

NECROSOCIETY

INTERNAL - PERSONNEL FILE

FILE NO. NS-08

SUBJECT **KALAKOV**

STANDING MEMBER

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This file does not leave the room it is read in.

*give him the day.
never the place*



A. INTAKE SHEET

NECROSOCIETY - INTERNAL

NAME / DESIGNATION KALAKOV	
ALIASES THE POSSESSED; YALUNG	
FILE NO. NS-08	STANDING MEMBER
DATE OF BIRTH 17 NOV 1990	PLACE OF BIRTH GASA, BTN
NATIONALITY BHUTANESE	SEX M
HEIGHT 6'0"	BUILD MILITARY
LOCATION [REDACTED]	STATUS AT LARGE



DISTINGUISHING FEATURES

BLACK EYES, THE WHITES INCLUDED. LINES OF TIBETAN SCRIPT ON BOTH FOREARMS AND THE BACK OF THE NECK.

SPECIALTY

LONG-RANGE ELIMINATION. CONFIRMED HITS BEYOND 2,700 METERS.

PRIMARY WEAPON

.50 CALIBRE RIFLE (NEVER RECOVERED). SVD.

FORMER SERVICE

ROYAL BODY GUARD OF BHUTAN, SNIPER. "RG-447" IN THEIR PAPERS. DISCHARGED 14 FEB 2024.

LANGUAGES

DZONGKHA, ENGLISH, HINDI. SOME ARABIC.

THREAT LEVEL AS RATED BY WESTERN SERVICES

EXTREME

PHOTOGRAPHS ON FILE

1 (ONE), DAYLIGHT, MASKED

Remarks:

Taken beside a container yard in Kirkuk. Found on a handset recovered in the 22 FEB 2025 raid. Balaclava and respirator. The eyes cannot be seen in it, and that is why it was kept.

*the only one
he let them have*

B. ASSESSMENT

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ORIGIN. Born in Gasa, in the north of Bhutan, under the mountains. Joined the Royal Body Guard and qualified as a sniper on the course at the Infantry School, Mhow, India, in 2014. The Bhutanese papers call him by his service designation, RG-447.

THE MOUNTAIN. In October 2023 he was one of twelve men sent to a sealed cave above Lunana, on the border with Tibet, to bring out a reliquary. The task was classified. Inside the reliquary was a mask. The inscription on the box names what was kept with it: *bdud po rnying pa*, the old demon. Eleven of the twelve died in the cave. He was found three days later sitting at its mouth with the mask on his face. The army told the press it was an avalanche. The mask is called Yalung's Mask. YALUNG is the name the thing in him answers to.

WHAT HE IS NOW. We take him at his word. He is the soldier and something much older, more than 3,000 years by its own count. It wants what men want: money, ground, power, and more of each. It has kept every hour of his training.

SKILLS. Confirmed hits at more than 2,700 meters. In the hospital at Thimphu a doctor stopped his breath-hold test at nine minutes forty seconds. His heart rests at 31 beats a minute and slows when he chooses. He fires in the dark through a day sight. Their witnesses say he fires before the target is there, and that a man who moves after he has taken his position is hit where he moved to. Their laboratory cannot draw the path of one of his rounds.

MONEY. Paid by the name, in bitcoin, from our wallets. Cash through the exchange houses of Kirkuk. His army account in Thimphu has not been touched since he left.

MOVEMENT. Left Bhutan on 02 MAY 2024 through Delhi and landed in Baghdad two days later on a 30-day visa. He has not left Iraq since. He works the country around Kirkuk and sleeps in the cities. He says the dreams told it to go west, to Iraq, where it would be well fed.

THE ELEVEN. He does not speak of them. The one time one of ours asked, it answered: they were "the first meal in a long time". Nobody has asked again.

THE MASK. Logged into the army store in Thimphu on 26 OCT 2023. Not in the store on 03 MAY 2024. It is with him. Nobody else handles it.

NECROSOCIETY ALIGNMENT. Member. Came to us in the summer of 2024 and takes our names. The services have him filed with the Iraq-a-Holics. That is their mistake and we leave it alone.

CURRENT THREAT STATUS. At large in northern Iraq. Last placed in Sulaymaniyah, 09 MAR 2025. Rated extreme. Their standing order: no approach on foot, and no operation against him without counter-sniper cover beyond three kilometers.

HANDLING. He is told the name and the day, never the place. Do not ask to see the eyes. Do not touch the mask.

CLASSIFICATION: EYES ONLY - NECROSOCIETY INTERNAL - DO NOT MIRROR OR ARCHIVE OFFSITE

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ROYAL BHUTAN ARMY

Board of Inquiry - summary of findings
copy obtained from a partner service - English original

Reference: [REDACTED]
Convened: 06 NOV 2023, Army Headquarters, Lungtenphu
Subject: Loss of eleven personnel, Royal Body Guard detachment, Lunana, Gasa Dzongkhag,
18 - 24 OCT 2023

- 1. Task.** A detachment of one officer and eleven other ranks of the Royal Body Guard was tasked to recover a reliquary from a sealed cave above Lunana, at [REDACTED], for transfer to the Central Monastic Body. The task was classified. The detachment was flown to Lunana on 18 OCT 2023 and went on on foot.
- 2. Sequence.** The detachment reached the cave on 20 OCT 2023 (altitude 5,140 m) and opened the entrance on 21 OCT 2023. At 19:42 the officer reported by radio that the reliquary had been opened to confirm its contents and that it held one mask. The rest of the transmission could not be understood. There was no further contact.
- 3. Search.** A search party reached the cave on 24 OCT 2023. Eleven members of the detachment were found dead inside the cave. No. RG-447 was found alive, seated at the cave mouth, wearing the mask. The overnight temperature at the cave had been about minus 19 degrees C. He had no frostbite. His issued rifle (SVD) had been fired four times. No rounds were found in the deceased or in the cave. He did not speak for two days.
- 4. Post-mortem.** No injuries were found on any of the eleven. Cause of death: undetermined in every case.
- 5. Reliquary and mask.** Wooden box, iron-bound, inscribed in Tibetan script. A reader from the Central Monastic Body read the name on the lid as བདུད་པོ་རྟེན་པ་ (bdud po rnying pa, "the old demon"). The mask is carved wood, painted black. Radiocarbon dating of the binding resin gave a calibrated range of 1260 - 1010 BC (95.4%). The inscription is much later than the mask. The mask was logged into store at Army Headquarters on 26 OCT 2023.
- 6. Findings.** The deaths followed exposure at altitude in conditions the Board could not establish. The public statement is to refer to an avalanche. No. RG-447 is to go before a medical board.

Addendum, 03 MAY 2024: the mask was not in store when checked. Inquiry continuing.

nobody asks him
about the four rounds

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Legal Attaché New Delhi - medical records summary

Re: (U) KALAKOV - medical records, Jigme Dorji Wangchuck National Referral Hospital, Thimphu, obtained through partner service (English original)
Case ID #: 315N-HO-3416205
Date: 02/03/2025

(S) Four records were obtained. They are summarized in date order.

1. Admission, 25 OCT 2023 (flown from Lunana). Core temperature 36.4 C after three nights in the open. No frostbite, no injury. Resting heart rate 31, regular. Both eyes dark grey to black across the iris and the sclera; the enlistment photographs of 2010 show normal eyes. Visual acuity 6/6 in both eyes. Ophthalmology found no pigment and no cause. Lines of Tibetan script on both forearms and the back of the neck, healed. The enlistment record lists no tattoos. Code on the record: R00.1 (bradycardia).

2. Pulmonary function, 02 NOV 2023. Voluntary breath-hold test stopped by the physician at 9 minutes 40 seconds. Oxygen saturation did not fall below 94%. The physician recorded that the patient was "not straining" when the test was stopped.

3. Psychiatry notes, OCT 2023 - FEB 2024. The patient speaks of himself as "we". On eleven occasions a second speaker used an old form of Tibetan the hospital's interpreter could follow only in part. This speaker gave its age as "more than three thousand years" and asked for "more": money, land, and men under it. The patient reported dreams in which "beings that are not from here" told it to go west, to Iraq, "where it will be well fed".

4. Medical board, 14 FEB 2024. Unfit for further service. Discharged the same day.

(S) Comment. The patient left Bhutan on 02 MAY 2024. The mask recovered at Lunana was found missing from army store the next day.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Electronic Communication

Title: (U) NECROSOCIETY; KALAKOV - INTERCEPT SUMMARY, 18 - 23 FEB 2025
Date: 02/24/2025
From: HOUSTON
JTTF
Contact: SA [REDACTED]
Approved By: SSA [REDACTED]
Drafted By: [REDACTED]
Case ID #: 315N-HO-3416205 (U) NECROSOCIETY; INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM
Synopsis: (S//NF) Summarizes messages and voice traffic attributed to KALAKOV, obtained from a partner service and under FISA authority 25-[REDACTED].

Details:

(S//NF) Two messages from an account attributed to KALAKOV were obtained from the partner service. Plaintext follows (original in English):

02/18/2025 21:14 UTC - "It is hungry. Kirkuk is thin. Send the next name."

02/20/2025 23:58 UTC - "Move the long rifle tonight. Leave the rest. They come in two nights."

(S//NF) On 02/20/2025 at 18:31 UTC a call of 3 minutes 5 seconds was received on an Iraqi handset (+964 770 [REDACTED] [REDACTED]). Cell site: Kirkuk. Speaker A identified as KALAKOV; Speaker B is an unidentified adult male. Excerpt:

B: The name is confirmed. It is far. Three thousand at least.

A: Distance is nothing to it.

B: To what?

A: Tell me the day. Not the place. It finds the man.

(S//NF) Call detail records for the same handset:

Date / time (UTC)	Other party	Duration	Cell site	Direction
02/18/2025 21:02	+964 75 [REDACTED] 2210	1:46	KIRKUK - AL-WASITI	IN
02/20/2025 18:31	+964 77 [REDACTED] 0917	3:05	KIRKUK - AL-WASITI	IN
02/21/2025 02:40	withheld	0:22	KIRKUK - RAHIMAWA	OUT

(S//NF) Comment: The partner service approved the raid on the subject's house on 02/21/2025 at 14:00 local time, about eleven hours after the second message was sent. The raid took place on 02/22/2025. The .50 caliber rifle was not in the house. How the subject knew of the raid has not been established.

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Date of entry 01/13/2025

██████████, a United States citizen employed by a private security contractor at the Baba Gurgur oil field northwest of Kirkuk, Iraq, was interviewed at Erbil International Airport. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, ██████████ provided the following information:

On 01/09/2025 at about 07:40 local time ██████████ was in guard post 4 with ██████████, who was seated at the desk facing away from the north window and drinking tea. He had been seated for several minutes. He said "something's out there", stood up and stepped to the window. He was at the window "one second, maybe two" when he was struck in the chest and fell. ██████████ heard the report of the shot about three seconds after ██████████ fell.

██████████ gave first aid and called the facility medic. ██████████ was pronounced dead at 08:05.

From the window ██████████ could see the perimeter road, the low hills to the north and a storage tank. He saw no person, vehicle or muzzle flash. Nothing had been seen on the hills on the previous days.

██████████ stated that ██████████ had no reason to go to the window and had not said what he thought was out there.

Investigation on 01/11/2025 at Erbil, Iraq

File # 315N-HO-3416205 Date drafted 01/13/2025

by ██████████

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Laboratory Division - Quantico, Virginia
Report of Examination.

To: Houston - JTTF, Attn: SA [REDACTED]
Case ID #: 315N-HO-3416205
Lab No.: 2025-0116-[REDACTED]
Date: 01/31/2025

Specimens

- Q1 Bullet, deformed, recovered at autopsy from the victim, 01/13/2025
- Q2 Cartridge case, fired, recovered at the firing position, 01/10/2025
- Q3 Laser scan data: guard post 4 (window and rear wall) and the ground between it and the firing position

Results

1. Q1 is a .50 caliber full metal jacket bullet consistent with 12.7x99mm ball. It bears the marks of eight lands and grooves, right twist. This class of rifling is found in Barrett M82/M107 rifles and others.
2. Q2 is a 12.7x99mm cartridge case, headstamp PMP. It was fired in a rifle with the same class of firing pin impression as Q1's rifle. No rifle has been submitted for comparison.
3. The firing position is 2,710 m from guard post 4 (laser measurement). Calculated flight time for 12.7x99mm ball at this distance is about 5.2 seconds; the sound of the shot would arrive about 7.9 seconds after firing, about 2.7 seconds after impact.
4. The path through the window glass and into the rear wall descends at 1.1 degrees. A ballistic path from the firing position would arrive descending at about 4.5 degrees. Traced back along the measured line, the path passes through a storage tank 1,930 m from the guard post. The tank is undamaged. No other firing position was found.

Remarks

The Laboratory is unable to reconstruct a path from the firing position to the window. If the witness account is correct, the round was fired before the victim was at the window.

[REDACTED]
Firearms/Toolmarks Unit

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Behavioral Analysis Unit 1 - Counterterrorism, Arson and Bombing
Quantico, Virginia

Re: (U) KALAKOV - psychological assessment
Requested by: Houston, JTTF
Date: 03/10/2025

(S//NF) **Sources.** Psychiatry notes from the hospital in Thimphu, October 2023 to February 2024, the Royal Bhutan Army board of inquiry, his service record, and the case file to date. BAU has not interviewed the subject.

(S//NF) **Structured measures** (records-based). PCL-R: 31 of 40. HCR-20 V3: summary risk rating HIGH; risk of serious physical harm HIGH.

(S//NF) **Observations.** Before October 2023 the service record is clean: disciplined, quiet, a first-class shot, no complaints. After it, the subject speaks of himself in the plural and describes a second presence that is older than he is and directs him. That presence is described in the notes as acquisitive: it asks for money, land and followers. Its stated wants have not changed in sixteen months. There is no record of drug or alcohol use.

(S//NF) **Diagnostic impression.**

- F44.89 Other dissociative and conversion disorders (trance and possession disorder)
- F43.10 Post-traumatic stress disorder, unspecified
- F60.2 Antisocial personality disorder
- Z91.82 Personal history of military deployment

(S//NF) **Risk.** Extreme. Violence is paid, planned and at long range. He has no known need to be near his targets. The physical findings in the Thimphu records (heart rate, breath-hold, the eyes) are outside BAU's competence and are referred to the case agent.

[REDACTED]

Supervisory Special Agent / Forensic Psychologist, BAU-1

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Counterterrorism Division - Terrorist Financing Operations Section

Re: (U) KALAKOV - identified assets as of 03/14/2025

Prepared by: [REDACTED], Forensic Accountant

Reviewed by: [REDACTED], Unit Chief

(S//NF) **Summary.** Identified assets total **\$1,268,006**, of which **\$438,419** is blocked, frozen or seized. Four countries are involved: Iraq, the United Arab Emirates, the Seychelles and Bhutan. Bitcoin is valued at \$83,983.20 (close, 03/14/2025). The ngultrum is at par with the Indian rupee, 86.94 to the dollar (03/14/2025).

Asset	Detail	USD
Bitcoin, primary wallet	bc1qk4l[REDACTED]7xm - 9.8215 BTC	824,841
Bitcoin, exchange account, frozen	2.4400 BTC; Seychelles-registered exchange, frozen 02/26/2025	204,919
Hawala transfer, blocked	Kirkuk exchange house to a recipient in Dubai, UAE, 02/19/2025	185,000
Cash, seized	US dollars, raid of 02/22/2025, Kirkuk	48,500
Bank account, dormant	Bank of Bhutan, Thimphu, savings, Nu. 412,600; no activity since 05/2024	4,746
	Total	1,268,006

(S//NF) **Primary wallet.** Created 05/06/2024, two days after the subject entered Iraq. All activity:

Date / time (UTC)	BTC	USD at 03/14	Counterparty
05/06/2024 10:12	+1.0000	83,983	wallet attributed to NECROSOCIETY
12/04/2024 06:30	+3.5000	293,941	same; the day after the Hawija shooting
01/10/2025 05:55	+4.0000	335,933	same; the day after the Baba Gurgur shooting
02/18/2025 07:20	+2.5000	209,958	same; the day after the Tuz Khurmatu shooting
03/02/2025 13:41	-1.1785	98,974	over-the-counter trader, Sulaymaniyah
	9.8215	824,841	balance

(S//NF) Payments are made once, the day after each shooting, in round amounts. No payment has been seen for any other purpose. The subject spends very little.

(U) Blockchain tracing was performed with commercial software. Exchange records were obtained by legal process.

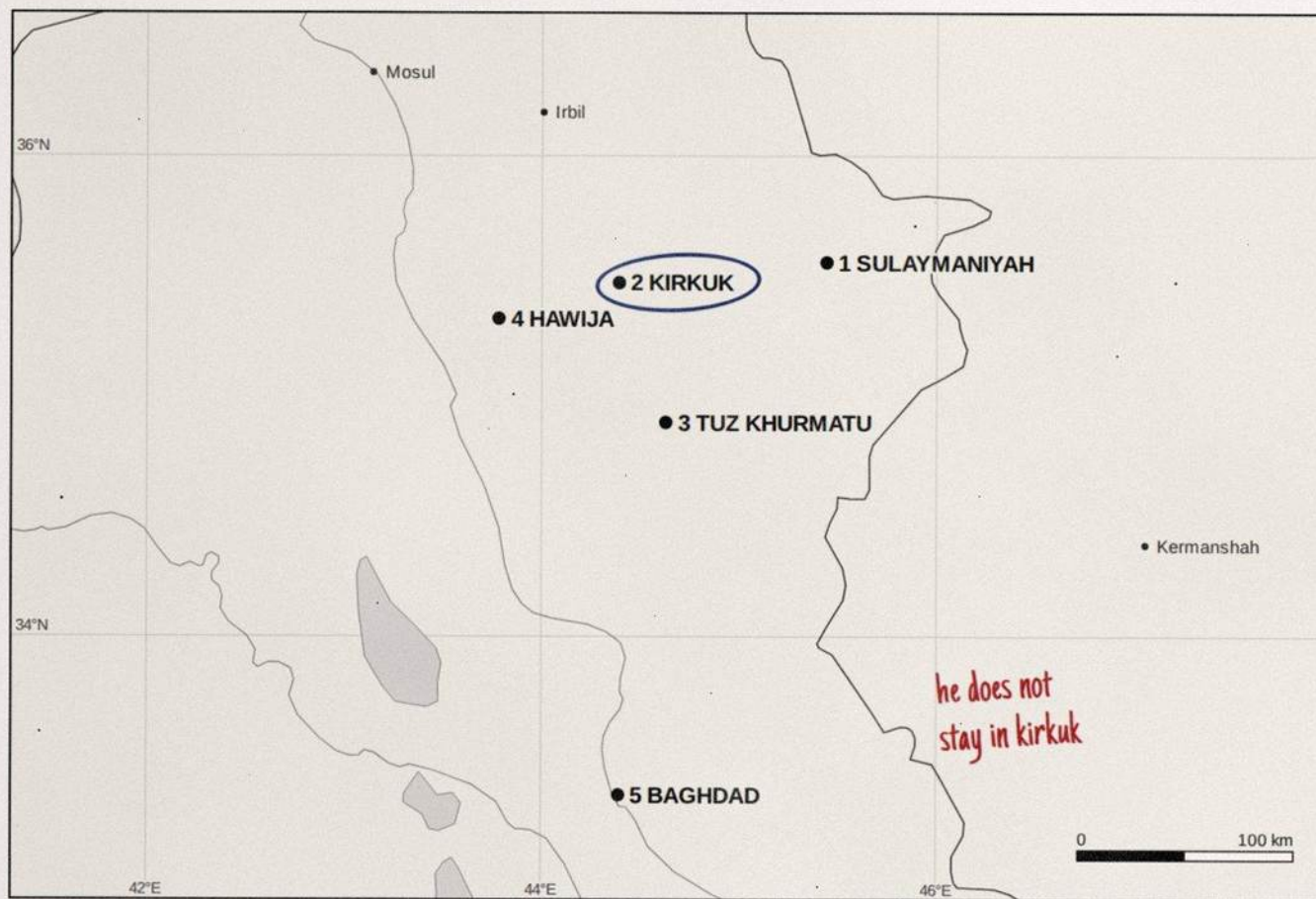
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Houston - JTTF - Subject location summary

(S//NF) Locations attributed to KALAKOV since his entry into Iraq, as of 03/18/2025:

Date (UTC)	Location	Coordinates	Source	Confidence
03/09/2025 --:--	Sulaymaniyah, Iraq	35.557 N, 45.443 E	HUMINT	Medium
02/22/2025 01:10	Kirkuk, Iraq	35.472 N, 44.392 E	raid / cell site	High
02/17/2025 16:05	Tuz Khurmatu, Iraq	34.892 N, 44.628 E	shooting, 2,880 m	Medium
12/03/2024 07:15	Hawija, Iraq	35.323 N, 43.782 E	shooting, 2,460 m	Medium
05/04/2024 --:--	Baghdad, Iraq	33.341 N, 44.392 E	border record	High

(S//NF) **Comment.** The Baba Gurgur shooting of 01/09/2025 (2,710 m) is counted under Kirkuk. Distances are from the firing position to the victim. The subject entered Iraq at Baghdad on 05/04/2024 on passport PB0741593 and a 30-day visa and has no recorded exit. He was not at the Kirkuk house when it was entered.



Map: points 1-5 as listed above.

RAID PHOTOGRAPHS

house in Kirkuk - 02/22/2025 - partner service



PHOTO 1 GROUND FLOOR: ITEMS LAID OUT BEFORE THE THREE MEN DETAINED

*the same line
as on the box*



PHOTO 2 UPPER ROOM: RIFLES AND AMMUNITION AS FOUND

(S) The partner service entered the house at 04:10 local time on 02/22/2025. Three men were detained on the ground floor. They have not identified the subject by name. The subject was not in the house.

(S) No .50 caliber rifle was found. Twenty-three 12.7x99mm cartridges were found in the upper room. A line of Tibetan script had been written in charcoal on the upper room wall, above a sleeping mat.

EVIDENCE INVENTORY

raid of 02/22/2025 - house in Kirkuk - recovered by partner service, logged by FBI legal attaché

Item	Description	Qty	Found
2B1	Rifle, SVD (Dragunov) pattern, 7.62x54R, with PSO-1 telescopic sight	1	upper room
2B2	Rifle, AK pattern, 7.62x39, wooden furniture	1	upper room
2B3	Carbine, SKS pattern, 7.62x39, PSO-1 type telescopic sight on side mount, hand-painted	1	roof
2B4	Rifle, M16A1 pattern, 5.56x45, with telescopic sight, carry bag and magazine	1	ground floor
2B5	Cartridges, 12.7x99mm (.50 BMG) ball, headstamp PMP	23	upper room
2B6	Rangefinder binocular, laser, Vectronix Vector 23, military pattern	1	roof, under netting

(S) Item 2B5 bears the same headstamp as the fired case recovered at the Baba Gurgur firing position (Lab No. 2025-0116, specimen Q2). Items 2B2 and 2B4 are shown in the raid photographs.

(S) Also recovered: a hand-written range book of 41 pages, the entries in Tibetan script with distances and wind in Arabic numerals (2C1); a red balaclava, a half-face respirator and a white coverall (2C2 - 2C4), matching the photograph found on a handset (2C5); a trumpet made from a human thigh bone, of the kind used in Tibetan ritual, wrapped in cloth (2C6); US dollars 48,500 in cash (2C7).

(S) No mask was found. Ammunition in the other calibers was recovered and not counted.

EVIDENCE PHOTOGRAPHS

raid of 02/22/2025 - sheet 1 of 1



ITEM 2B1 RIFLE, SVD



ITEM 2B3 CARBINE, SKS, WITH SIGHT



ITEM 2B5 CARTRIDGE, 12.7x99MM



ITEM 2B6 RANGEFINDER, AS FOUND

*the rifle that matters
is not on this sheet*

THE THIMPHU LEDGER

OCTOBER 27, 2023

Eleven soldiers die in Lunana avalanche

GASA - Eleven soldiers of the Royal Body Guard died when an avalanche struck their camp above Lunana on Saturday night, the army said. One soldier survived and was flown to Thimphu. The detachment had been on a routine patrol.

THE PARO BULLETIN

FEBRUARY 16, 2024

Lunana survivor leaves the army

THIMPHU - The only survivor of October's avalanche in Lunana has been discharged on medical grounds, a defence source said. Prayers for the eleven dead were held at the dzongs of Gasa and Punakha.

THE CITADEL GAZETTE

JANUARY 11, 2025

American guard shot dead at oil field

KIRKUK - An American security contractor was shot dead at the Baba Gurgur oil field on Thursday morning. Police said the shot came from the hills to the north, at a distance they called "impossible". No group has claimed it.

THE ZAB RIVER POST

FEBRUARY 24, 2025

Three held in Kirkuk raid; gunman sought

KIRKUK - Counter-terrorism forces detained three men in a dawn raid on a house in the city on Saturday and seized rifles and ammunition. Officials said the man they were looking for was not there.

there was no avalanche

O. CURRENT STANDING

NECROSOCIETY - INTERNAL

NECROSOCIETY ALIGNMENT. Member. Came to us in the summer of 2024. Takes our names, and nobody else's.

CURRENT THREAT STATUS. At large in northern Iraq. Their last fix is Sulaymaniyah, 09 MAR 2025. Rated **extreme**. Their people are told not to approach him on foot and not to move against him without counter-sniper cover beyond three kilometers.

WHAT THEY GOT RIGHT. The rifle work. The hospital in Thimphu. The money, to the coin.

WHAT THEY GOT WRONG. The avalanche. And the Iraq-a-Holics: the dreams sent him to Iraq, not to them. He came to us.

ORDERS. Give him the name and the day, never the place. The mask stays with him. This file is returned to the file room after reading.

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██████████	10 APR 2026	S.

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