

DEFENSE SECURITY ASSISTANCE AGENCY
PLANS DIRECTORATE
Programs Division

DATE: 24 JAN 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: FY95 IMET FOR RWANDA

EUCOM has received the U.S. Ambassador to Chad's approval to reallocate \$50K of his IMET allocation for Rwanda this FY. EUCOM recommends that we avoid sending any teams to Rwanda at this time. Therefore, a proposed program could include the Civil-Military Strategy for Internal Development program, the Rule of Law and Disciplined Military Operations NJS program and possible participation in the recently postponed AAI Regional Conference to be hosted by Benin. (See attached program descriptions)

Also attached is a copy of the PCL Info Paper pred by Vince's staff that you requested.

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Attachment(s):
as stated

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On but see if that's what we want as far as Training

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SECTION I.

EXPANDED IMET COURSES -- GENERAL
(Cont'd)

U.S. NAVY (Cont'd)

Students receive extensive exposure to human rights issues. Curricula under this program include the following area studies: (1) Middle East, Africa, South Asia (P179031 and P179035), (2) Far East, Southeast Asia, Pacific (P179032 and P179036), (3) Europe and FSU (P179033 and P179038), and (4) Western Hemisphere (P179034 and P179037).

INTERNATIONAL
HYDROGRAPHIC
MANAGEMENT AND
ENGINEERING
PROGRAM
P169208
27 WEEKS

Designed for international hydrographers who will serve in a senior hydrographic capacity in their country. The course provides practical and professional knowledge in hydrographic management and engineering, as well as maritime resource management skills to assist in appropriate national and international level hydrographic decision-making. The course also introduces students to principles and ethics and a variety of human rights awareness issues.

U.S. AIR FORCE

COURSE

SCOPE

CIVIL-MILITARY
STRATEGY FOR
INTERNAL
DEVELOPMENT
(CMSID)
D173063
10 DAYS

Designed for each student to comprehend and appreciate the integration of national military capabilities into a unified host-government strategy for internal development. The course is intended for key foreign military and civilian government officials engaged in action

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EXPANDED IMET COURSES -- GENERAL
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U.S. AIR FORCE (Cont'd)

programs supporting the government's overall internal defense and development strategy. The curriculum includes seminars on cultural issues, development strategy and programs, human rights, military applications, and U.S. support for development strategies.

PME JUDGE
ADVOCATE STAFF
OFFICER
MAFJAG600
D176001
8 WEEKS

Provides judge advocates with essential, basic, comprehensive instruction in military legal practice. The course is divided into three curriculum areas: military justice, civil law, and the judge advocate as a member of the Air Force.

STAFF JUDGE
ADVOCATE COURSE
MAFJAG610
D1760XX
2 WEEKS

Includes both a refresher course in military law and a study of Air Force leadership principles for judge advocates recently, or about to be, assigned to staff judge advocate positions. The course is designed to facilitate the transition of judge advocates from positions such as assistant staff officers or experts in some legal specialty to the position of staff judge advocate -- the senior legal advisor to a commander. The course curriculum is divided into four areas: military justice, civil law, electives, and command, staff, and leadership.

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EXPANDED IMET COURSES -- GENERAL
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U.S. NAVY (Cont'd)

MILITARY JUSTICE
LAWYER
P177700
61 DAYS

Provides a thorough background in military evidence, procedure, crimes, nonjudicial punishment, JAG Manual investigations, administrative discharge procedures, claims, legal assistance, basic court-martial advocacy techniques, and other areas of practical concern to lawyers entering the practice of military law. International students must be licensed attorneys. The course is the basic lawyer course required of all Navy and Marine Corps lawyers and Coast Guard law specialists before they start their military legal practice.

MILITARY JUSTICE
SENIOR OFFICER
P176021
1 WEEK

Familiarizes commanding officers, executive officers, and officers in charge with the Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ) and administrative fact-finding bodies, administrative discharge procedures, and various other directives and policy matters relating to command legal responsibilities in the administration of military legal matters. This course, taught at various U.S. military bases worldwide, offers international senior officers the opportunity to receive an overview of the U.S. military justice system from the executive level and to benefit from class participation with their U.S. counterparts.

THE RULE OF LAW
AND DISCIPLINED
MILITARY
OPERATIONS COURSE
P176025
1 WEEK

Provides line officers of any military force with not only the basics of the rule of law and its impact on human rights, but also how these considerations fit into the planning and conduct of military operations. The course includes attention to such fundamental concerns as the Rules of Engagement, the Law of Armed Conflict, and the role of a military justice system in the accomplishment of military

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EXPANDED IMET COURSES -- GENERAL
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U.S. NAVY (Cont'd)

objectives. This course is taught by the Naval Justice School at various CONUS schoolhouses. This course is available as a follow-on course to NAVSCIATT's Patrol Craft Commanders course and Riverine Operations Planning Course and is taught in Spanish. *can also be taught at A*

RESOURCE PLANNING
AND MANAGEMENT
FOR INTERNATIONAL
DEFENSE -- MS
NAVPGSCOL
P179905
78 - 91 WEEKS

This is an interdisciplinary program which integrates mathematics, accounting, economics, behavioral science, organization and management theory, operations/systems analysis, managerial communications, and international law into an understanding of the process by which the defense mission is accomplished. The course of studies explores the interface among international politics, national security objectives, civil-military relations, resource planning and management, and synthesizes the political, technological, economic, cultural, social and ideological forces influencing international defense. Students receive extensive exposure to human rights issues. It provides techniques of quantitative problem-solving methods, behavioral and management science, economic analysis and financial management which will enable graduates to evaluate the written research, study and analysis products of others throughout their careers. The course curriculum is conducted in three phases beginning with one quarter of refresher foundation courses if necessary, followed by two quarters of management fundamentals and four quarters of graduate level courses. The course length will vary between 78 and 91 weeks depending if first-phase foundation courses are necessary for the student.

RWANDA & IMET

P-C-L MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, 18 JANUARY

Background: It is extremely difficult to energize the State bureaucracy to take actions helpful to the Government in Kigali. Presently, we are snarled with them regarding IMET. Title III of H.R. 4426 (aimed at the perpetrators of genocide) prohibits the provision of IMET funds to Rwanda during the current fiscal year. We think that time is of the essence in supporting the Kigali Government. On the other hand, State (principally citing Congressional concerns) wants to wait until October to review Rwanda's human rights record and then consider reprogramming FY96 funds. Acts of retribution against those involved in genocide have been isolated and perpetrators are being punished. We believe that the Rwandan Government's laudatory record should be rewarded and that assistance to professionalize its soldiers would serve only to improve that record. We want State to budget IMET funding for Rwanda in FY96 and press the Hill to lift the restriction on FY95 funds as well.

Talking Points:

- I am happy to see that we are working out the bureaucratic kinks and have begun to provide direct financial assistance to the new Government of Rwanda.
- DoD is identifying excess medical and school supplies for donation to Rwandan civilians and our staffs are examining partial repeal of the arms embargo to allow the new government to buy non-lethal equipment.
- Another area where we could be helpful is IMET which Vice President Kagame told me last month he very much needed to reintegrate his country's military and to help professionalize his forces, especially any rogue elements.
- We are prevented from training Rwandan soldiers by a legislative bar imposed on the previous murderous regime. Our informal soundings on the Hill indicate support for repeal of this restriction.
- I would like State to budget IMET funding for Rwanda in FY96 and for our staffs to develop urgently a Hill strategy to lift the restriction on FY95 funds.
- *Tony*, I understand you may be chairing an Ad Hoc Group meeting on Rwanda next week; I think such a meeting would be a very useful way to resolve this and other outstanding issues. *Strobe*, could State take the lead on tabling a legislative game plan at that time?

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