

Narrative Justification: Personnel support costs for Iraq and Afghanistan operations cover temporary duty (TDY) expenses for audit teams, investigators, and inspectors to deploy overseas and travel within the theaters of operation.

Impact if not funded: To support the mission requirements in Iraq and Afghanistan, OIG would have to reduce baseline full-time-equivalent personnel.

4. 2.3 Medical Support /Heanth Services

0

15

36

Narrative Justification: The Defense Criminal Investigative Service (DCIS) deploys 4 special agents to Iraq and Kuwait on 6-month rotational details to conduct criminal investigations involving fraud and public corruption related to Iraq. The OIG has contracted for mental health counseling services to support these agents upon return from this high stress region.

Impact if not funded: The OIG will be hindered in its effort to provide quality support for its valued employees.

5. 3.1 Training 0

Narrative Justification: The DCIS is deploying four special agent resources to Iraq and Kuwait on six month rotational details conducting criminal investigations involving fraud and public corruption related to Iraq. Pre-deployment training is required for all deploying agents. The OIG will send audit staff requiring travel to the USCENTCOM AOR to a DoS training course on Combat Readiness Training.

Impact if not funded: The OIG will be hindered in its effort to provide quality support for its valued employees.

6. 3.3 Other Supplies and Equipment

0

44

Narrative Justification: The DCIS deployed 4 special agents Iraq and Kuwait on 6-month rotational details to conduct criminal investigations involving fraud and public corruption related to Iraq. All deploying agents require operational protective equipment, technical investigative equipment and first aid kits in support of their OCONUS equipment and safety requirements in this critical stress, dangerous environment. This funding also provides for various office operations for the Auditing component's Qatar Field Office at Al Udeid Air Base.

Impact if not funded: To support the mission requirements in Iraq and Afghanistan, OIG would have to reduce baseline full-time-equivalent personnel.

7. 3.6 Cmd, Control, Comm, Computer & Intel (C4I)

0

106

Narrative Justification: Acquisition and service costs for blackberries, satellite phones, computers, and radios for OIG auditors and investigators deployed to theater.

Impact if not funded: Reduced efficiency in mission related communications.

8. 3.7 Other Services Misc. Contracts

0

322

Narrative Justification: The OIG locations at Qatar (Al Udeid Air Base), Kuwait, Afghanistan, and Iraq require operational and logistical support to maintain the office. This funding will cover support costs for contract housing, transportations, and other service support expenses associated with establishing and running an OCONUS office. The DoD OIG also provides training support to Iraqi Ministry of Defense Inspector General, including delivering training programs, courses, and reference materials, such as U.S. doctrinal and regulatory documents which must be translated into Arabic for use by the Iraqi staff.

Impact if not funded: The OIG will be unable to complete core mission requirements and OIG's commitment to external customers and stakeholders that have requested IG assistance.

Funding Totals 0 4,394

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