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THIRD ENDORSEMENT on (b) (3) (A), (b) s ltr 5830 dtd 30 Apr 20

From: Commanding General, III Marine Expeditionary Force

To: File

Subj: COMMAND INVESTIGATION INTO ALLEGATIONS OF WHITE NATIONALISM

IN THE CASE OF (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

USMC

1. I have reviewed the command investigation, including the review from the Commanding Officer, Battalion Landing Team 1/5 and the Commanding Officer, 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit.

- 2. I concur with the investigating officer's findings of fact and opinions, and with the BLT 1/5 Commanding Officer's, 31st MEU Commanding Officer's actions following the investigation in response to the investigating officer's recommendations.
- 3. No further investigation is warranted. This matter is closed.

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> IN REPLY REFER TO: 5800 SJA 13 May 20

SECOND ENDORSEMENT on (b) (3) (A), (b) s ltr 5830 dtd 30 Apr 20

From: Commanding Officer, 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit To: Commanding General, III Marine Expeditionary Force

Subj: COMMAND INVESTIGATION INTO ALLEGATIONS OF WHITE NATIONALISM

IN THE CASE OF (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

USMC

1. Forwarded. In accordance with MCO 5354.1E, the commander who convened the investigation is the decision authority for substantiating any prohibited activity and conduct. The allegation of prohibited activities and conduct was substantiated by the Battalion Commander as a result of the enclosed investigation. As corrective measures to resolve the subject complaint, the commander will hold (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) accountable at battalion-level NJP and subsequently process him for administrative separation. The commander's actions are reasonable in light of the circumstances.

2. Per MCO 5354.1E, the enclosed investigation is submitted for review

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BATTALION LANDING TEAM 1/5 31ST MARINE EXPEDITIONARY UNIT UNIT 89068 FPO AP 96610-6800

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FIRST ENDORSEMENT on (b) (3) (A), (b) ltr 5830 dtd 30 Apr 20

From: Commanding Officer

To: Commanding General, III Marine Expeditionary Force Via: Commanding Officer, 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit

Subj: COMMAND INVESTIGATION INTO ALLEGATIONS OF WHITE NATIONALISM IN THE CASE OF (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) USMC

- 1. Forwarded. I have reviewed the subject investigation in its entirety, and all pertinent facts have been considered. No further investigation is recommended at this time.
- 2. I concur with the investigating officer's findings of fact, opinions, and recommendations, subject to the amplifying information below:
 - a. Consistent with the recommendations of the investigating officer, a copy of this investigation will be forwarded to the appropriate law enforcement agency. Once final endorsement is complete, the Naval Criminal Investigative Service will be provided with the investigation to report information obtained about the United States Nationalist Initiative.
 - b. The preponderance of the evidence presented in the investigation substantiates misconduct on (b) (3) (A), (b) s behalf; further investigation is not necessary prior to adjudicating his misconduct.
- 3. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) will be held accountable at battalion-level non-judicial punishment and subsequently processed for administrative separation in accordance with Section 6210.9 of reference (c). (b) (3) (A), conduct is incompatible with military service and Marine Corps values. (b) (6) (b) (7)
- 4. The point of contact for this matter is (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), at (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (C)

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IN REPLY REFER TO: 5830 (b) (3) 30 Apr 20

To:	Commanding Officer
Subj:	COMMAND INVESTIGATION INTO ALLEGATIONS OF WHITE NATIONALISM IN THE CASE OF (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) USMC
Ref:	(a) JAGINST 5800.7F, Section 0203 (b) MCO 5354.1E (c) MCO 1900.16 CH 2
	(1) Command Investigation Appointment Letter dtd 29 Feb 20 (2) (b) (a) (b) (b) (b) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c

Preliminary Statement

1. This letter reports completion of the command investigation conducted in accordance with reference (a) into allegations of white nationalism in the case of (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) USMC.

- 2. The catalyst to initiate the investigation was an online disagreement on Twitter on 27 February 2020 which resulted in a Twitter user contacting the San Diego Tribune on 27 February 2020. A reporter from the San Diego Tribune contacted III Marine Expeditionary Force (MEF) Communication Strategy and Operations (COMMSTRAT) on 28 February 2020. After III MEF COMMSTRAT notified Battalion Landing Team (BLT) 1/5, the battalion notified HQMC via an OPREP-3 on 28 February 2020. On 29 February 2020, the Battalion Commander for BLT 1/5 initiated a command investigation. The Equal Opportunity Advisor for III MEF was contacted on 17 March 2020 by the Investigating Officer.
- 3. In accordance with reference (b) this investigation was conducted to determine whether or not (b) (3) (A), engaged in dissident and protest activity (including supremacist activity).
- 4. All reasonably available evidence was collected via in person interviews, email correspondence, and research on publicly viewable social media and news websites.
- 5. This investigation was extended due to the unit being deployed aboard the 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU) at sea.
- 6. On 17 March 2020, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), the Regional Defense Counsel-West, detailed (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), represent (b) (3) (A), Via his appointed counsel, (b) (3) (A), declined to participate in this investigation.
- 7. The original items of evidence are maintained on an encrypted external hard drive kept on the person of the Investigating Officer, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Personnel Contacted

- 1. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Platoon Sergeant Combined Anti-Armor Team 1, Weapons Company, BLT
- 2. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Equal Opportunity Advisor, III Marine Expeditionary Force
- 3. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Platoon Commander Combined Anti-Armor Team 1, Weapons Company, BLT
- 4. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) Appointed Counsel for (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
- 5. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) Weapons Company Commander, BLT 1/5
- 6. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) Staff Judge Advocate 31st MEU

Findings of Fact

- 1. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) is a (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) (C) with Combined Anti-Armor Team 1 in Weapons Company. He enlisted in the Marine Corps on 1 January 2018 and joined 1st Battalion, 5th Marines on 6 July 2018. His end of active service date is 7 January 2022. His home of record is (b) (3) (A), (b) [Encl (2)]
- 2. (b) (3) (A), has (3) unofficial counseling records in his Weapons Company Record Jacket. The first is for questionable material on his social media pages and questionable participation in an online organization called the United States Nationalist Initiative (USNI). The second is the follow-up to ensure compliance with the tasking in the previous counseling. The third is for insubordination towards an NCO after being asked to stop talking about politics and political beliefs in a training setting. [Encl (3), (4), (5)]
- 3. (b) (3) (A), has (1) page 11 on file in his OMPF for insubordination towards a Non-Commissioned Officer (NCO) dtd 12 September 2019. (b) (3) (A), received this counseling from his Company Commander, (b) (3) (A), (b) (3) [Encl (6)]

- 4. According to the Facebook page, the United States Nationalist Party (USNP) was founded in 2014. [Encl (7)]
- 5. According to its Facebook page, "All Americans are welcome to join the Nationalist Initiative, regardless of religion, sexual identity, race, political affiliation, religion, or any differences that haven't been named." [Encl (7)]
- 6. According to the (USNI website, (b) (3) (A), is the self-declared "chairman". While the San Diego Tribune article on 15 March 2020 notes that (b) (3) (A), (b) as the Co-Chairman of the USNI, the investigating officer was unable to find a connection between the two during his investigation. The stated mission of the USNI is to "act as a platform of unity for those who share a common love for their country, promote and defend the principles on which our nation was founded, to defend our culture and identity, to restore national pride, to improve the individual American citizen and to volunteer in our communities." According to the USNI Facebook page, the organization has around 1,400 followers. It is unknown how many Facebook followers are dues paying members of the USNI. [Encl (8)]
- 7. On 11 February 2016, prior to (b) (3) (A), enlisting the Marine Corps, a video was released online in which (b) (3) (A), allegedly describes how he would conduct a mass shooting at (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7). While the investigating officer was unable to acquire an original copy of the video, there are portions included in the nightly newscast of click2houston. In these portions, an unknown third party films (b) (3) (A), as he explains a tactical plan to conduct offensive actions against the high school. [Encl (9)]
- 8. On 12 February 2016, (b) (3) (A) was arrested on allegations of Terroristic Threats by the Montgomery County Precinct 5 Constable's Office. [Encl (10)]
- 9. On 18 February 2016, (b) (3) (A), was arraigned before a judge for the 410th District Court in the state of Texas. [Encl (10)]
- 10. On 28 April 2016, charges against (b) (3) (A), were dropped after a Grand Jury found insufficient evidence to indict (b) (3) (A), on the charges of Terroristic Threats and a motion to dismiss was filed. This is labeled on the paperwork as "No bill by Grand Jury." [Encl (10)]
- 11. On 25 October 2017, during his enlistment process at the Military Entrance Processing Station in Milwaukee, Wisconsin (b) (3) (A) marked yes to questions 6g and 6h of the Medical History Provider Interview: "Have you ever been arrested?" and "Have you ever been suspended from school?" On the comments page the examiner (whose name is illegible on the form) annotates, "Accused of making threat 2016, Taken into Custody, Released 3 months later, No Conviction, Reviewed by Marines Already." There is no waiver on file for the arrest on 11 February 2016 because the charges were dropped. [Encl (6)]
- 12. On 2 September 2018, The USNI posted graphic art of what looks like an African-American girl smiling and holding up the American flag with the caption, "Pride, never be afraid to show it." This graphic bears the insignia of the US Nationalist Party. This graphic depicts the individual in a positive way. [Encl (11)]
- 13. On 7 November 2018, the name of the U.S. Nationalist Party was changed to the U.S. Nationalist Initiative by an unknown party and for an unknown reason. [Encl (12), (13)]
- 14. On 23 November 2018, The U.S. Nationalist Initiative posted a graphic re-using an image previously posted by an organization called "Patriot Front" bearing the slogan "Not Stolen, Conquered." The graphic depicts a map of the United States divided into (6) sections with a year in the middle of each section. The years signify the time when each section of land was acquired by the United States. [Encl (14)]
- 15. The Southern Poverty Law Center identifies the Patriot Front as a white supremacist organization. [Encl (15)]
- 16. The Anti-Defamation League identifies the Patriot Front as a white supremacist organization. [Encl (16)]
- 17. According to the Southern Poverty Law Center and the Anti-Defamation League, the Patriot Front was created in Texas in August 2017. The Patriot Front's predominant message is that "their ancestors conquered America and

bequeathed it solely to them. They distribute their message predominantly online but also conduct public gatherings and demonstrations. [Encl (15), (16)]

- 18. On 3 February 2019, a social media user '(b) (3) (A), (b) 'posted a photograph, allegedly from (b) (3) (A), (b) personal social media, with the caption "be gone degenerate." The photograph is of (b) (3) (A), standing perpendicular to the camera but facing the camera wearing camouflage utilities with a distortion effect overtop of the entire photograph. This distortion effect is used in other photographs that are currently on (b) (3) (A). Instagram page. (b) (3) (A), (b) s post identifies (b) (3) (A), (a) as an alleged white supremacist and lists the Facebook and website links of the USNI. The real life identity of (b) (3) (A), (b) is unknown and the original source website has been taken down or is no longer publicly accessible. [Encl (17)]
- 19. On 3 February 2019, social media user "(b) (3) (A), (b)" alleges that, "the USNP is rebranding as the United States Nationalist Initiative" and "they've [the UNSI] deleted hundreds of incredibly racist and anti-semitic calls to literal murder from their comments." [Encl (17)]
- 20. On 24 July 2019, (b) (3) (A), posted photographs to his personal Instagram and the USNI Facebook page depicting the USNI uniform insignias. The first insignia is round and has the symbol of the USNI in the middle. The second insignia builds off the first with oak leaves around the outside and an eagle sitting on top. [Encl (18)]
- 22. According to the Federal Election Commission a Super Political Action Committee (Super PAC) is an independent expenditure only political committee that many receive unlimited contributions from individuals, corporations, labor unions, and other political action committees for the purpose of financing independent expenditures and other independent political activity. The committee will not use those funds to make contributions directly to federal candidates. Super PACs must be registered with the Federal Election Commission (FEC). It is unknown at this time if the USNI is registered with the FEC. [Encl (20)]
- 24. (b) (3) (A), reached out to (b) (3) (A), (b) a reservist Staff Judge Advocate for his legal advice on the situation. (b) (3) (A), advised (b) (3) (A), to remove himself from the group." [Encl (21)]
- 26. On 1 September 2019, (b) (3) (A), was counseled by his Platoon Sergeant, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), for having "multiple social media platforms that serve as a political medium." Additionally, he was counseled for social media pages that "display opinions and comments that have been received as racist, sexist, and not keeping with good order and discipline." (b) (3) (A), was tasked in counseling with "removing any questionable material from across your social media platforms." [Encl (4)]
- 27. On 1 September 2019, (a) (A), responded to the above counseling by stating, "The U.S. Nationalist Initiative is an organization comprised of patriotic men and women of all backgrounds. All American citizens are welcome to join the Nationalist Initiative regardless of religion, sexual identity, race, political affiliation, religion, or any differences that haven't been named. The U.S. Nationalist initiative does not partake in supremacist acts and in no way shape or form does it endorse such ideas." [Encl (4)]

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- 28. (b) (3) (A), as response to counseling on 1 September 2019 is a word for word copy of the "About section" on the USNI Facebook "About page". [Encl (4), (7)]
- 29. On 9 September 2019, (b) (3) (A), was given a follow-up counseling by (b) (3) (A), where (b) (3) (A), remarked, "SNM has removed posts that contain material that could be detrimental to good order and discipline." And "After reviewing what information is still broadcast, there are no concerns that any violation of the UCMJ is being committed." [Encl (5)]
- 30. (b) (3) was aware of both of these counseling and signed them. [Encl (4), (5)]
- 32. (b) (3) (A), (b) notes that following the page 11 entry, he has not been notified about any behavior contrary to good order and discipline by (b) (3) (A), [Encl (21)]
- 33. On 5 September 2019, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (3) (A), Vehicle Commander, issued (b) (3) (A), informal written counseling for the same conduct as annotated by (b) (3) (A), [Encl (3)]
- 34. On 1 December 2019, (b) (3) (A) posted a photograph to the USNI Facebook Page captioned, "'Racist' is a term that was heavily used by Marxists during the time of the Bolsheviks. It was and is utilized when leftists are attempting to discredit or demonize someone they don't agree with. It's a term used to socially assassinate anyone who holds a differing viewpoint in an effort to strip someone of any credibility they might possess. It's no different than all the other made up terms like xenophobe, islamaphobe, and anti-Semite. That's the tactics of the left. To divide, categorize, and label everyone they don't agree with. Effectively fighting the left begins with one simple decision: Sacrifice what you believe in... Or get called a racist. I know what my choice is gonna be." [Encl (22)]
- 35. On 27 February 2020 (b) (3) (A), entered into an exchange of messages on the social media platform Twitter with users "(b) (3) (A), (b) ", "(b) (3) (A), (b) ", and "(b) (3) (A), (b) ", wherein (b) (3) (A), was accused of being a white supremacist and posts from his personal Instagram page were posted. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6) posts, "When you find yourself on the friends list of a member of Attomwaffen that was arrested by the FBI for nazi shit and you're an open Nationalist in the USMC" and "I'm not even posting your trans and queer phobic screenshots, just these that align with everything every fascist org is out there pushing." Due to several of the messages being deleted prior to when the Investigating Officer discovered the conversation, it is unclear who started the exchange. The real life identities "(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), and "(b) (3) (A), (b) (5), are unknown. [Encl (23), (24), (25), (27), (28)]
- 36. On 27 February 2020, the Twitter user "(b) (3) (A), (b) posted a photograph allegedly from (b) (3) (A), s personal Instagram page depicting a man and woman in front of the Eiffel Tower with Adolf Hitler superimposed and bearing the caption, "It gave me chills." (b) (3) (A), allegedly posted this picture on 21 October 2018. [Encl (25)]
- 37. The photograph allegedly from (b) (3) (A), s personal Instagram page was originally created by photographer (b) (3) for a History Channel advertising campaign. It is one of several photographs with historical scenes superimposed over modern day people in an album called "Know Where You Stand." [Encl (26)]
- 38. On 27 February 2020, the Twitter user "(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), publicly messaged another Twitter user "(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), wanna get another serviceman dishonorably discharged?" [Encl (27)]
- 39. On 27 February 2020, the Twitter user "(b) (3) (A), (b) replied saying, "Let's do it". (b) (3) (A), (b) is the real name of "(b) (3) (A), (b) replied saying, "Let's do it". (b) (3) (A), (b) is the real name of "(b) (3) (A), (b) replied saying, "Let's do it". (b) (3) (A), (b) is the real name of "(b) (3) (A), (b) replied saying, "Let's do it". (b) (3) (A), (b) replied saying, "Let's do it".

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- 40. On 27 February 2020, On Twitter, (b) (3) (A), responded to "(b) (3) (A), (b) by saying, "Defamation of character won't get any of you far. I've violated no articles of the UCMJ." [Encl (27)]
- 41. On 28 February 2020, Andrew Dyer a reporter for the San Diego Tribune sent an email to the III MEF Media email account. In his email he identifies that he is aware of the Twitter exchange that happened on 27 February 2020, the USNI Facebook Page, and the Patriot Front photographs. He solicits a comment from the Marine Corps about whether or not an investigation has been opened. [Encl (29)]
- 42. On 28 February 2020, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), the BLT Executive Officer, sent an OPREP-3 to the Marine Corps Operations Center detailing the contact from Andrew Dyer and the details Andrew Dyer shared. [Encl (30)]
- 43. On 29 February 2020, a command investigation into allegations of white nationalism in the case of (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) USMC was initiated by (b) (3) (A), (b) to determine whether or not violated MCO 5354.1E. [Encl (1)]
- 44. On 15 March 2020, the San Diego Tribune posted an article on its website which focused on (b) (3) (A), and the investigation into the allegations of white nationalism. The article notes the relationship between (b) (3) (A), and the USNI. The article relays the views of (b) (3) (A), (b) a senior research fellow at the Anti-Defamation League's Center on Extremism. (b) (3) (A), (b) notes that "no white supremacist group I'm aware of has done memes featuring people of color in a positive way." [Encl (31)]
- 45. (b) (3) (A), (b) an anti-fascist researcher who created First Vigil, a website that tracks neo-Nazi criminality, is quoted in the San Diego Tribune article. She says, "He does espouse out and out white nationalist beliefs....Patriot Front is an explicitly white nationalist organization and he is quite clearly using their propaganda." [Encl (31)]
- 46. On 15 March 2020, the San Diego Tribune posted a photograph of (b) (3) (A), "liking" a post that said, "We must secure the existence of our people." [Encl (31), (32)]
- 47. On 15 March 2020, the San Diego Tribune drew a comparison between the quote "We must secure the existence of our people." and the slogan the "14 words" [Encl (31)]
- 48. According to the Anti-Defimation League, the "14 words" slogan is, "a reference to the most popular white supremacist slogan in the world: 'we must secure the existence of our people and a future for white children." [Encl (33)
- 49. On 15 March 2020, The San Diego Tribune posted a photograph from (b) (3) (A), as personal Instagram Page captioned, "Real pic of me dreaming about my future blue eyed blonde haired mistress." In the photograph (b) (3) is wearing what appears to be USMC desert camouflage utilities and a rifle. In a reply to a comment on this photograph, (b) (3) (A), says, "No discrimination intended. I'd just like to help contribute to the preservation of my lineage." [Encl (31)]
- 50. On 17 March 2020, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) USMC, was detailed by (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), Regional Defense Counsel-West to represent (b) (3) (A), [Encl (34)
- 51. On 7 April 2020, (b) (3) (A), declined to make a voluntary statement via his appointed counsel, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) USMC. [Encl (35)]
- 52. On 11 April 2020, (b) (3) (A) posted on his personal Facebook page. In the comments he says, "Change' or 'Cultural enrichment' is only inevitable if the ethnical majority of a nation becomes so docile that they neglect to preserve the racial fabric of their own country. The United States was founded by men of European decent and this nation is majority European... Our identity as a nation is vital to its survival because a nation without said identity is practically no different than a mind without a conscience." In a different comment in the same thread he says, "We are talking about the important of preserving an ethnic majority in our country which is vitally important. If people like you really cared about 'diversity' then you'd be more inclined to uphold the predominantly ethnic backgrounds of every country in the world. If we subvert the sanctity of the racial majority of every nation, then what makes France French, or Japan Japanese, or India Indian? To protest the idea of preserving the racial sovereignty of any nation is a

direct contradiction to your yearning for 'diversity' you can't experience the uniqueness of a foreign nation if you've destroyed the racial substance of its people." [Encl (36)]

53. According to reference (b), dissident and protest activity (including supremacist activity) is: "knowing and wrongful conduct that involves actively advocating supremacist, extremist, or criminal gang doctrine, ideology, or causes, including those that advance, encourage, or advocate illegal discrimination based on race, creed, color, sex (including gender identity), religion, ethnicity, national origin, or sexual orientation or those that advance, encourage. or advocate the use of force, violence, or criminal activity, or otherwise advance efforts to deprive individuals of their civil rights." And "Knowing and wrongful conduct that involves actively participating in criminal gangs, or in other organizations that advocate supremacist, extremist, or criminal gang doctrine, ideology, or causes; including those that attempt to create illegal discrimination based on race, creed, color, sex (including gender identity), religion, ethnicity, national origin, or sexual orientation; advocate the use of force, violence, or criminal activity; or otherwise engage in efforts to unlawfully deprive individuals of their civil rights. Active participation in such gangs or organizations is prohibited. Active participation includes, but is not limited to, fundraising; demonstrating or rallying; recruiting, training, organizing, or leading members; distributing material (including posting on-line); knowingly wearing gang colors or clothing; having tattoos or body markings associated with such gangs or organizations; or otherwise engaging in activities in furtherance of the objective of such gangs or organizations that are detrimental to good order, discipline, or mission accomplishment or are incompatible with military service. The prohibition extends to acts committed through electronic communications and social media, as well as in-person and other means."

Opinions

- 1. (b) (3) (A), 's participation in the USNI can be categorized as active due to his being the chairman and his frequent posting to the Facebook page and official webpage. [ff (6), (11), (12) (13), (14), (21), (34)]
- 2. (b) (3) (A) s participation in the USNI can be categorized as active due to his creation of an official badge of the USNI. This badge appears to be used to identify members of the USNI in public [ff (20), (21)]
- 3. (b) (3) (A), s posts and comments constitute acts or active participation with the USNI organization through electronic communications. [ff (6), (11), (12) (13, (14), (21), (34)]
- 4. (b) (3) (A), has, both personally and on behalf of the USNI, posted and "liked" social media that refers to white supremacist organizations or white supremacist slogans. [ff (14), (18), (19), (44), (45), (46), (47), (49)]
- 5. (b) (3) (A), has both liked and used language that is similar to "we must secure the existence of our people and a future for white children" also known as the "14 words"; a phrase commonly used by white supremacists. [ff (46), (47), (49)]
- 6. (b) (3) (A) has directly advocated for the preservation of the white ethnic majority in the United States. While his advocacy in this Facebook post does not call for action of discrimination against minority groups, his statements about preserving the racial fabric of the country being vital for the country to succeed indicate he is in favor of the white ethnicity being preserved as the majority. [ff (52)]
- 7. The USNI, has posted social media that offers inclusion and positive messaging towards minority groups. It is not clear whether or not (b) (3) (A), himself has posted these positive message photographs to the USNI Facebook page, or if it was another member of the group. [ff (12)]
- 8. (b) (3) (A), has been linked to conduct both in favor of and contradictory to white supremacist ideology or causes. This balancing of conduct is most likely a tactic to obscure or deflect attention from the true motivations of (b) (3) (A), to advocate white supremacist ideology. [ff (12), (14), (18), (19), (44), (45), (46), (47), (49), (52)]
- 9. It is likely that there was more white supremacist social media photographs and posts that are no longer publicly accessible online due to the fact that (b) (3) (A), was tasked with removing questionable material from his social media and the temporary taking down of Facebook pages and websites on or about 1 April 2020. [ff (13), (18), (19), (26), (28), (29), (36), (37)]

- 10. (b) (3) (A), s affiliation with the USNI has been tied to his affiliation with the Marine Corps. He publicly identifies himself as a United States Marine and also publicly identifies himself as the chairman of the USNI. (b) (3) probably views his service in the Marine Corp and his chairmanship of the USNI to be related; He probably believes that they are both serving the United States. If (b) (3) (A), or the USNI's interests are white supremacy, they are not compatible with the equal opportunity policies of the Marine Corps. [ff (6), (18), (19), (20), (21), (46), (47), (49), (52)]
- 11. Noting that Twitter users "(b) (3) (A), (b) and "(b) (3) (A), (b) and "discuss" getting another serviceman dishonorably discharged," it is possible but unlikely that the posts alleging (b) (3) (A), had committed misconduct were manufactured. [ff (18), (19), (35), (36), (37), (38), (39), (40)]
- 12. The investigating officer was unable to acquire financial information regarding the USNI and thus unable to determine to what end the membership dues or funds raised were utilized. Additionally, the investigating officer was unable to uncover posts that have been deleted or taken down. [ff (7), (18), (19), (22), (26), (29)]
- 13. From the evidence currently possessed, the allegations of knowing and wrongful conduct by actively advocating supremacist ideology or causes are supported by a preponderance of the evidence. While there are conflicting pieces of information and pieces of information that remain hidden from this investigation, (b) (3) (A). has knowingly advocated for the preservation of an ethnic majority in this country which constitutes actively advocating supremacist, extremist, or criminal gang doctrine, ideology, or causes and has violated MCO 5354.1E. [ff (6), (11), (12), (13), (14), (18), (19), (20), (21), (34), (44), (45), (46), (47), (49), (52)]

Recommendations

- 1. I respectfully recommend further investigation by appropriate law enforcement agencies to further uncover evidence or information not available without law enforcement tools and to better determine the extent to which (b) (3) is affiliated with white supremacist organizations or people. [O (1), (6), (9), (12)]
- 2. I respectfully recommend that (5) (3) (A) receive Battalion-level Nonjudicial Punishment for violation of Article 92 and subsequent administrative separated from the Marine Corps. His online actions through the USNI of reusing postings from white supremacist organizations and personal Facebook posts of advocating white supremacist ideology constitute violations of MCO 5354.1E. He clearly associates himself with both the USMC and USNI on his public websites. Despite being appropriately warned and counseled by his chain of command about his online posts and political rhetoric in the work-place, (b) (3) (A). has not ceased his activities or behavior. (b) (3) (A), views and online posts, evidenced as recently as 11 April 2020, are incompatible with military service, and he should be accordingly separated. In accordance with reference (c) paragraph 6210, section 9, processing for administrative separation is mandatory following the first substantiated incident of misconduct resulting from the Marine's participation in extremist or supremacist activities. In accordance with reference (c) paragraph 6210, section 9, part (b) an incident is considered substantiated when there has been a nonjudicial punishment based on a preponderance of the evidence that the Marine has engaged in supremacist or extremist conduct. [O (6), (9), (10), (13)]
- 3. The point of contact for this matter is (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) at (b) (3) (A), (b) or at (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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BATTALION LANDING TEAM 1/5 31ST MARINE EXPEDITIONARY UNIT , BOX 89068 FPO AP 96610-6800

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From: Commanding Officer

To: (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Subj: COMMAND INVESTIGATION INTO ALLEGATIONS OF WHITE NATIONALISM IN THE

CASE OF (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

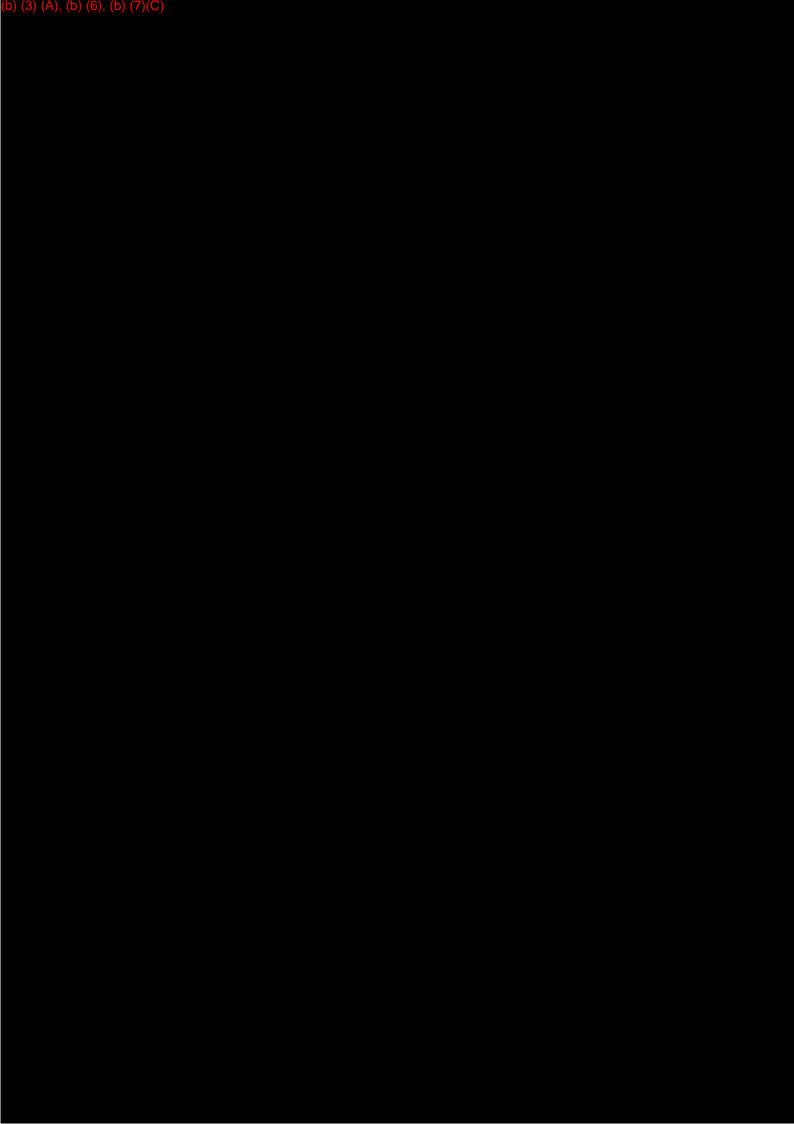
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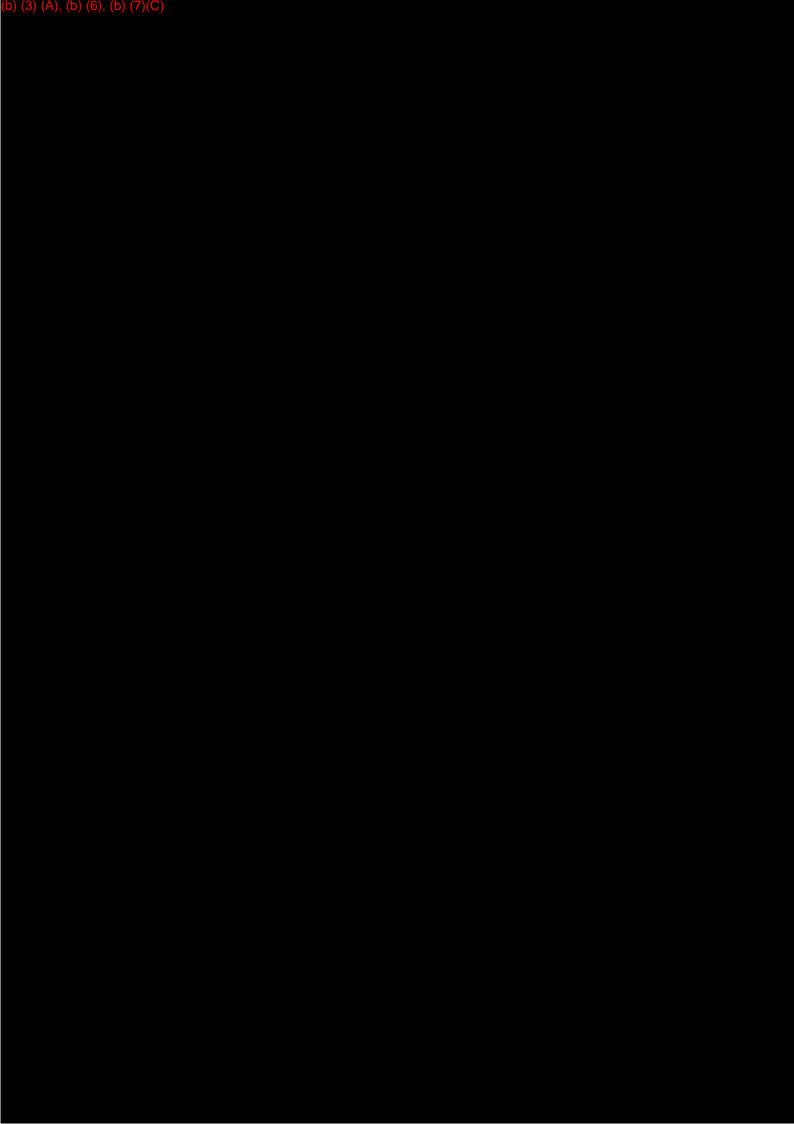
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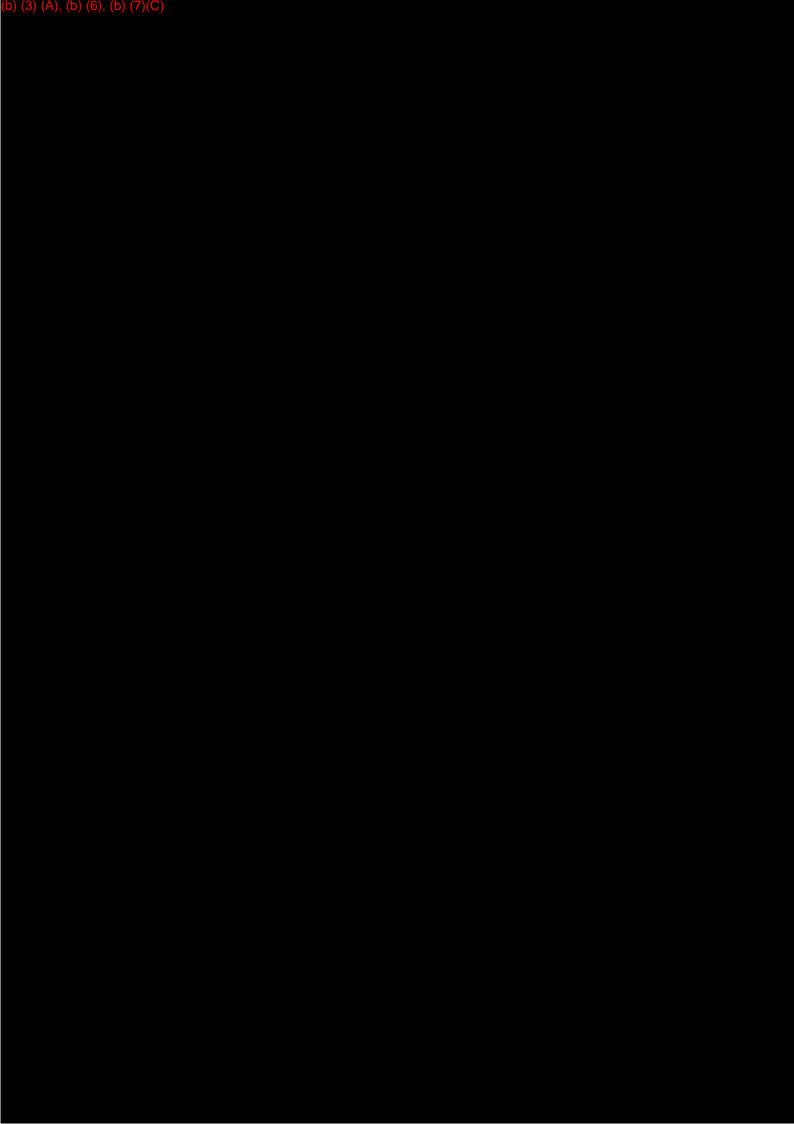
- 1. Under Chapter II of the reference, you are directed to investigate the facts and circumstances surrounding the allegation that (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) is in support of white nationalism. If you have not previously done so, read chapter II of the reference in its entirety before beginning your command investigation. This investigation is your primary appointed duty until it is complete.
- 2. Your final report will provide all pertinent facts, findings, and recommendations associated with this investigation to the Commanding Officer. You are directed to forward your completed report outlining your findings no later than 1 April 2020. If, for any reason, the report cannot be forwarded within this period, report in writing the basis for the delay and a request for additional time with an estimated date of completion. Approval authority for extensions of time is delegated to the BLT 1/5 Executive Officer, (b) (3)
- 3. Legal assistance from the 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit Staff Judge Advocate, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), via (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), and administrative assistance from the BLT 1/5 Adjutant at (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), are available during the course of your investigation.

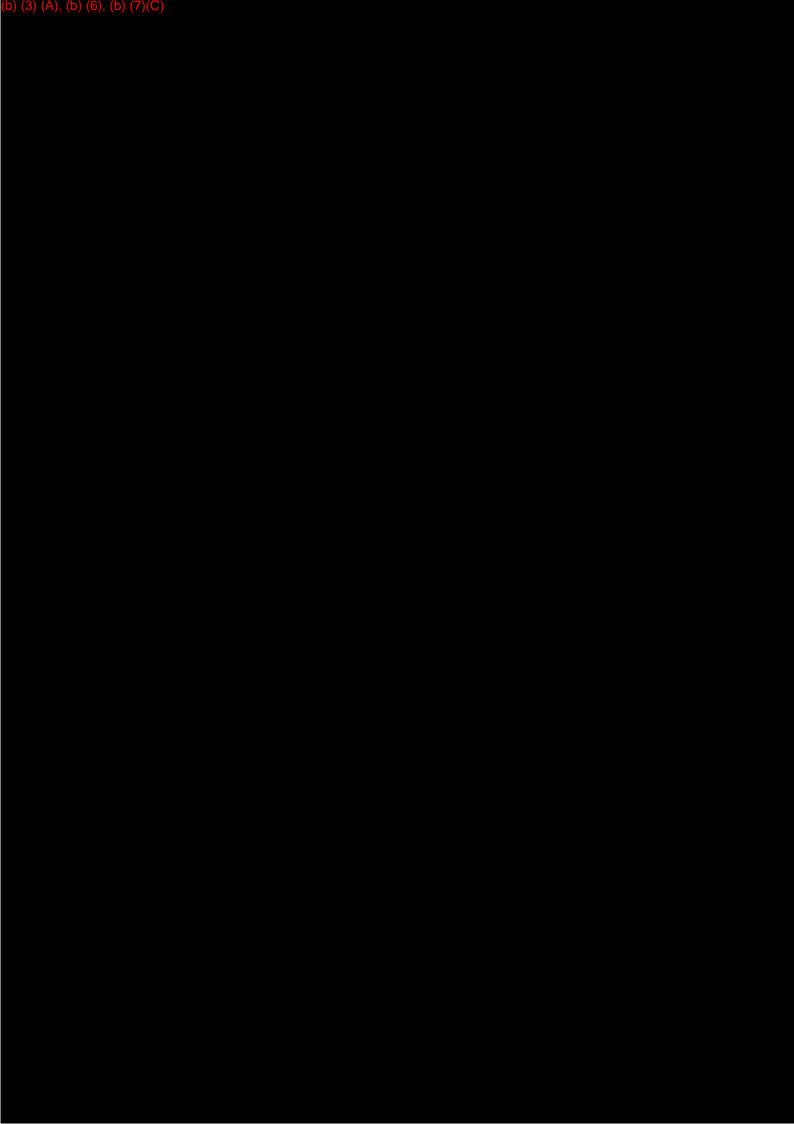
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By direction









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C. TOPICS COVERED DURING THIS COUNSELING

SNM Social Media Activity ALMAR 08/17

Articles 93, 134, and 88-91

D. LEADER'S GUIDANCE

- -Constant professionalism both on/off duty is a requirement you will strive to maintain.
- -SNM maintains multiple social media platforms that serve as a political medium. SNM has posted images of himself in uniform on these sites (specifically the MARPAT Desert Utility Uniform).
- -SNM social media pages display opinions and comments that have been received as racist, sexist, and not keeping with good order and discipline. (e.g. imagery combined with statements such as: "EMBRACE TRADITION" or "DESTROY DEGENERATES."
- -(per ALMAR 08/17) Such commentary and content includes that which is defamatory, threatening, harassing, or which discriminates based on a persons race, color, sex, gender, age, religion, national origin, sexual orientation or other protected criteria. This type of conduct may be punishable under Article 92 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ).
- -(per ALMAR 08/17) Marines are reminded that their conduct, even off-duty or online, may violate Navy and Marine Corps orders and regulations. Finally, Article 134 prohibits a variety of offensive conduct, including indecent language, indecent conduct, and communicating a threat, and may also prohibit other neglects or disorders that are prejudicial to good order and discipline or Service-discrediting.
- -Marines should think twice before posting online.
- -Articles 88-91 Disrespect or insubordination towards our civilian or military leadership
- -Article 93 Cruelty and maltreatment of Marines of lesser rank.

E. TASKS ASSIGNED NEXT PERIOD / GOALS

- -Remove any questionable material from across your social media platforms. When in doubt error on the side of caution and remove it then seek guidance from your chain of command.
- -Represent your Marine Corps in the highest standard.
- -Familiarize yourself with ALMAR 08/17, and ensure you remain in complience with the guidance given.

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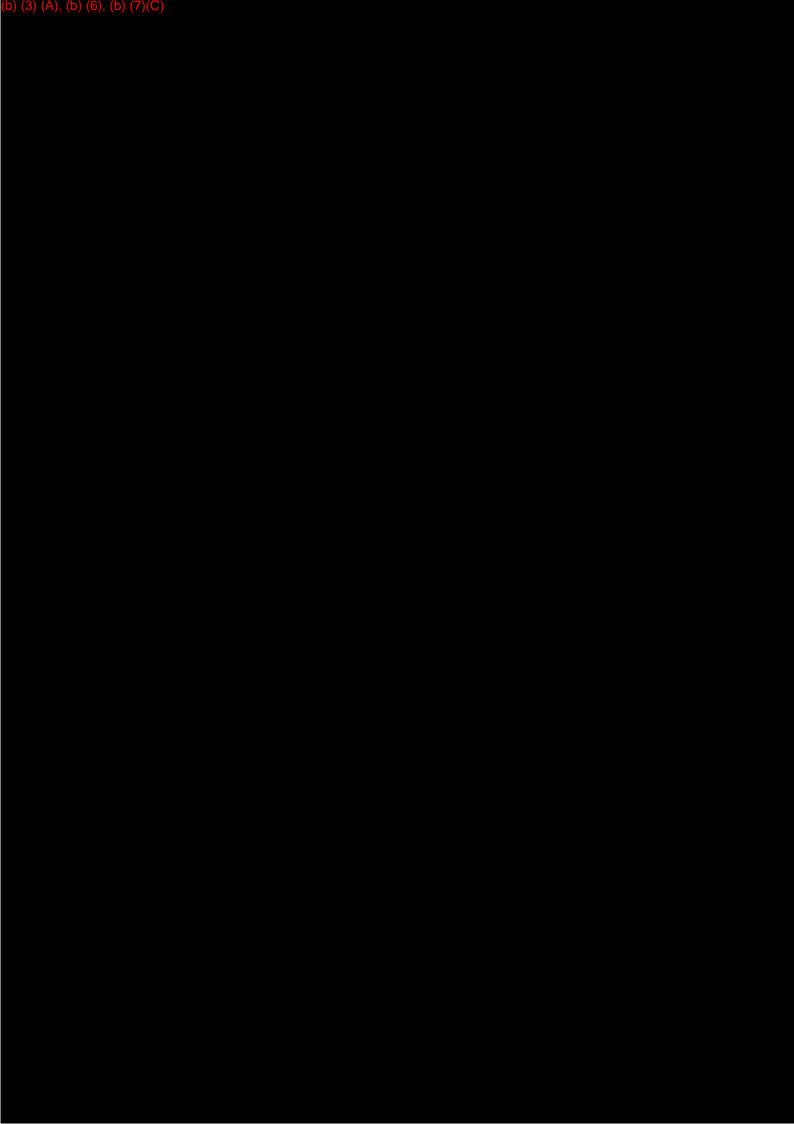
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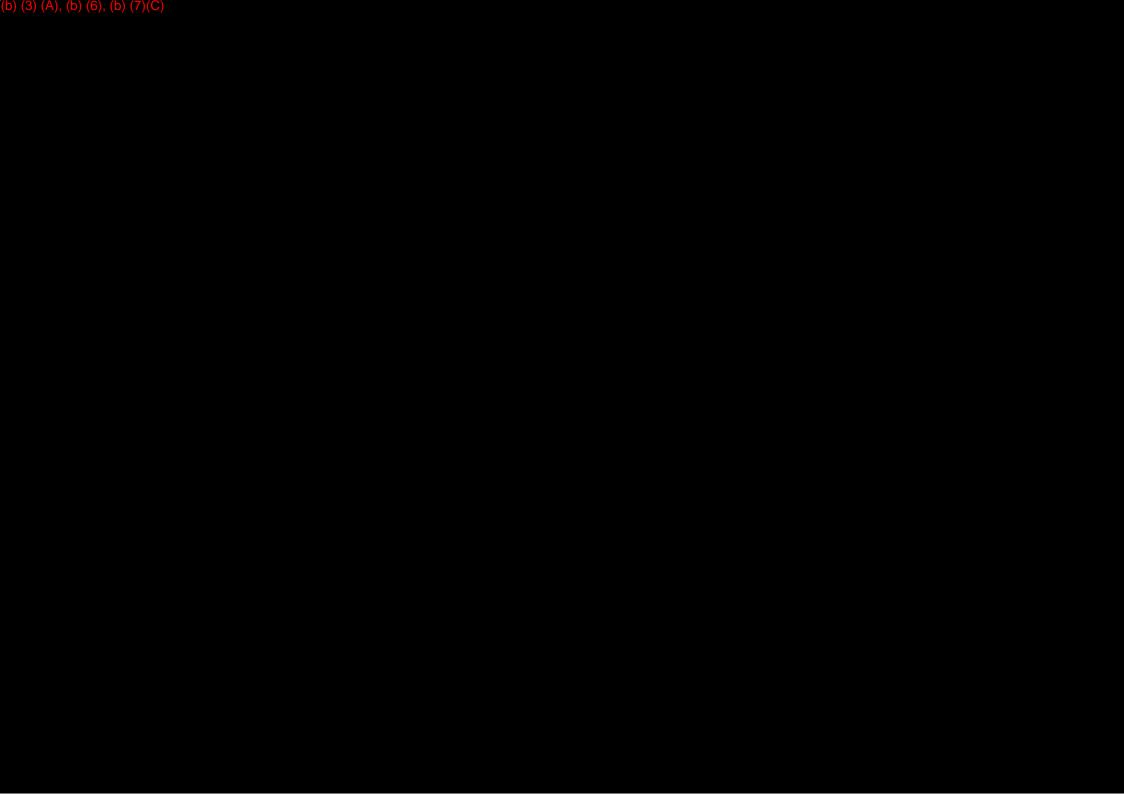
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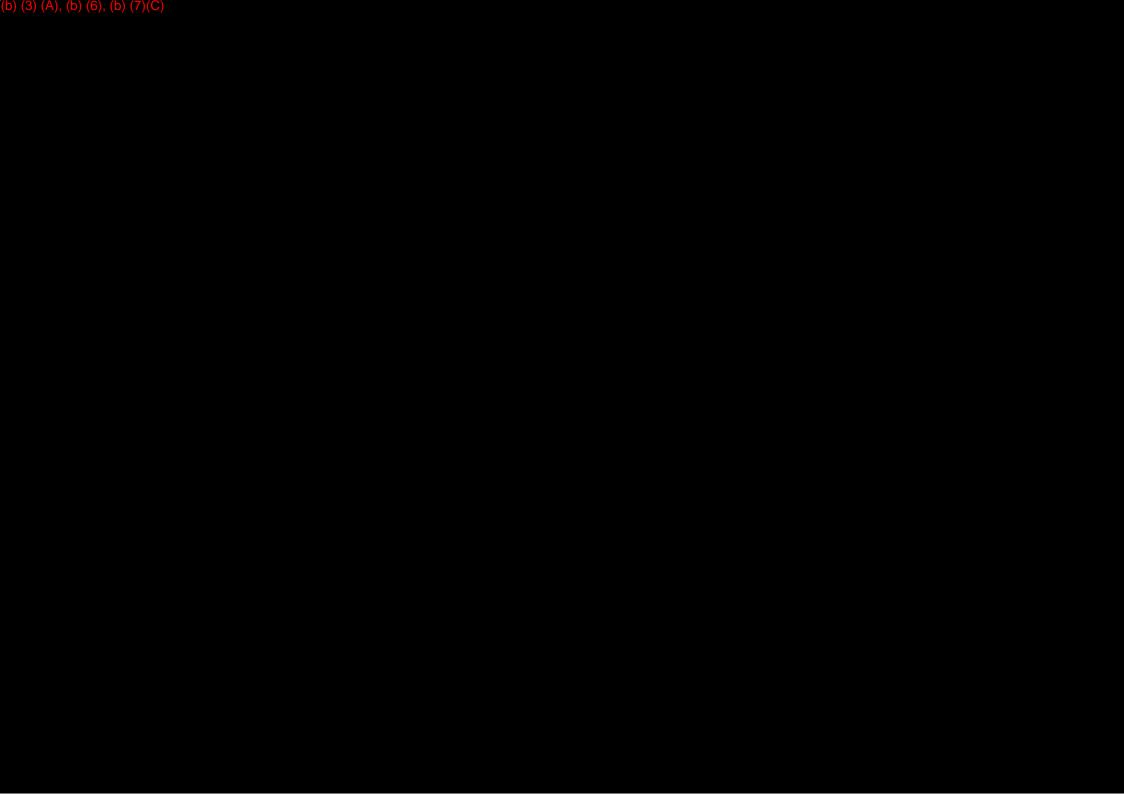
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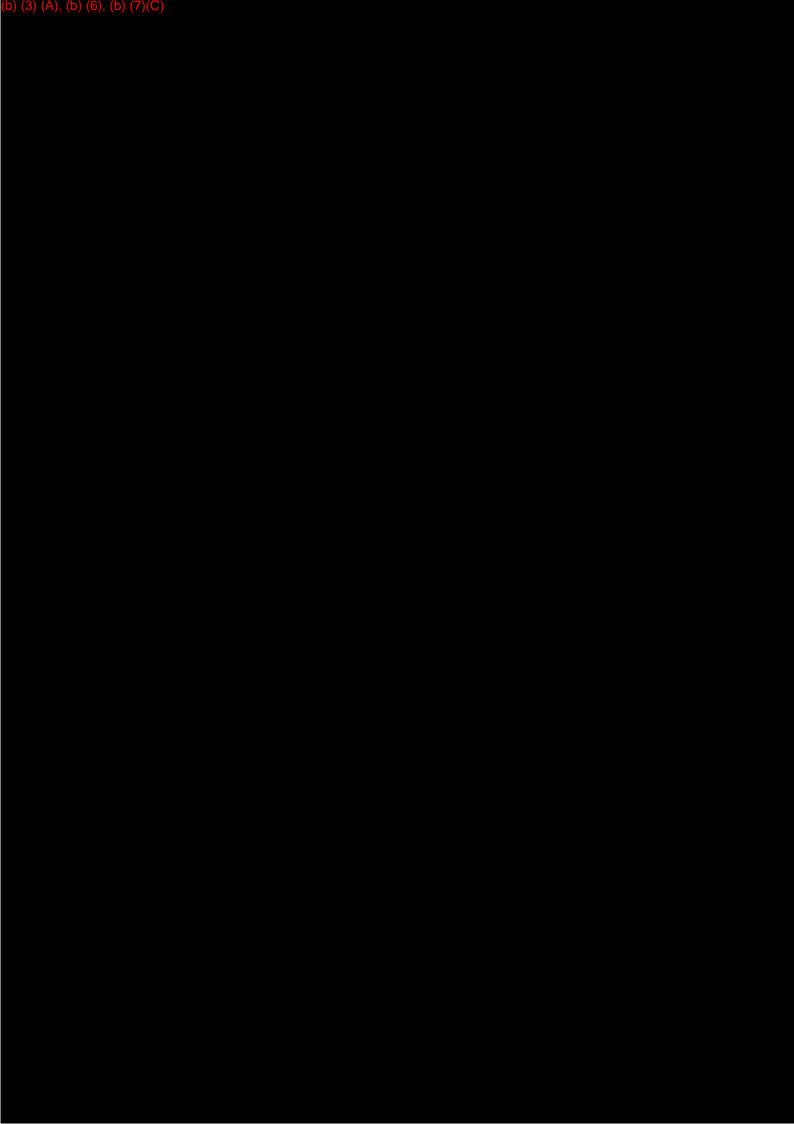
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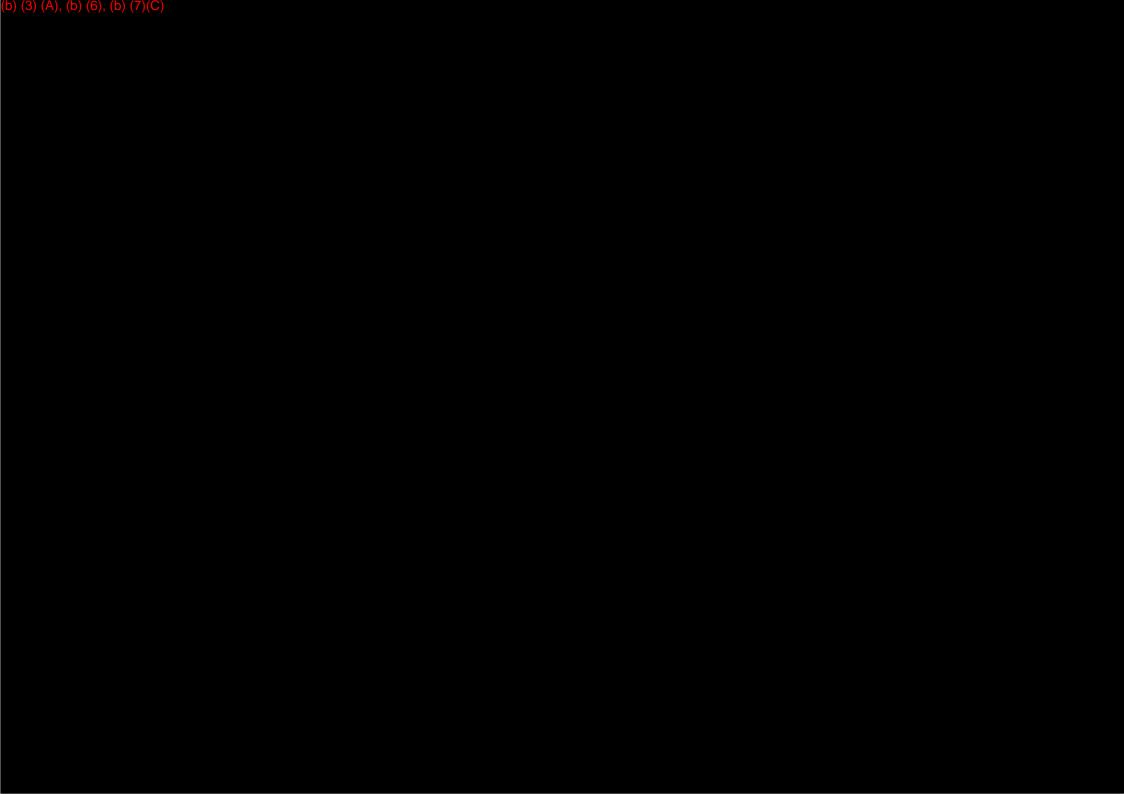
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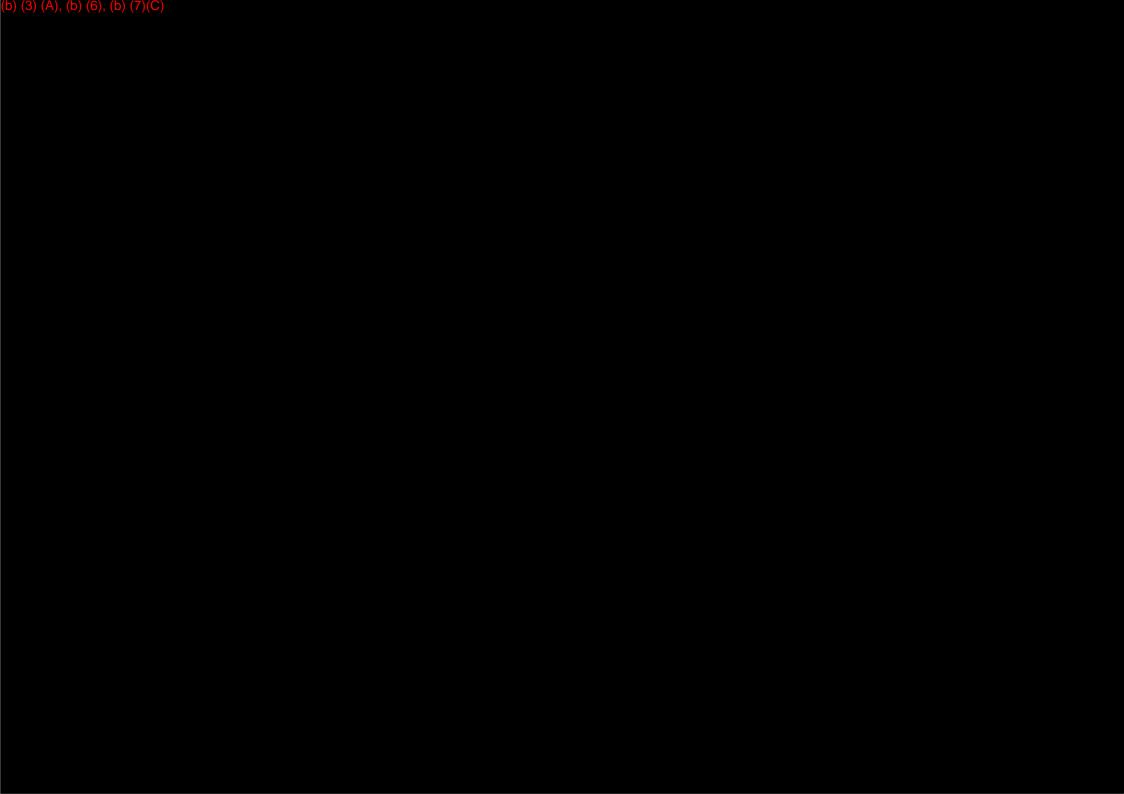


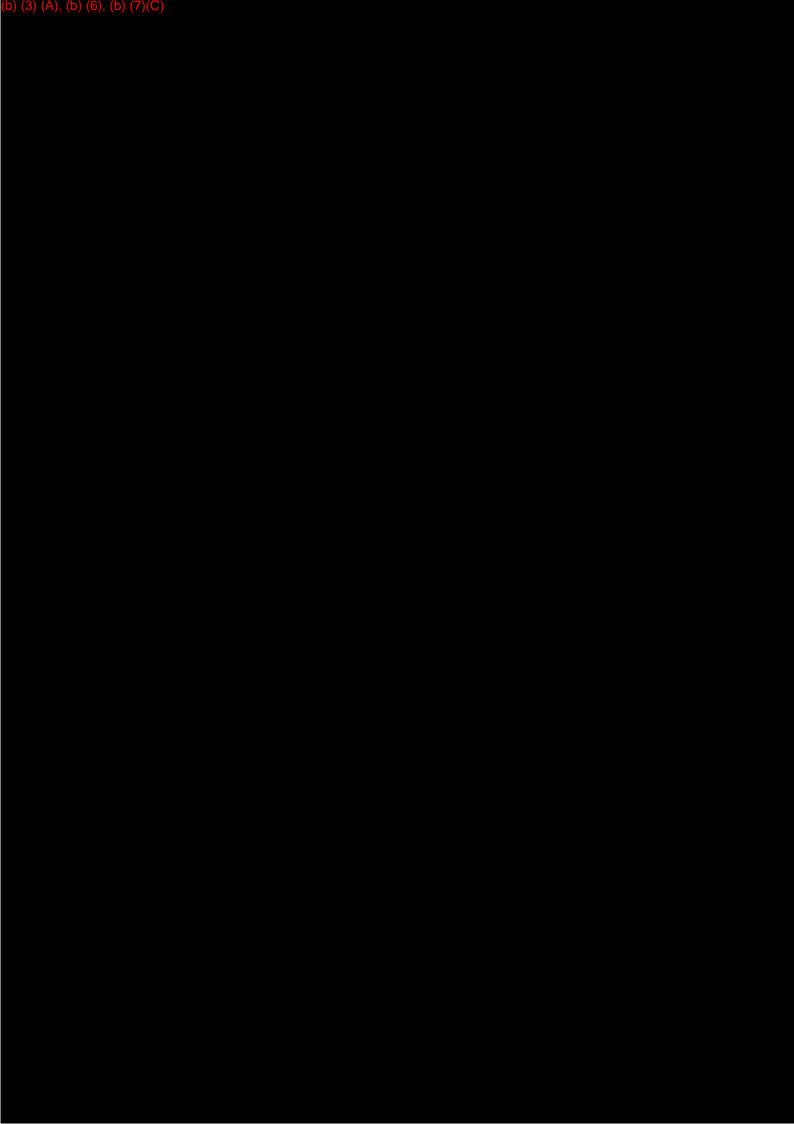


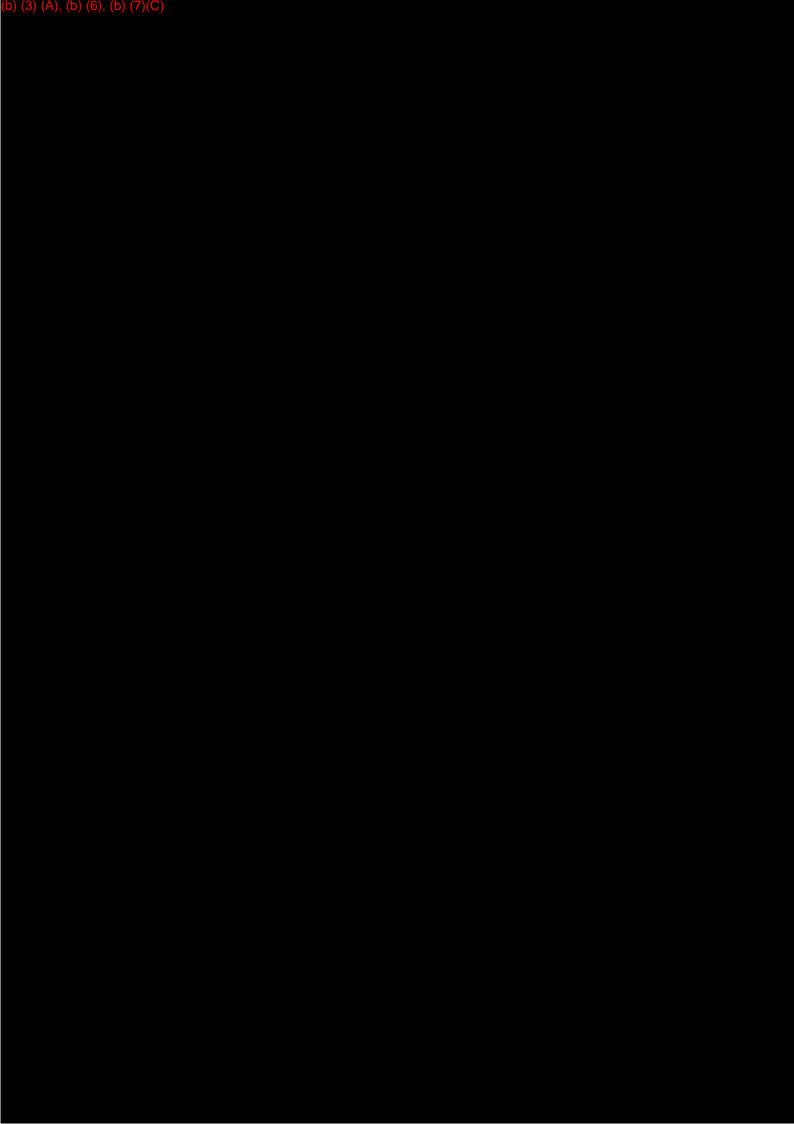


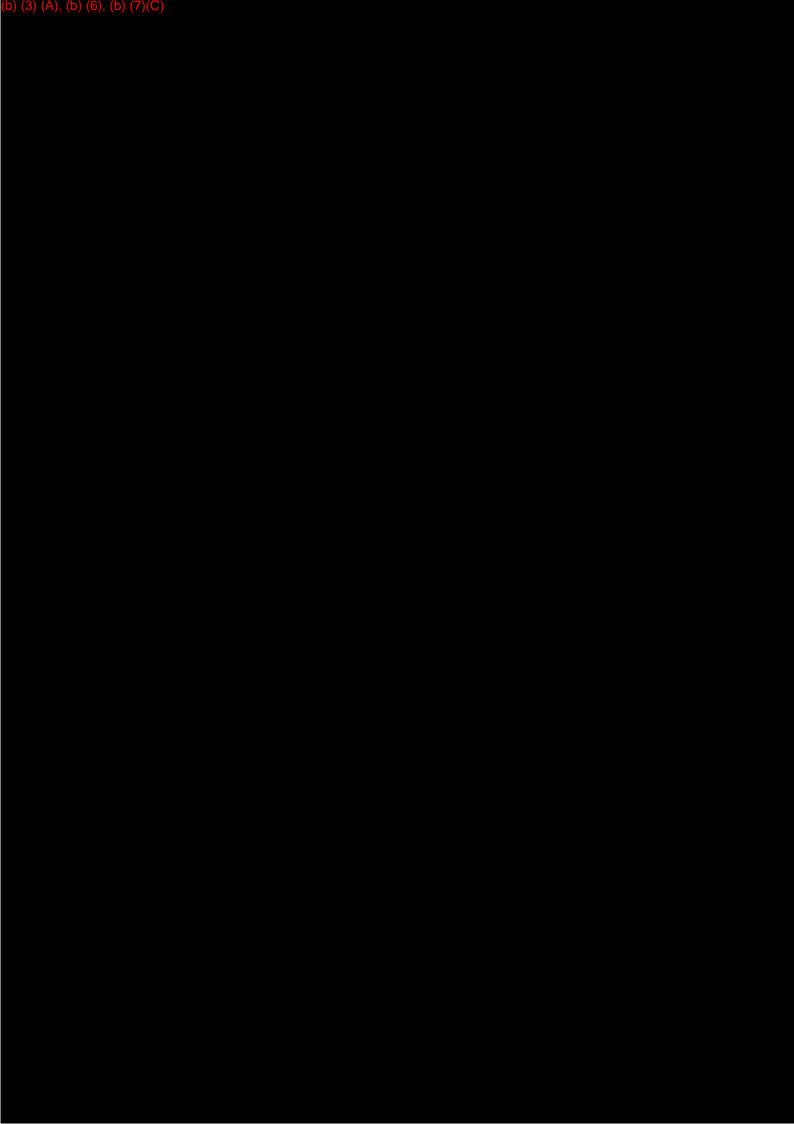


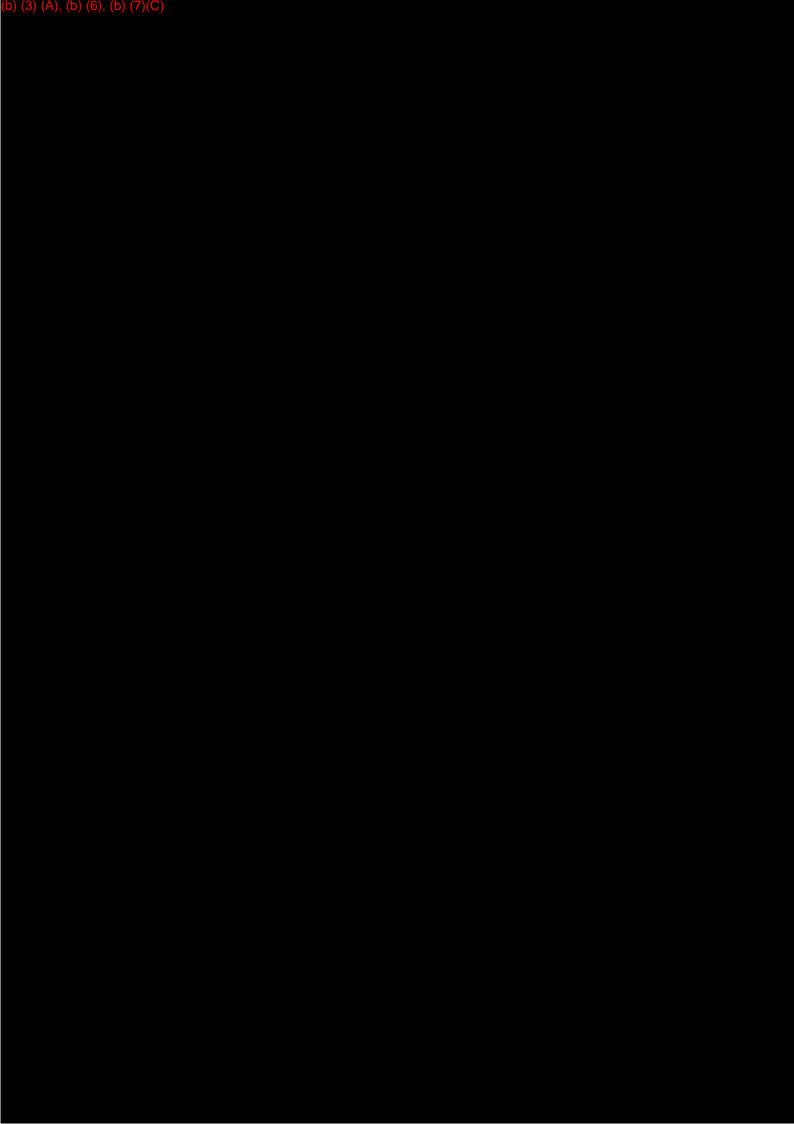


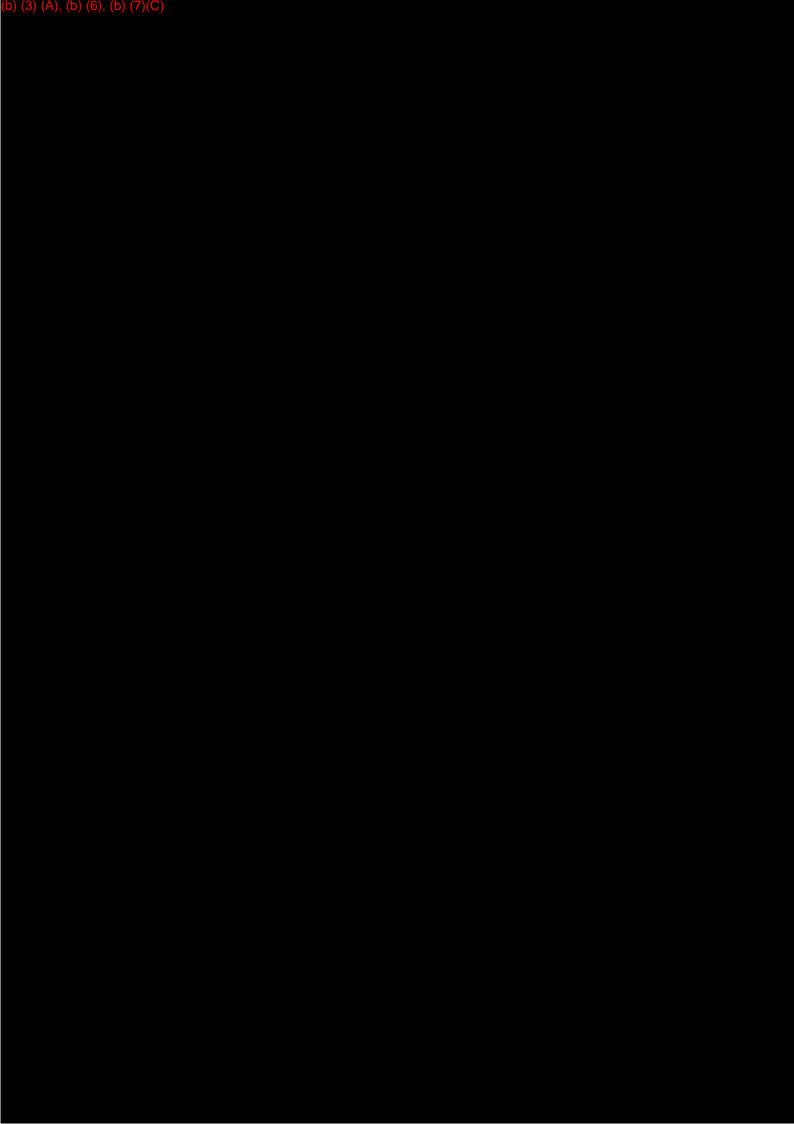


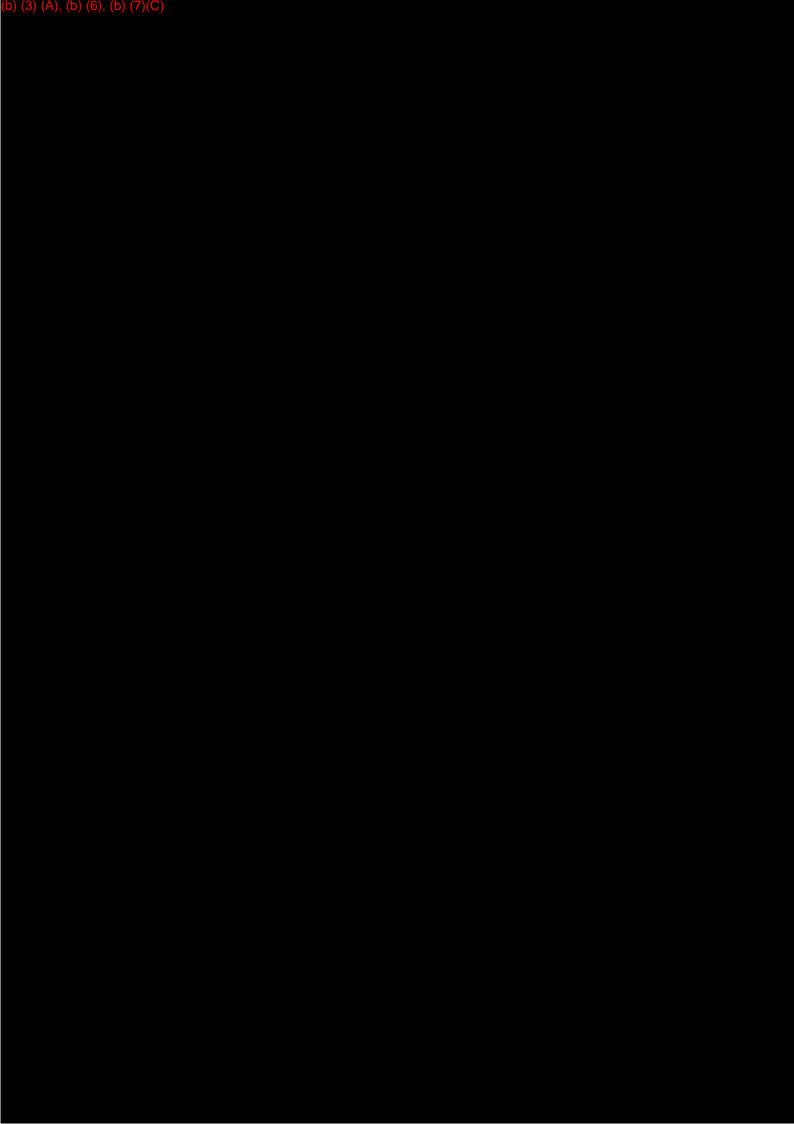


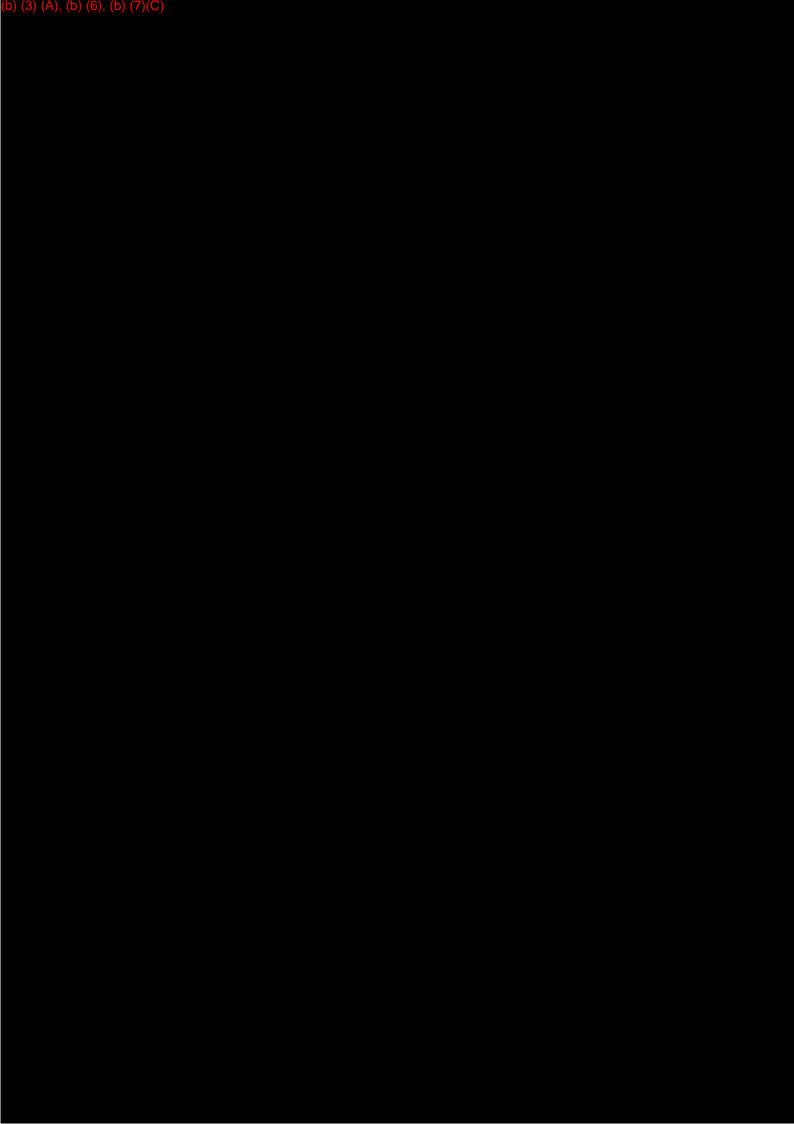


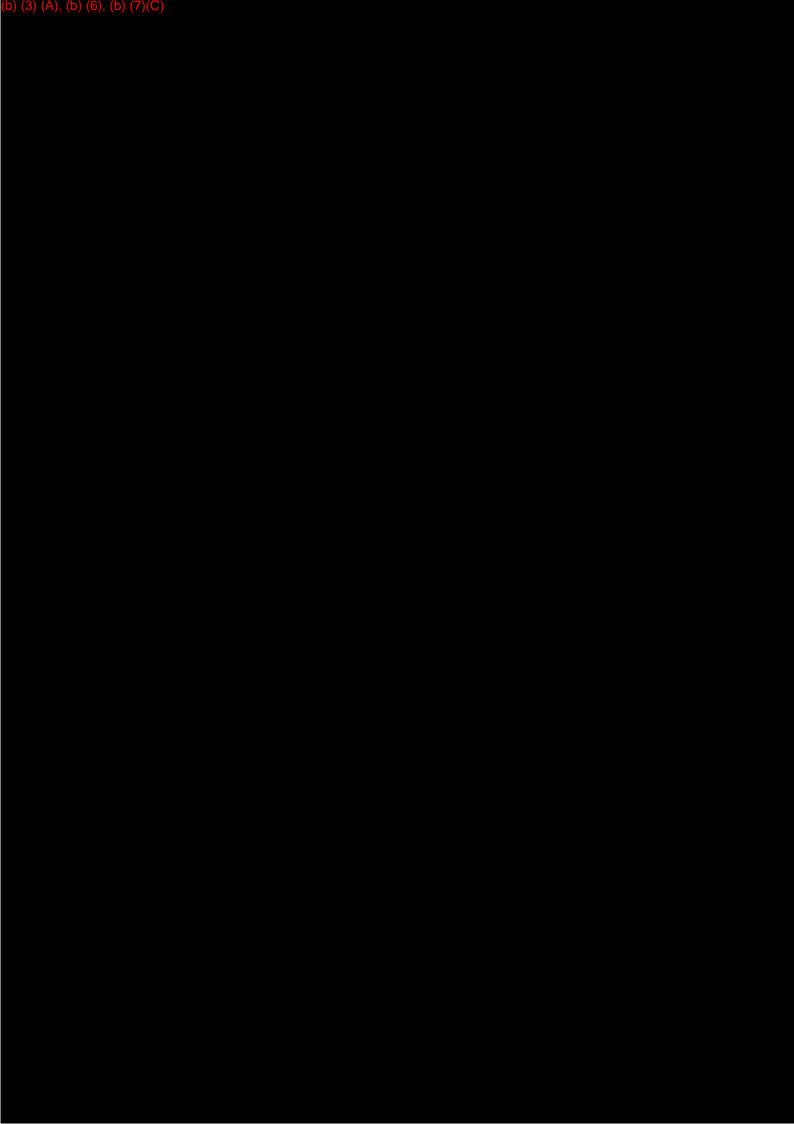


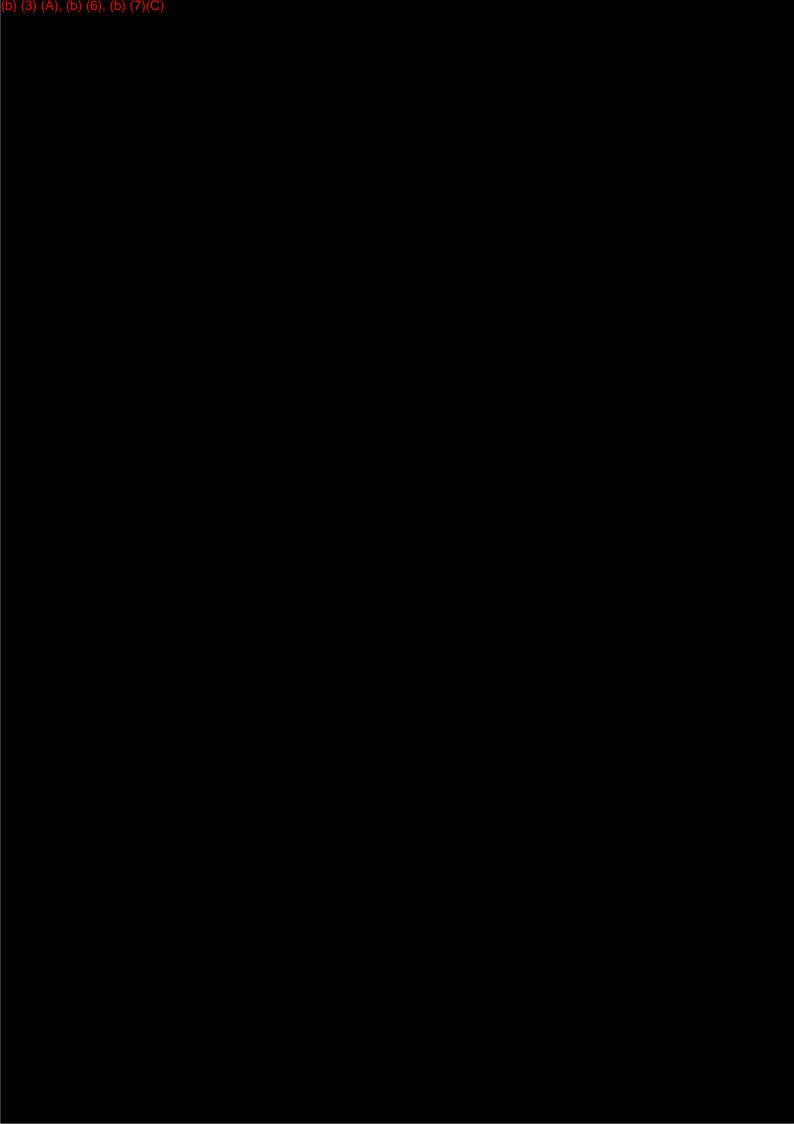


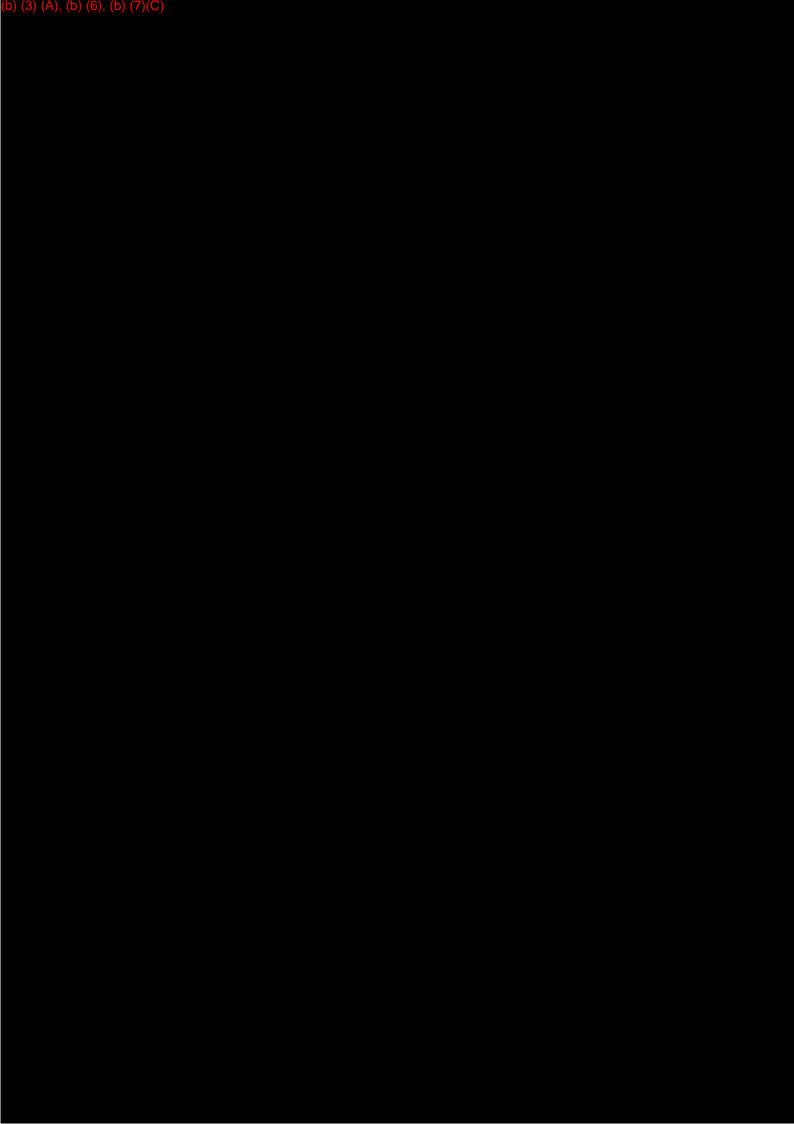


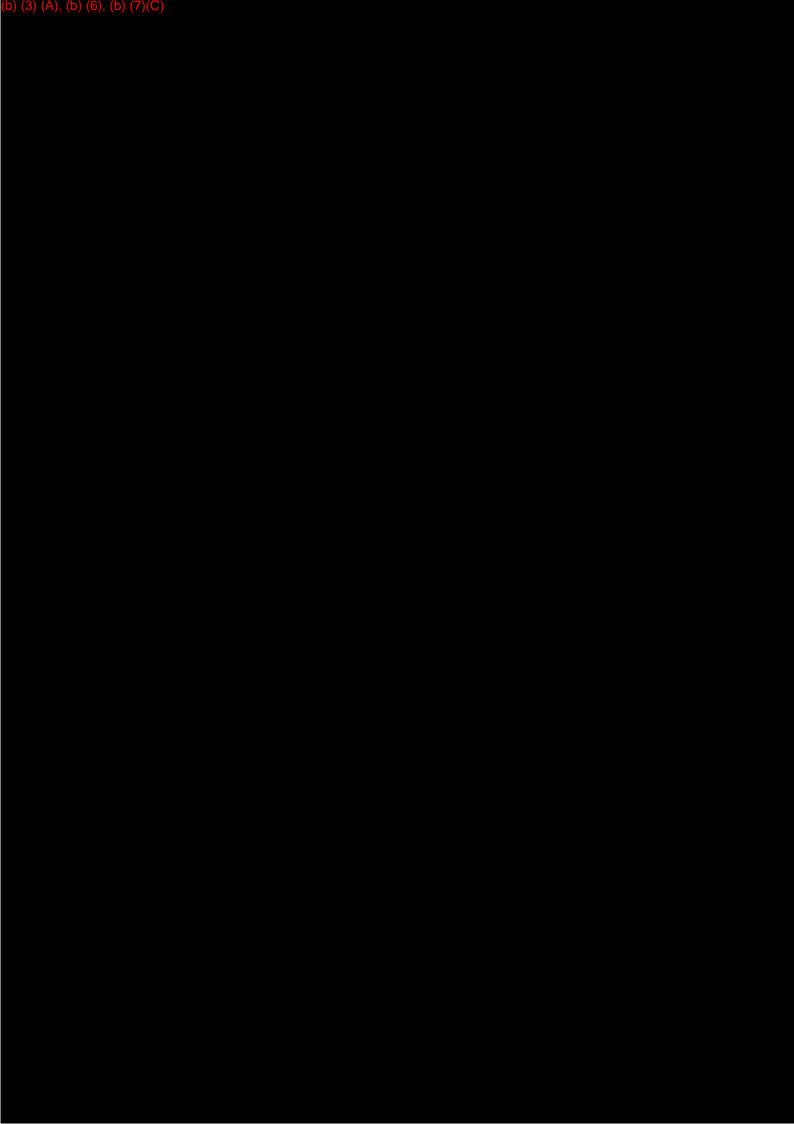


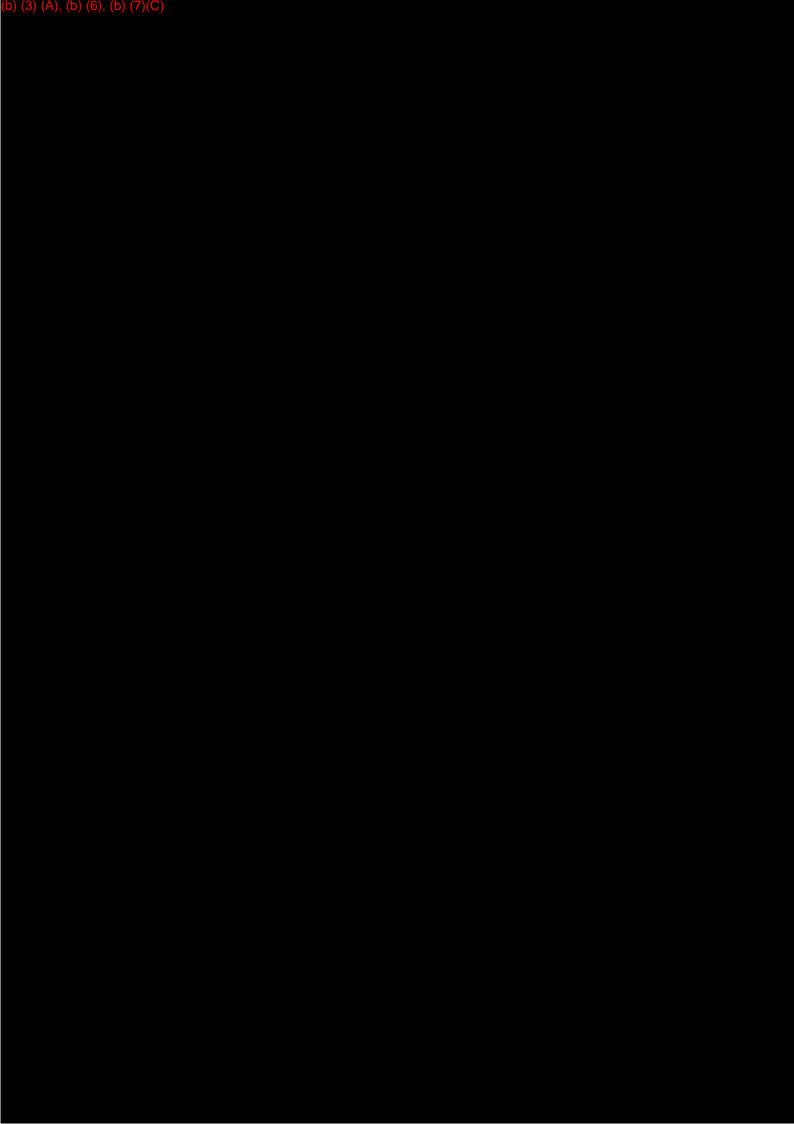


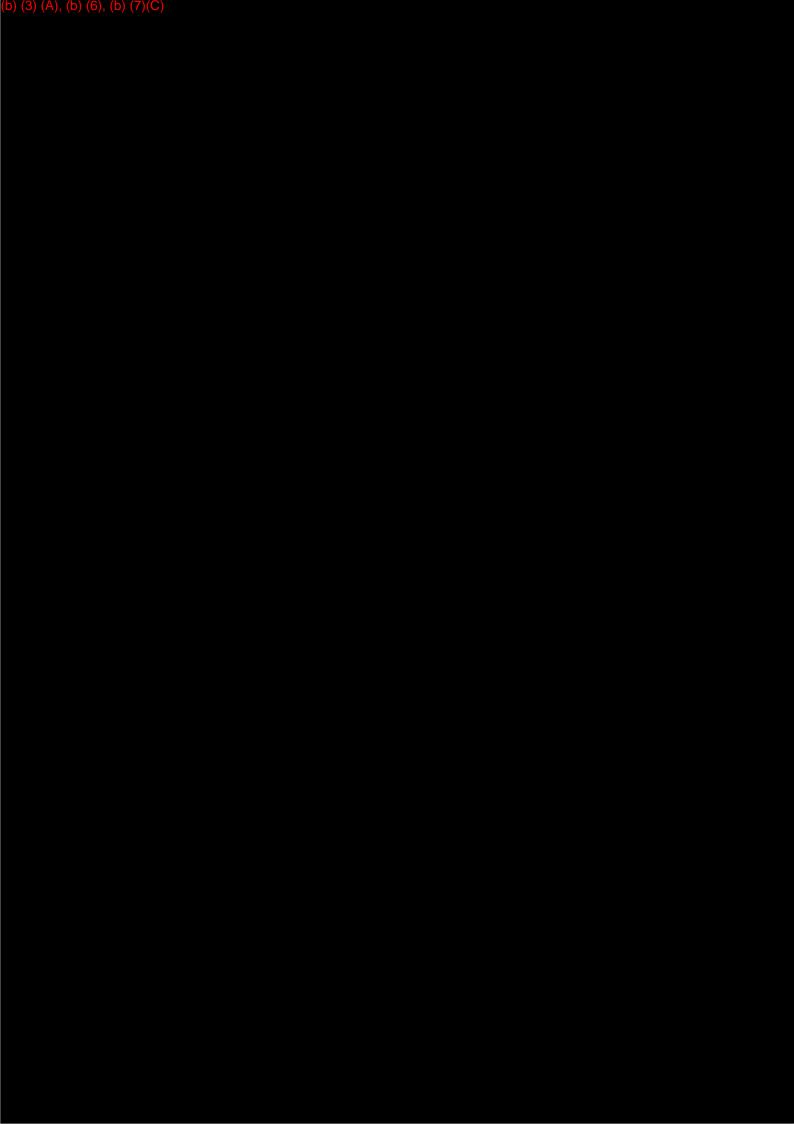


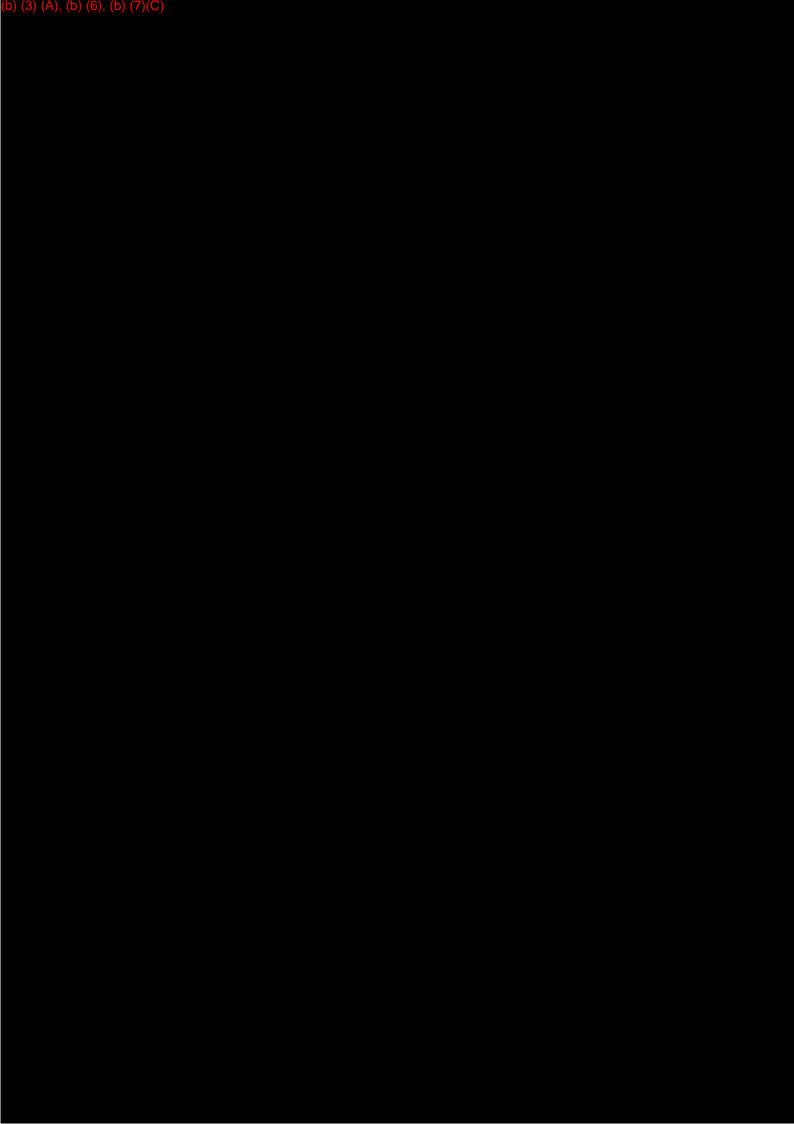


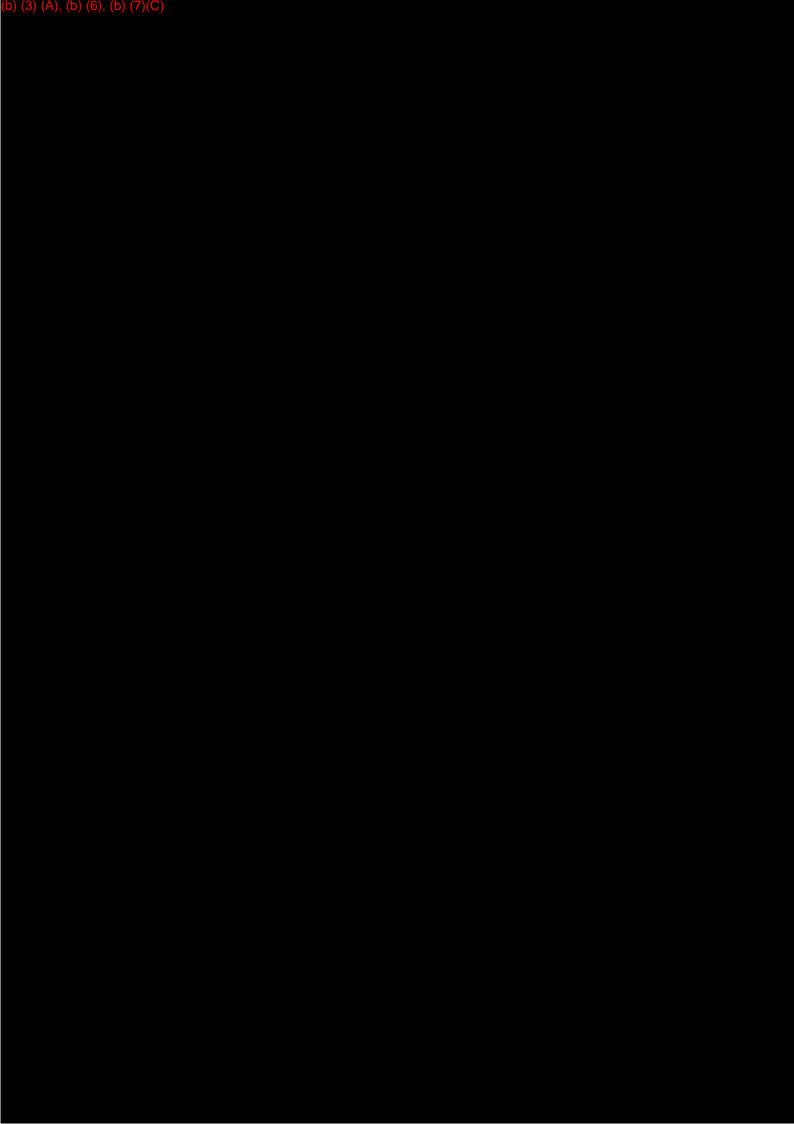












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CLICK2HOUSTON "HS STUDENT ARRESTED" DTD 12 FEB 16

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student arrested after threatening videos posted to social media School beefs up security on campus

(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Reporter

(b) (3) (A),

Published: February 12, 2016, 5:38 pm

Tags: News, Local

MAGNOLIA, Texas – A Magnolia ISD student has been arrested for comments he made in a video that details a plan to shoot students on the campus of (5) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) the Montgomery County Precinct 5 Constable's Office said Friday.

Deputy Constables arrested (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) Thursday night, officials said. (b) (3) has been charged with Terroristic Threat, a felony, according to constables.

Video obtained by KPRC2 shows a person identified as (6) (3) detailing a plan for a school shooting.

"I would walk outside and I would go back to the top of the woods and grab my gun and go back to the bleachers," (b) (3) can be heard and seen saying in the video, which officials said was recorded by other students on campus. He goes on in the video saying, "Three football fields is the length of the way from the top of the bleachers where my shooting position would be and the front door of the high school. Then when the bombs exploded peolple would come running out and I would have a perfect shot."

Magnolia ISD confirmed to KPRC2 that (b) (3) is also enrolled as a student at (b) (3) (A), (b) (5) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) shows, and authorities confirmed, he was a part of the school's junior ROTC program.

Officials said they were investigating a motive, but spoke to (b) (3) who told them the ordeal was a misunderstanding.

also posted a comment that detailed what he said took place. The page was taken down as of Friday morning, but KPRC2 obtained a copy of the post from investigators.

In it, (b) (3) wrote that his alleged plan was part of a conversation with friends on campus about whether a shooting could take place.

"I proceeded to explain how a shooting could easily be done. I told the story in first person... while not knowing I was being recorded," posted. "People who know me know I would never do such a terrible thing."

Parents of students enrolled in (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) said the school district informed them of the threat Thursday night, after it had been thwarted. Still, some had questions about precautions being taken.

"It's a harsh lesson," said (b) (3) (A), (b) who lives near the (b) (3) family and has a son enrolled at (b) (3) (A), (b) She kept her son home Friday, but she said she wished Magnolia ISD alerted parents sooner when officials learned of the threat Thursday.

"I heard about it. I'm still trying to find answers," said (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), whose daughter is in ninth grade.

"I haven't dropped off my daughter yet. I was just checking it out," (b) (3) (A), said.

Both Precinct 5 Constable's Office and Magnolia ISD said campus was safe, noting Deputy Constables along with Montgomery County Sheriff's Office's Crime Reduction Unit searched campus Thursday night, with help from bomb-sniffing K9s.

"The security of our community, students and campus is the utmost priority of our department," said (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b)

Officials said they added additional officers to patrol campus Friday, as a precautions. Parents welcomed the additional support.

"I think it is for a while just till things calm down," said parent (b) (3) (A),

Channel 2 asked Magnolia ISD at what time did district officials know about the threat and when they alerted teachers and parents.

"Since this matter is still under investigation by local law enforcement, I am currently not at liberty to comment further regarding details of the investigation," Director of Communications at Magnolia ISD (b) (3) (A), (b) said in a written statement.

Magnolia ISD released the following statement:

"On Thursday afternoon, February 11, Magnolia ISD administrators were made aware of a video posted by a (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) student. School administrators immediately contacted Precinct 5 of Montgomery County Constable's Office due to the serious nature and the threatening manner of the video. The Constable's Office has thoroughly investigated any potential security threat on campus and has deemed (b) (3) (A), (b) as a secure and safe campus

for our students. The District is working closely with law enforcement as the investigation is still underway. The District wants to make sure our students, parents and staff feel safe on campus so at the request of Magnolia ISD, the constable's office will have an increased presence in and around campus tomorrow. The safety of our students and staff will always remain Magnolia ISD's number one priority. The campus will operate on a regular schedule on Friday."

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#1 Terroristic Threat Sec. 22.07(a)(5); F3°

IN THE NAME AND BY AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Charge

THE UNDERSIGNED ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY for the 9th Judicial District in the County of Montgomery and the State of Texas presents in the District Court of said County that (b) (3) (A), (b) (6). , hereinafter styled Defendant, on or about <u>February 11</u>, 2016 and before making and filing of this information in the County of Montgomery, State of Texas, did then and there intentionally or knowingly threaten to commit an offense involving violence to a person or property, namely, a school shooting a (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) , with intent to place the public or a substantial group of the public in fear of serious bodily injury,

Against the Peace and Dignity of the State.

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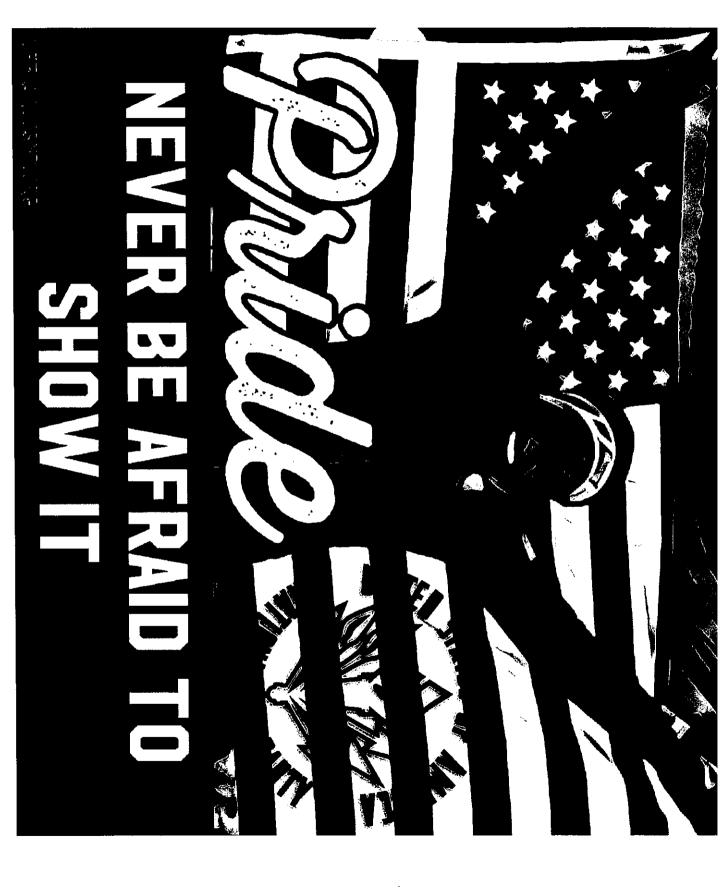
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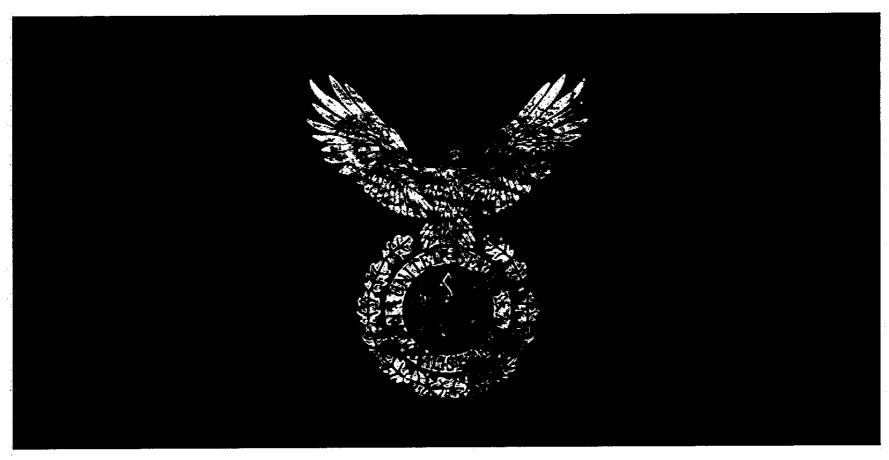
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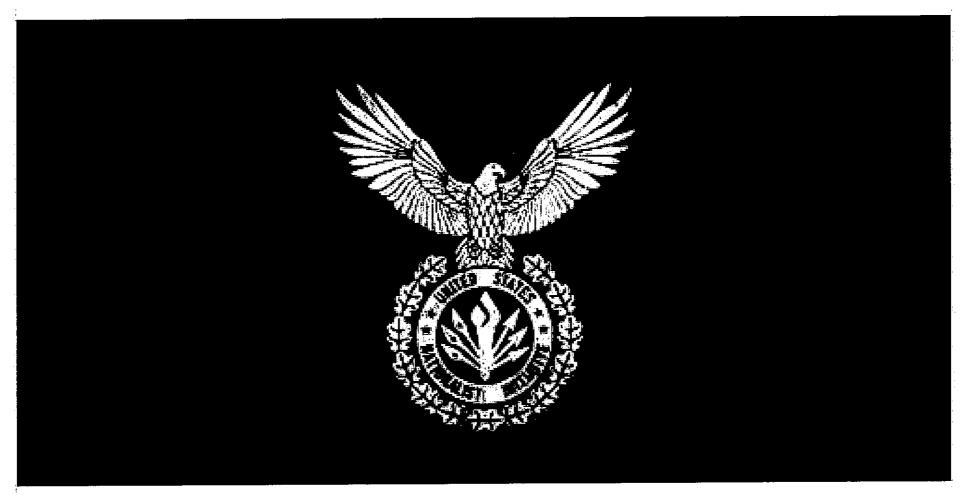
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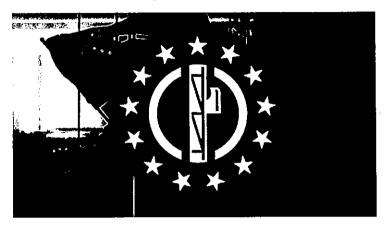






Patriot Front

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Extremist Group Info:

SPLC Designated Hate Group

Date Founded

2017

Location

Texas

Ideology

White Nationalist

Associated Extremist Profiles



Thomas Rousseau

Dallas, Texas

Patriot Front is an image-obsessed organization that rehabilitated the explicitly fascist agenda of Vanguard America with garish patriotism. Patriot Front focuses on theatrical rhetoric and activism that can be easily distributed as propaganda for its chapters across the country.

In its own words

"The time of the Republic has passed in America as the system grows too weak to perform its duty. ... The damage done to this nation and its people will not be fixed if every issue requires the approval and blessing from the dysfunctional American democratic system. Democracy has failed in this once great nation."

- Patriot Front manifesto.
- "The American Identity was something uniquely forged in the struggle that our ancestors waged to survive in this new continent. ... To be an American is to realize this identity and take up the national struggle upon one's shoulders. Not simply by birth is one granted this title but by the degree to which he works and fulfills the potential of his birth."
- Patriot Front manifesto.
- "An African, for example, may have lived, worked, and even been classed as a citizen in America for centuries, yet he is not American. He is, as he likely prefers to be labelled, an African in America. The same rule applies to others who are not of the founding stock of our people as well as to those who do not share the common unconscious that permeates throughout our greater civilization, and the European diaspora."
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- "America our nation stands before an existential threat. The lives of your children, and your children's children, and your prosperity beyond that, dangle above a den of vipers. A corrupt rootless, global, and tyrannical elite has usurped your democracy and turned it into a weapon, first to enslave and then to replace you."
- University of Texas at Austin demonstration, November 3, 2017.

Background

Patriot Front (PF) is a white nationalist hate group that formed in the aftermath of the deadly "Unite the Right" rally in Charlottesville, Virginia, of August 12, 2017. The organization broke off from Vanguard America (VA), a neo-Nazi group that participated in the chaotic demonstration. PF's founder, Thomas Rousseau, led VA members during "Unite the Right," including James Alex Fields, Jr., the young man accused of murdering anti-racist protester Heather Heyer after fatally driving his vehicle into a crowd of protesters.

Rousseau and his loyalists broke away from VA after a months-long feud with VA's leader Dillon Irizarry. Excerpts from leaked internal communications that were later posted to a number of online forums, including <u>Kiwi Farms</u>, reveal that tensions between Irizarry and Rousseau were coming to a head as early as June 2017.

On June 20th, Thomas underhandedly and deceitfully exiled me from all of the Vanguard discord servers that HE controlled due to "security reasons". ... I logged off of discord and when I got back on an hour later I was banned from every single server, including the women's server. It was a literal coup with the guise that I left to handle family matters. So Thomas literally assumed control and is now cobbling and holding vanguard together with the fragile scaffolding of a lie and deception. He had been working out the plan for weeks, if not months, slowly taking the most miniscule steps under false pretenses such as "security" or "ease". ... He had already basically assumed control over Vanguard even before the large Austin event happened. He even went so far as you tell the coordinator of the event that HE was leading vanguard which is why he gave a 10 minute



speech about bullshit and when I went up there to give MY speech some people were confused. So this was all a very lengthy and elaborate plan for an 18 year old kid to treasonously assume control of a disgruntled internet group so he could accomplish....nothing. Thomas did all this of his own accord. Thomas is a traitor and should be regarded as such. — Dillon Irizarry, CEO/leader of Vanguard America

PF's formal break from VA came amidst a movement-wide debate over the effectiveness of public demonstrations and the issue of optics in the wake of "Unite the Right," which resulted in widespread condemnation from the mainstream public. In the midst of this contentious feud, Rousseau formally broke with VA on August 30, 2017, just 18 days after the rally, in an announcement posted to the VA's southern region Discord server.

Due to the unwillingness to meet any semblance of a compromise to resolve ongoing disputes with disagreeing parties, we are rebranding and reorganizing as a new entity. Vanguard America, as you know it, will now be the "Patriots Front." ... Our website is under construction, and will be back online via the same domain. Our focus will remain much the same, as will our overal [sic] goals, this restructuring will happen alongside the creation of an extended manifesto, and a top-down reform of the entity's ranking system. ... This change comes alongside many new visuals, and a new overall look. The new name was carefully chosen, as it serves several purposes. It can help inspire sympathy among those more inclined to fence-sitting, and can be easily justified to our ideaology [sic] and worldview. The original American patriots were nothing short of revolutionaries. The word patriot itself comes from the same root as paternal and patriarch. It means loyalty to something intrinsically based in blood.

Rousseau's conscious rebranding under the banner of PF was a direct consequence of "Unite the Right" organizers' inability to control the rally's presentation. Swastikas and other Nazi-era imagery was prominent among attendees who were also chanting slogans such as "Jews will not replace us." PF was one of a number of hate groups that sought to recast itself as mainstream, patriotic Americans by dressing up their propaganda and rhetoric in Americana.

PF's manifesto makes frequent reference to American historical figures, casting its politics as a revival of an allegedly authentic American identity based on "pan-European" colonizers. As Rousseau notes in his internal announcement of the organization's split with VA, PF's rebranding was aesthetic, not ideological. The group's politics remain staunchly white nationalist, albeit less explicitly.

PF's manifesto states, "Our people must learn to internalize their natural identities and come to connect that re-emerging identity with their homeland. Americans are descendants of Europeans, but at the same time they are not European. This nation is unique in its newly realized pan-European identity which has allowed it to succeed."

The manifesto continues with a call for the formation of a white ethnostate.

"The state has long since ceased to advocate for the interests of the descendants of its creators, and thus a State which will be, above all else, a reflection of the national interest must be implemented fully and absolutely."

PF's manifesto is also explicit in its exclusion of people of color from its conception of pan-European identity:

An African, for example, may have lived, worked, and even been classed as a citizen in America for centuries, yet he is not American. He is, as he likely prefers to be labelled, an African in America. The same rule applies to others who are not of the founding stock of our people as well as to those who do not share the common unconscious that permeates throughout our greater civilization, and the European diaspora.



PF frequently inveighs against "replacement populations," meaning any non-white resident, immigrant or refugee, as a direct threat to its mission. Its manifesto accuses these often vulnerable communities as a threat to so-called pan-European culture. PF asserts, "The nation will see the thin veneer of civilization begin to wane as resources are diverted from them to the replacement population."

Roughly a dozen members of PF turned this xenophobic platform into <u>street activism</u> at a San Antonio, Texas, Immigration and Customs Enforcement detention center on July 28, 2018. PF members marched up to an "Occupy ICE" protest encampment chanting "Strong nations, strong borders" before filming themselves vandalizing the protesters' tents and signs. Rousseau, who is based in Texas, was among PF members filmed in the encounter.

PF's activism typically consists of anonymously posting flyers, dropping banners off buildings or overpasses or performing miscellaneous acts of public service such as park cleanups. When PF orchestrates protests or public appearances, they are typically tightly choreographed and scripted to maximize propaganda value. Virtually all its activities are undertaken with propaganda value in mind.

Such was the case at a PF demonstration at the University of Texas at Austin on November 3, 2017, with roughly 30 members gathering around a statue of George Washington on campus with torches and flares while Rousseau delivered a speech stating, "America our nation stands before an existential threat. The lives of your children, and your children's children, and your prosperity beyond that, dangle above a den of vipers. A corrupt, rootless, global, and tyrannical elite has usurped your democracy and turned it into a weapon, first to enslave and then to replace you."

In a similarly theatrical performance, members of PF besieged a group of Houston anarchists at a book fair at the Multicultural Education through the Arts community center on September 24, 2017. A group attending a seminar on "refusing fascism" titled "Punching Nazis" barricaded themselves in the building while masked members of PF and local affiliates of the neo-Nazi website the Daily Stormer and the white nationalist radio network The Right Stuff lit flares and chanted outside the building.

Rousseau maintains strict control over PF. Members are barred from holding membership with any rival organization and must regularly engage in activism — such as posting flyers in their local communities — or risk expulsion. Members' typically mundane local activism is then distributed across PF's social media accounts alongside ostentatious quotes from PF's manifesto.

The group's top-down discipline and brand consistency have found success while many peer groups have struggled to maintain relevance. The fallout from "Unite the Right" left many other white nationalist groups completely alienated from mainstream politics. PF, through its garish patriotism, has also managed to rehabilitate the explicitly fascist agenda of VA with a foothold on major social media platforms for a nationwide membership.





Patriot Front



Key Points

- Patriot Front is a white supremacist group whose members maintain that their ancestors conquered America and bequeathed it solely to them.
- Patriot Front espouses racism, anti-Semitism and intolerance under the guise of preserving the "ethnic and cultural origins" of their European ancestors.
- Patriot Front spreads their hateful propaganda via the Internet and by distributing banners, fliers, posters and stickers.
- Patriot Front participates in localized "flash mobs" and torch marches/demonstrations.

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"America is our nation, passed down to us by our fathers, and so long as we live, the enemies of our people will not stand unopposed." Patriot Front, Twitter, November 6, 2017

"This nation is the property of the founding stock and no one else." Braxton Bragg, Twitter, October 1, 2017

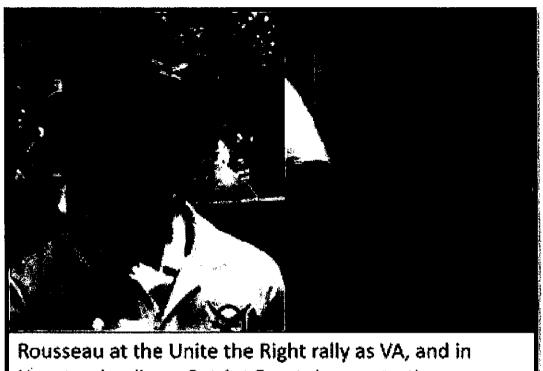
"The American Identity is not merely given upon birth, it is seized through the potential of one's blood, and the extent to which they fulfill their natural duty to their people." Patriot Front, Gab.ai, October 1, 2017

"The American identity was forged in a struggle between civilizations that ended in victory for our ancestors." Patriot Front, Twitter, September 17, 2017

Origins

Patriot Front is a Texas-based alt right group led by 19-year-old Thomas Ryan Rousseau. The group split from Vanguard America (VA) in late August 2017, several months after VA participated in a white supremacist rally on the capitol steps in Austin, Texas. Both Rousseau, as the Texas leader, and Dillon Hopper (aka Dillon Irizarry), as the group's national leader, spoke during the event. Hopper later complained that Rousseau had led event organizers to believe that Rousseau, rather than Hopper, was VA's leader, and that Rousseau's lengthy speech during the rally further confused people about the group's true leader.

Two days after the Austin rally, Rousseau began his takeover of the group's servers and its "bloodandsoil.org" website. In an exchange that was posted on Twitter,



Houston leading a Patriot Front demonstration.

Hopper explained, "On June 20, Thomas underhandedly and deceitfully exiled me from all Vanguard discord servers that HE controlled due to 'security reasons.' I logged off...and when I got back an hour later I was banned from every single server, including the women's server. It was literally a coup with the guise that I left to handle family matters."

Just a few weeks later, with Hopper conspicuously absent, Rousseau led several dozen Vanguard America Texas members and associates at the August 12th "Unite the Right" rally in Charlottesville, Virginia. Though Rousseau led the Unite the Right contingent, it was Hopper who faced derision in the rally's aftermath as event images showed that James Alex Fields Jr., who is accused of plowing his car into a group of counter-protesters and killing Heather Heyer, participated in the event standing shoulder-to-shoulder with Vanguard America, and carrying a shield bearing the group's fascist symbol. VA has denied that Fields was ever a member of their group.

In late August, as Hopper isolated himself from the fallout from Unite the Right, Rousseau seized the moment. Rather than take over the troubled

America, he opted to rebrand VA's "bloodandsoil.org" as the Patriot Front website. The move allowed those associated with Patriot Front to distance themselves from both Vanguard America and any association with James Field. Ironically, the bulk of those who defected to Rousseau's Patriot Front were those who attended "Unite the Right" under the Vanguard America umbrella.

American Nationalism

Leadership disputes aside, the split between Vanguard America and Patriot Front is symptomatic of the divergent opinions among white supremacists about optics and how to best promote their cause to the public. Rousseau's camp prefers to promote "American Nationalism" and advocate for a racist ideology that appeals to conservatives, using ostensibly unifying symbols like the American flag. In that same vein, Patriot Front uses an image of a fasces, the original symbol of fascism (a bundle of sticks featuring an axe) encircled by thirteen stars as "an American symbol of revolutionary spirit."

They also use the American flag during demonstrations, and often wear American flag-themed masks or bandanas.

After the split, one Patriot Front member posted on the alternative social media network Gab, "There is room for multiple iconography [SIC] as long as it's rooted in Americana. You can have a proper patriotic organizational flag alongside old glory. The issue is the folks among us demeaning the sacrifice of our ancestors and denouncing this nation as never being valid or moral." He also wrote, "We have been advocating for American Nationalism for a while. Unfortunately, our imagery with VA didn't facilitate it. When we in leadership split from VA we went full on American Fascism/Nationalism to great success."

"In spite of all the ink that has been spilled about American nationalism, Patriot Front is the only group in the United States that is incorporating it into their activism." Patriot Front, Gab.ai, November 12, 2017

"A new organization called Patriot Front has launched which has a much more

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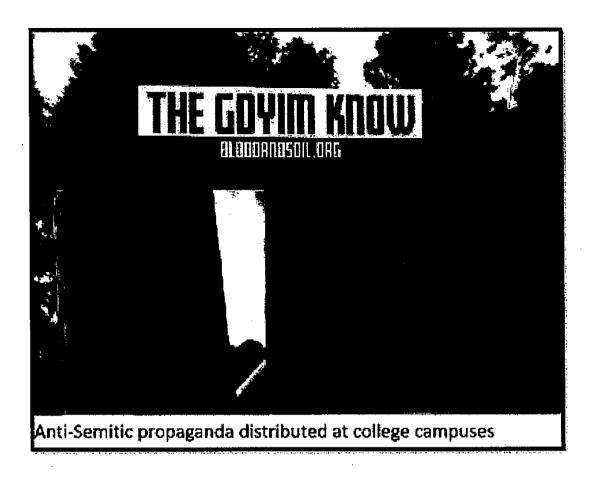
nuanced take on American nationalism. It draws a critical distinction between the American state and the American nation." Patriot Front, Gab.ai, October 11, 2017

"People are conflating the concept of a true Nation with the current dysfunctional government we have. A nation is Blood and Soil not a proposition." Braxton Bragg, Twitter, September 3, 2017

Anti-Semitism

They may have split from Vanguard America, a group known for directly targeting Jewish institutions with hateful propaganda, but Patriot Front hasn't abandoned their anti-Semitism. The organization has distributed anti-Semitic fliers promoting Patriot Fronton college campuses around the country.

ENCLOSURE 1



In October 2017, someone placed a Patriot Front sticker on the glass door of a Jewish educational institution in Los Angeles. The sticker read "The Goyim Know," a reference to an anti-Semitic trope about Jews trying to keep non-Jews "in the dark" about their plans for world domination. A week later, the same institution was targeted by a second Patriot Front flier, this one bearing symbols of Islam and Judaism and the words "Reject the False Dichotomy. Both Must Go."

Another Patriot Front flier, which depicts two hands representing Jews and communists taking over America, has been disseminated widely.

Anti-Semitic online rhetoric is common among Patriot Front members and associates, and has included the use of "ZOG," a white supremacist acronym for "Zionist Occupied Government" which reflects the popular white supremacist belief that the U.S. government is controlled by Jews. Members have also used "1488," a combination of two popular white supremacist numeric symbols (14 is shorthand for the "14 words," a white supremacist slogan, and 88 stands for HH, or Heil Hitler.)



Anti-Semitism in their own words:

- "Patriot Front's new video was of course kiked by YouTube." Patriot Front,
 Gab.ia, December 1, 2017
- "Jews aren't white, try again. It's typical for parasitic Jews to claim race doesn't exist because it benefits you. A rootless, atomized race of indistinguishable mocha colored brown people are what you seek. We're on to you kike." Braxton Bragg, Gab.ia, December 1, 2017
- "Happy Veterans Day to my fellow Veterans and yes... I know we fought for ZOG and all that." Braxton Bragg, Twitter, November 11, 2017
- "14 & 88 #two reasons I get out of bed. Washington Front spent election night spreading awareness to our cause. This nation was conquered, not stolen."
 Washington Front, Twitter, November 8, 2017
- "The international Jewish community has an undeniable, predominant role in assisting and promoting the factions that most viciously attack the moral and ethical foundations of America, and in eroding the financial bulwarks against globalism." Patriot Front, Twitter, November 11, 2017.
- "We are the opposite of all the left stands for, so I'll agree with you for simplicity's sake. What we stand for transcends simple modern left/right dogma, which is essentially an economic dispute between two sides of the same Jew coin." Braxton Bragg, Gab.ai, November 26, 2017

- "We acknowledge the disproportionate and detrimental influence of the rootless Jewish community in America, and seek to counteract them."
 Patriot Front, Twitter, October 29, 2017
- "Deconstruction of a Western ideological or spiritual concept is the very essence of the modern Jewish worldview." Braxton Bragg, Gab.ai, October 10, 2017
- "Speaking out against the disproportionate influence of Jews in America is always met with wild opposition. Such reaction is proof enough." Patriot Front, Twitter, October 3, 2017
- "This take-a-knee thing is like a litmus test so Jews can see how many whites they have control over. Don't kneel. Be a patriot. Stand proud." Billy Merse, retweeted Will Wilmot, September 27, 2017
- "Our goals do not end with a candidate in an office or a bill signed into law.
 Our horizon is set on absolute victory." Patriot Front, Twitter, September 19,
 2017



 "Our people build and create by nature, and will destroy absolutely the threats to our existence and prosperity." Patriot Front, Twitter, September 15, 2017 (tweet included flyer image right)

Additional Activity

Patriot Front is active online and uses social media to promote racism, anti-Semitism and intolerance, but they are also part of a broader effort by white supremacists to move from their longtime roles as online provocateurs to realworld activists. Real-world activism generates the group's desired localized outrage and media attention, as well as images and videos, which can be used to generate self-promoting and graphic online content.

Patriot Front's most frequent form of activism has been the distribution of racist and anti-Semitic propaganda on college campuses and in various communities in at least 12 different states. As of December 13, 2017, the Anti-Defamation League has counted 37 incidents in which Patriot Front flyers, banners or stickers were posted on campuses. Most of the incidents occurred in Texas, where the bulk of the group's membership resides, but Patriot Front propaganda has also been distributed in states as far-flung as California, Delaware, Florida, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey, North Carolina, Ohio, Utah and Washington.

Patriot Front members have participated in localized flash mob demonstrations in Texas alongside Daily Stormer's virulently anti-Semitic activist Robert Warren Ray (aka Azzmador), as well as other small alt-right groups such as the Whomsters and Houston Goylers. During these flash demonstrations, Patriot Front members generally wear khaki pants and a blue or white polo shirt; many also wear masks. The group, intensely focused on "optics," has used attention- grabbing smoke bombs, signal flares and torches during their demonstrations. Members routinely chant, "Blood and Soil," a slogan with origins in Nazi Germany that Patriot Front uses to conflate white European identity with American soil.

In addition to distributing propaganda, members also participate in private meetups, which routinely involve a physical fitness element like sparring or hiking.

The group's internet propaganda stresses physical training and includes images
of members boxing, coupled with phrases like "Become war" and "Train with your
friends. Fight your enemies."

"Train hard, gents. The enemies of white America are always looking for weaknesses. Show them nothing but strength and malice." Talos Fashcoran, Twitter, November 25, 2017

"When fascists are more willing to punch fascists than Antifa is, you know you're winning." Sam Uwell Haidid, Twitter, November 24, 2017

"Train, organize, act, and fight when necessary. Show no mercy to your weaknesses, just as your enemies will show none to you." Patriot Front, Twitter, September 27, 2017

Recent examples of activism:

Laguna Beach, California, December 10, 2017: Several Patriot Front members participated in an anti-immigration demonstration. They held a banner that read, "Deport them all. America is our birthright."



Chicago, Illinois, December 7, 2017: Several Patriot Front members and associates shouted, "blood and soil" during a rally protesting Trump's decision to recognize Jerusalem as the capital of Israel. They later displayed a banner on a Chicago overpass that read, "Deport them all."

Los Angeles, California, December 6, 2017: Two white males dressed in utility worker uniforms hung a banner on the Mulholland bridge:, "Americans are white.

The rest must go."

Rockville, Maryland, November 12, 2017: Patriot Front flyers were pasted to the door and mailbox of the Montgomery County Republican Party Headquarters.

Austin, Texas, November 5, 2017: Patriot Front members and associates lit flares during a demonstration in front of a bookstore they described as a communist gathering place.

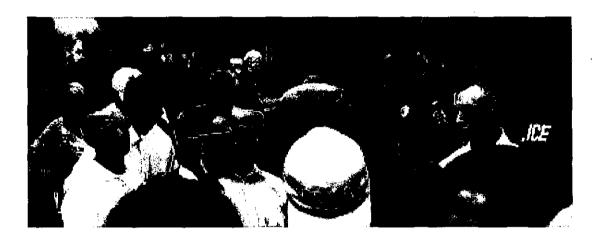


Austin, Texas, November 4, 2017: Approximately 25 Patriot Front members and associates, wearing masks and carrying burning torches, demonstrated in front of the George Washington statue at the University of Texas.



Austin, Texas, October 26, 2017: A Patriot Front "white families matter" banner was posted at Texas State University.

Gainesville, Florida, October 19, 2017: Members of Patriot Front (seen in the image below wearing white shirts and sunglasses) assisted with event ticket distribution and private security at Richard Spencer's speaking appearance at the University of Florida.



Los Angeles, California, October 17, 2017: Members unfurled a banner over the Skirball exit of the 405 freeway that read, "RESURRECTION THROUGH INSURRECTION."

Houston, Texas, October 2, 2017: A Patriot front banner that read, "For race and nation" was displayed on a Houston overpass.

Dallas, Texas, October 1, 2017: A Patriot Front banner was hung from a Dallas overpass that read, "Take a knee, back in Africa."

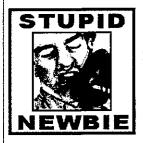
Houston, Texas, September 24, 2017: Twenty-nine members of Patriot Front, Daily Stormer book clubs, Whomsters and Houston Goylers gathered outside a Houston Anarchist Book Fair where they unfurled a "Blood and Soil" banner, used smoke bombs, and chanted phrases such as "Blood and Soil," "F**k you faggots," and "anti-White."





September 18, 2017, Austin, Texas: A Patriot Front banner that read, "Unite the White" was hung from an overpass in Austin.





looks like a gay fascist was recruited as the face of the United States Nationalist Party.



currently the USNP is rebranding as the United States Nationalist Initiative, this name change happened within the last 3 days. https://www.officialusnp.org are the same sites. their facebook still has USNP branded images, but they've deleted hundreds of incredibly racist and antisemitic calls to literal murder from their comments, their facebook still has anti-LGBT propaganda uploaded, and has rehashed patriot front memes.

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they're moving fast, they're optics aware and they're operating in the nyc area which is how they popped up on my radar.

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HOW TO REPORT

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Super PACs are independent expenditure-only political committees that may receive <u>unlimited contributions</u> from individuals, corporations, labor unions and other political action committees for the purpose of financing <u>independent expenditures</u> and other independent political activity. The committee will not use those funds to make contributions, whether direct, in-kind or via coordinated communications, to federal candidates or committees.

Registering as a Super PAC

Super PACs file a Statement of Organization (Form 1) to register with the FEC.

HOW TO REPORT Registering a nonconnected committee

In addition to filing the Form 1, Super PACs also submit a letter stating:

The committee intends to make independent expenditures, and consistent with the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit decision in SpeechNow v. FEC, it therefore intends to raise funds in unlimited amounts. This committee will not use those funds to make contributions, whether direct, in-kind, or via coordinated communications, to federal candidates or committees.

Paper filers submit this information as a <u>letter</u> with the committee's information.

Electronic filers can submit this letter as memo text added to a Form 1 submission using the FEC's Form 1 webform.

(b) (3) (A), (b)

In October 2018, while aboard Camp Pendleton, California, and following the completion of Battalion Field Exercise (FEX) 1, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), the Combined Anti-Armor Team (CAAT) Platoon Sergeant at the time, brought to the attention of (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), the Weapons Company First Sergeant, that o) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) an(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) assigned to the CAAT Platoon, had taken a photo of himself during Battalion FEX 1 and had posted this photo on his personal Facebook page. In addition, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) had written a note with the posting of the image that equated to disrespect towards the Non-Commissioned Officers (NCO) in his platoon. I do not recall exactly what he wrote, but it was something to the effect that he was smarter than his NCOs. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (3) (A), and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) the CAAT Platoon Commander who was then a Second Lieutenant, brought the issue to me. I initially validated that he had signed the appropriate Page 11 entry that all Marines were required to read and sign stating that they are aware of the Marine Corps' social media policy. After review of the situation, I directed (b) (3) (A), (b) to counsel (b) (3) (A), (b) (b) (3) and have the post removed immediately. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) was directed to counsel (b) (3) concerning both having his phone in the field when he was not authorized to do so, as well as the disrespectful nature of his post towards his NCOs. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) reported completion of the counseling to myself. Of note, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), has since departed the battalion and is now assigned to Marine Security Guard.

In August 2019, while aboard Camp Pendleton, California, (b) (3) (A), (6 the current Platoon Sergeant for CAAT Platoon 1, and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) brought to (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) was a member of, and appeared to be the and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) brought the questionable Facebook group that host of as well. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) brought the information to myself, and also informed me of an article they had found that covered a suspension from high school that (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) had received for being filmed suggesting he tactically was capable of causing mass destruction to the members of his high school. I reviewed the content of the Facebook group that was open to the public as well as the news article. Upon review, I pulled [0] [3] (OMPF) and validated that he had signed the contract form required of all Marines concerning participation in gangs, extremist organizations or activities. I then validated that his contract in his OMPF showed documentation that the Marine Corps was aware of his suspension for suggesting threats of violence to his high school on camera. Following a review of his OMPF, I called (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), a peer of mine who had recently transitioned to the reserves upon completion of his active duty time as a Marine lawyer. I sought (b) (3) (A), (b) legal advice concerning whether the Facebook group that (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) appeared to be the host of violated any Marine (6), (b) s participation in an extremist Corps policies, specifically if it constituted organization. (b) (3) (A), (b) after reviewing the content of the Facebook group that is open to the public, recommended that (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) be counseled concerning how others could perceive the group as an extremist organization and direct him to remove himself from the group. I then sat down with (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) the Battalion Commander, and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) Battalion Sergeant Major, and provided them with the information contained in this statement. Following a discussion with (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) I was directed by to proceed in the manner suggested by I then directed 🛄 to counsel(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) on the perception that and the Facebook group provided and to direct him to remove himself from the Facebook group. Both

(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) reported back to me that they had counseled (b) (3) (b) (3) (A), (b) and he had removed himself from the Facebook group.

In September 2019, while Weapons Company was executing training at the Infantry Immersion Trainer on Camp Pendleton, California, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), informed myself and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6). That (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) had shown disrespect to an NCO in his platoon during the day's training by telling the NCO, who had requested that (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) cease speaking of politics, that he if he didn't want to hear he could go somewhere else. Due to his previous insubordination, I personally counseled (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) and issued him a negative reprimand in the form of a Page 11 report.

Since the issuance of this negative reprimand in September 2019, I have not been informed of any negative performance or insubordination by (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b)

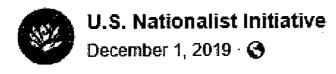
In each instance above, I believed that (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) s conduct would have caused a disruption to good order and discipline within my company had the actions taken to both counsel and reprimand his behavior not occurred.

Please let me know if I or anyone within my company can be of further assistance to your investigation.

Semper Fi,

(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b)

Weapons Company Commander Battalion Landing Team 1/5 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit



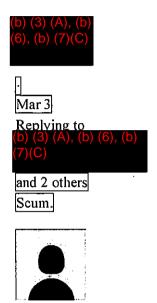
'Racist' is a term that was heavily used by Marxists during the time of the bolsheviks. It was and is utilized when leftists are attempting to discredit or demonize someone they don't agree with. It's a term used to socially assassinate anyone who holds a differing viewpoint in an effort to strip someone of any credibility they might possess. It's no different than all the other made up terms like xenophobe, homophobe, islamaphobe, and anti-Semite. That's the tactics of the left. To divide, categorize, and label everyone they don't agree with.

Effectively fighting the left begins with one simple decision: Sacrifice what you believe in... Or get called racist.

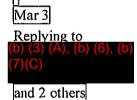
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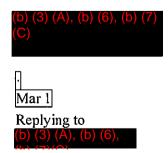






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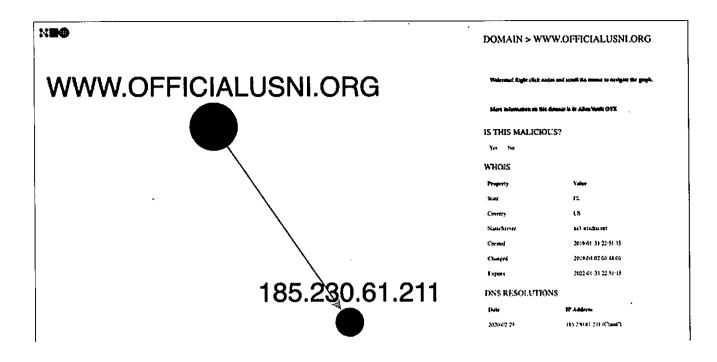
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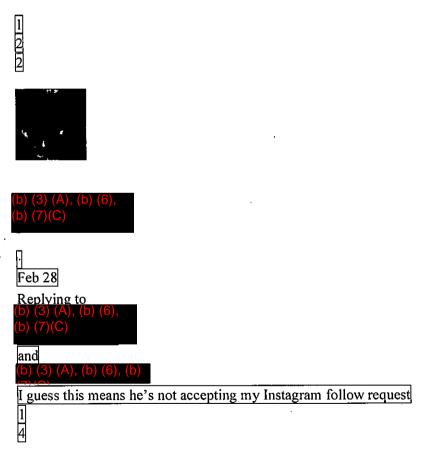
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And there we have it. Instead of sending me a link to an undoctored 70 week old Instagram post without Hitler, I have been blocked

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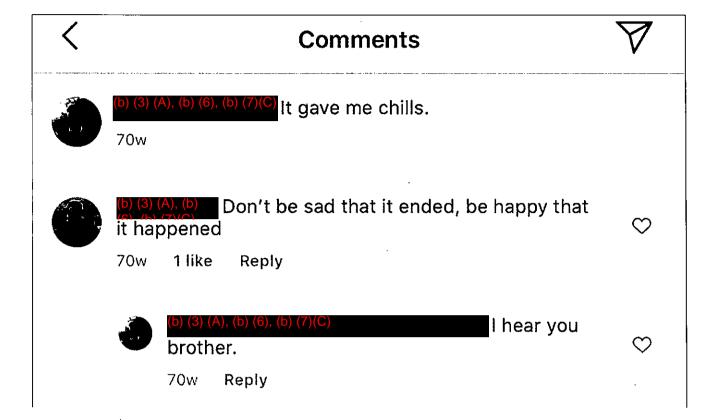
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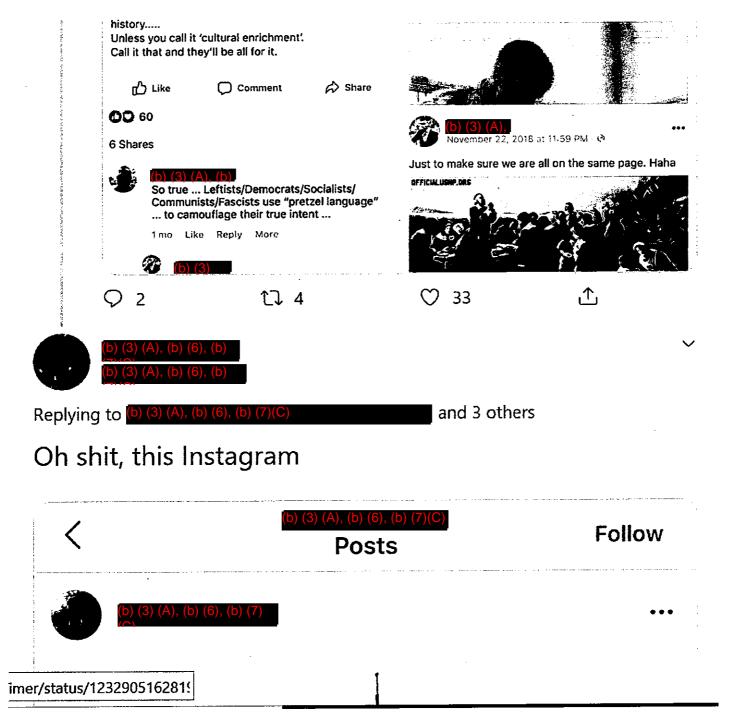
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So this pic, posted in your name on your now-locked Instagram account, followed by these comments in your name, were not your doing? Is that what you're saying?









DAILY MAIL ARTICLE ABOUT SETH TARAS PHOTOGRAPHS DTD 3 APR 13

HTTPS://WWW.DAILYMAIL.CO.UK/NEWS/ARTICLE-2303250/THE-POIGNANT-IMAGES-COMBINE-PRESENT-DAY-LOCATIONS-MOMENTOUS-HISTORICAL-EVENTS-TOOK-PLACE-THERE.HTML

This is us with Hitler by the Eiffel Tower: Amazing timetravel pictures combine past and present as dictator is seen in Paris and D-Day landing soldiers on modern-day beach

- Award-winning photographer Seth Taras made these images for a History Channel advertising campaign
- He travelled the world to capture photos from the exact same perspective as their historical counterparts
- For his efforts, Mr Taras was awarded the Cannes Lion for the campaign

By Damien Gayle

Published: 09:47 BST, 3 April 2013 | Updated: 18:45 BST, 3 April 2013

A dog-walker strolls with his pet through a quiet field in New Jersey, lost in his own thoughts beneath an overcast sky. Behind him, the phantom of a vast airship, consumed by fire, plummets to Earth.



Briefcase in hand, a businessman talks down his mobile phone as he walks

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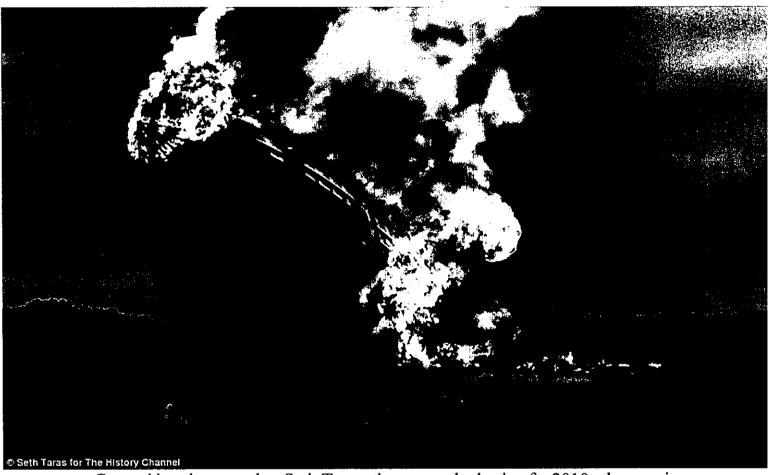
purposefully through Berlin - right through the ghost of the wall which split the city in two for nearly 30 years.

In Paris, a young couple lounge reading the papers on a wall before the majestic rise of the Eiffel Tower, the city's most well-known landmark.

Creepy: This combination of pictures makes viewers wonder how many people have stood before the Eiffel Tower unaware that Adolf Hitler once stood victorious in the same spot

Unbeknownst to them, an apparition of Adolf Hitler, Europe's most notorious modern-day dictator stands victoriously beside them after his Wehrmacht forces took the French capital by force.

And on the beaches of Normandy, the ghosts of the soldiers who brought freedom back to the continent re-enact their daring invasion, leaping from their landing craft as a mother and daughter look for crabs in the chilly waters. These moving images match photographs of locations in the present day with the ghosts of the momentous historical events that happened there.



Created by photographer Seth Taras, they were the basis of a 2010 ad campaign for the History Channel - accompanied by the poignant message 'Know where you stand'.

Ghosts of the past: This image combines a view of a field in Lakehurst, New Jersey, where the Hindenburg airship came crashing catastrophically to the ground in 1937

Mr Taras travelled the world shooting his pictures from the exact spot that major historical events were captured, then used photo editing software to blend these with their older counterparts.

The striking airship image shows a field in Lakehurst, New Jersey, where the LZ 129 Hindenburg airship - the pride of German aviation - crashed on Thursday, May 6, 1937.

The Hindenburg burst into flames and plunged to the ground as it tried to dock, claiming the lives of 36 passengers and crew and effectively ending the era of travel by airship.

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marries views of Berlin from the present and from the time in 1989 that work began to take down the wall which once split the city" class="blkBorder" />

How the world has changed: This image marries views of Berlin from the present and from the time in 1989 that work began to take down the wall which once split the city

The Berlin photograph shows one of the final images of that city's infamous wall in 1989, just before it was torn down to reunite East and West Germany after decades of Communist dictatorship.

The eerie picture of Hitler standing before the Berlin wall was originally taken in 1940, as the Nazi leader toured Paris after his armies had rolled their way across Western Europe.

And the final poignant image of Allied soldiers rushing the beach at Normandy was taken on D-Day, June 6, 1944, as part of the massive invasion that finally rolled back the fascist tyranny that had gripped the continent.



Courage of those who came before us: The peaceful beaches of Normandy were once the location of the biggest amphibious invasion in the history of warfare, as this picture shows

Self-taught Mr Taras, from the U.S., is one of Luerzer's Archives 200 Best Photographers Worldwide and the winner of a string of international awards.

These images earned him a Cannes Lion, and the 'Know Where You Stand' campaign was translated into 30 languages and published in 130 countries.

More of his work can be seen on his blog.





(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Defamation of character won't get any of you far. I've violated no articles of the UCMJ.

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EMAIL FROM ANDREW DYER FROM SAN DIEGO TRIBUNE dtd 28 Feb 20

From: Dyer, Andrew <andrew.dyer@sduniontribune.com

<mailto:andrew.dyer@sduniontribune.com>>

Sent: Friday, February 28, 2020 6:33 AM

To: IIIMEFMEDIA < IIIMEFMEDIA@usmc.mil < mailto: IIIMEFMEDIA@usmc.mil > > Subject: [Non-DoD Source] Press inquiry, SD Union-Tribune re: (b) (3) (A), (b)

(b) (3) alleged white nationalist with 31st MEU

Importance: High

Hello,

An individual I believe to be a (b) (3) (A), (b) named (b) (3) (A), who is deployed with the 31st MEU, has been identified by activists online as a white nationalist.

I'd like to draw your attention to this twitter thread:

https://twitter.com/(b) (3) (A), (b) status/1232884676861288448?s=20

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(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) **%2Fstatus%2F1232884676861288448%3Fs%3D20&data=02%7C01%7Candrew.dyer%40sduniontribune.com%7Cb537306b83fa454ec04408d7bc4fad73%7Ca42080b34dd948b4bf44d70d3bbaf5d2%7C0%7C0%7C637184922717921878&sdata=AUztqHi3p%2BM7Rpg%2BpJQ9%2Fmocdil55yGMcz%2FGKRJhKks%3D&reserved=0>

And this Facebook profile:

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claims to be a "Nationalist" and "political activist." He is the "chairman" of the U.S. Nationalist Initiative, which is on Facebook here: https://www.facebook.com/OfficialUSNI/

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(b) (3) posted a cropped version of a flyer from the neo-Nazi org "Patriot Front" on his Facebook account, which I've provided in a screenshot. It is identical to a flyer I reported on posted at San Diego State University in 2018.

https://thedailyaztec.com/87638/news/white-nationalist-flyers-appear-at-san-diego-state/

<https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fthedailya ztec.com%2F87638%2Fnews%2Fwhite-nationalist-flyers-appear-at-san-diego-state %2F&data=02%7C01%7Candrew.dyer%40sduniontribune.com%7Cb537306b83fa454ec04408 d7bc4fad73%7Ca42080b34dd948b4bf44d70d3bbaf5d2%7C0%7C0%7C637184922717931872&s data=ePfBXGy6yP8Cas6QkyFtWbP3fSVIAyUQF0crNwJd4Qk%3D&reserved=0>

(b) (3) is careful not to espouse out and out white supremacist ideology on social media and told people on Twitter last night he was not in violation of the UCMJ. However, to those of us who follow this movement, his account, politics, photos and wink-wink postings are clear indicators of white nationalism and white supremacy (which academics will tell you are the same thing).

I've attached six screenshots.

- 1. Of the Patriot Front flyer he posted
- 2. A comment thread where he agrees with a friend that the 2017 Charlottesville rally was a PR disaster.
- 3. A Facebook comment where he describes his white nationalism
- 4. A photo of Adolph Hitler taken from his Instagram account. (b) (3) has since made the account private.
- 5. Comments under the Hitler photo where he's advised not to be "sorry it ended" but to be "happy it happened," to which (b) (3) responds "I hear you brother"

Note: he's also Facebook friends with

6. Screenshot of Facebook account of alleged Atomwaffen member showing FB friendship with

(b) (3)

I'd like to confirm (b) (3) s status with IIIMEF and request a point of contact with his command to follow up on any investigation and/or administrative action in this case.

I'm not sure if the MEF or his Battalion would like to do so but I would

also like official comment on this.

Thanks!

Regards,

Andrew Dyer | Reporter

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NARR/REF A IS MCO ON OPREP-3SIR: SERIOUS INCIDENT REPORT. REF B IS VOICE

REPORT SUBMITTED TO THE MCOC//

POC/A/(b) (3) (A), /XO/V15/COMM(b) (3) (A), (b)

RMKS/1: AT 1221Z ON 28 FEB 2020, THIS COMMAND WAS NOTIFIED OF (b) (3) (A), (b) AS HAVING A SOCIAL MEDIA LINKED WITH WHITE NATIONALISM. THE COMMAND IS LAUNCHING A COMMAND INVESTIGATION INTO THE INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE MEDIA OUTLET, SAN DIEGO UNION TRIBUNE. THE MEDIA OUTLET PROVIDED SIX IMAGES. IMAGE 1: PATRIOT FRONT FLYER SNM POSTED. IMAGE 2: FACEBOOK COMMENT THREAD WHERE HE AGREES THAT CHARLOTTESVILLE WAS A "PUBLIC RELATIONS NIGHTMARE". IMAGE 3: A PHOTO OF ADOLPH HITLER TAKEN FROM HIS INSTAGRAM ACCOUNT, IMAGE 4: A FACEBOOK COMMENT WHERE HE DESCRIBES HIS WHITE NATIONALISM. IMAGE 5: FACEBOOK COMMENTS UNDER THE INSTAGRAM HITLER PHOTO WHERE HE'S ADVISED NOT TO BE "SORRY IT ENDED" BUT TO BE "HAPPY IT HAPPENED," TO WHICH SNM RESPONDS "I HEAR YOU BROTHER". IMAGE 6: SCREENSHOT OF FACEBOOK ACCOUNT OF ALLEGED WHITE NATIONALISM ACTIVIST SHOWING HE IS FACEBOOK FRENDS WITH SNM.

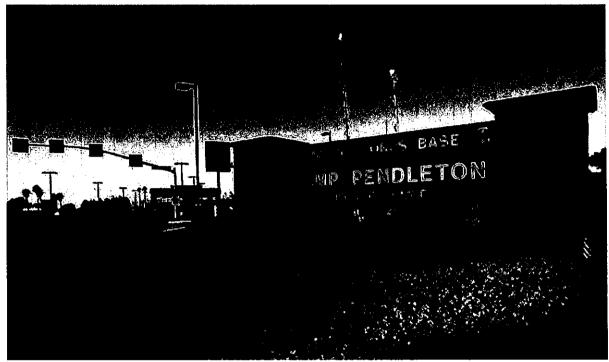
- 2. 281517Z FEB 20
- 3. PERSONNEL INVOLVED:
 - A. SUSPECT

 - 4. W CO/1ST BN 5TH MAR
 - 5. WHITE/MALE
- 6. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
 4. UNIT POC IS (b) (3) (A), (b) (6),

 1ST BN, 5TH MAR XO AT (b) (3) (A), (b)
- 5. MEDIA INTEREST IS ANTICIPATED AT THIS TIME. THE 31ST MEU COMMSTRAT HAS BEEN NOTIFIED.
- 6. HQMC WAS NOTIFIED BY (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) AT 281517Z FEB 20.
- 7. THE LOCAL INTELLIGENCE OFFICER HAS NOT BEEN NOTIFIED.
- 8. THIS REPORT HAS BEEN VERIFIED BY (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), XO, 1ST BN, 5TH MAR.

MILITARY

Camp Pendleton Marine under investigation for allegedly sharing white supremacist material online



The main gate of Camp Pendleton Marine Base at Camp Pendleton. (The Associated Press)

Marine infantryman chairs the "U.S. Nationalist Initiative," a group he compares to those at deadly 2017 Charlottesville, Va. rally

By ANDREW DYER

MARCH 15, 2020 5 AM

CAMP PENDLETON -

The Marines are investigating an infantryman based at Camp Pendleton for potential violations of the Pentagon's policy against extremism, according to a Marine Corps spokesman.

Lance Cpl. Thomas Cade Martin, 23, posted what some experts called "white supremacist" material across at least two social media accounts over the last two years.

The material includes a flyer with the white supremacist slogan "not stolen, conquered" over a map of the continental U.S. That flyer has been associated with the white nationalist "Patriot Front" organization. Identical flyers were anonymously <u>distributed</u> at San Diego State University in 2018.

His pages also include stylized patriotic graphics and photo illustrations of early 20th Century nationalistic propaganda which experts say are similar to those affiliated with the American Identity Movement, a white supremacist organization that changed its name from Identity Evropa

after its involvement in planning the 2017 Unite the Right rally in Charlottesville, Va., where a white supremacist drove his car into a crowd and killed an anti-racist activist.

Martin describes himself on his Twitter account as a "nationalist" and says he is the chairman of a group called the "U.S. Nationalist Initiative." Its Facebook page has more than 1,400 followers.

Experts who reviewed the page said it displayed indicators of white supremacist messaging, but one said Martin's is a "borderline" case because older posts on the page featured race-inclusive messaging.

Reached via Facebook, Martin, who is deployed with the 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit on the Navy amphibious ship Green Bay, told the Union-Tribune that, due to his deployment, he's "barely able to communicate with the outside world by voice out here."

He declined to answer questions about his beliefs or his organization. He also stopped responding to requests for comment over Facebook Messenger.

In a post on his personal Facebook page dated Dec. 2, 2019, Martin called the organizations that marched in Charlottesville "nationalist," the same word he used to describe his beliefs.

Martin wrote that he has problems with the way the groups at the Charlottesville rally "carried themselves."

"Nationalists should have discipline, class, civility, and a consciousness for good aesthetic," Martin wrote in the post. "Instead of engaging in pointless temper tantrums; we should be strengthening our minds, bodies, and spirits."



I've got a problem with most 'Nationalist' organizations due to their approach and lack of class in most situations. Take Charlottesville for example; the stature they carried themselves with was no different than the communist scum they were rallying against. They represent Nationalism in a way that I don't appreciate. They make us appear like savages and creatures of brutality. Nationalists should have discipline, class, civility, and a consciousness for good aesthetic. The... See More

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Martin, who does not mention the protestor's death, added, "the stature they carried themselves with was no different than the communist scum they were rallying against. They represent Nationalism in a way I don't appreciate. They make us appear like savages and creatures of brutality."

Recently Martin has defended his writings on social media. In a tweet on Feb. 26, Martin told his Twitter audience that activists were defaming

"I've violated no articles of the UCMJ," he wrote, referencing the Uniform Code of Military Justice, which provides the legal framework of the military justice system.

According to Pentagon <u>regulations</u>, military members are not allowed to advocate "supremacist, extremist doctrine, ideology, or causes or otherwise advance efforts to deprive individuals of their civil rights."

Martin is assigned to the 1st Battalion, 5th Marines at Camp Pendleton — the same unit in which several Marines were arrested in July for allegedly transporting illegal immigrants and for drug offenses. Martin was not among those arrested.

He is deployed with the III Marine Expeditionary Force in Okinawa, Japan. A spokesman for the Marine Expeditionary Force confirmed the Corps is investigating Martin.

"III MEF takes all allegations of misconduct seriously, whether on duty, off duty, or online," said 1st Lt. Ryan Bruce in an email.

"Any form of racism or discrimination undermines the core values of the Marine Corps and is not tolerated. The command is thoroughly investigating this situation."

The spokesman did not say how Martin and his social media posts came to their attention.

The Union-Tribune reviewed Martin's Facebook account and the Facebook page and web site of the U.S. Nationalist Initiative with Mark Pitcavage, a senior research fellow at the Anti-Defamation League's Center on Extremism. Pitcavage in February testified before a House Armed Services subcommittee on white supremacy in the military.

Pitcavage said in an interview he has never seen a case like Martin's before because, while Martin's latest posts contain "clearly racist things," his older posts on the U.S. Nationalist Initiative page suggest a more race-inclusive brand of nationalism.

"No white supremacist group I'm aware of has done memes featuring people of color in a positive way," Pitcavage said during a phone interview Friday.

"it's unusual.... This may be a case of someone evolving from a civic nationalist to a white nationalist. Early in the alt-right (movement), not everyone was a white supremacist. After the alt-right got so much publicity as a white supremacist movement, these people began dropping out of (it) "

People in the "alt-light" prefer the term "civic nationalist," Pitcavage said.

"Some of (Martin's) earlier stuff looked like an alt-light, civic nationalist thing," he said. "But his later stuff — like the post about Charlottesville, talking about aesthetics, talking about fighting for your own people, are more white nationalism. This is a difficult, borderline case; there's certainly enough to make you suspicious."

Emily Gorcenski, an anti-fascist researcher who created First Vigil, a website that tracks neo-Nazi criminality, was among those on Twitter trying to draw attention to Martin's activity. To Gorcenski, Martin's ideology is obvious.

"He does espouse out-and-out white nationalist beliefs," she told the Union-Tribune in a direct message. "Patriot Front is an explicitly white nationalist organization and he is quite clearly using their propaganda ... he even describes himself as a nationalist."

Gorcenski also pointed to Martin's photos of himself.

"'Conquered, not stolen' is a white nationalist belief, and despite the fancy window dressing and sharp suits, his messaging is indistinguishable from the messaging of orgs like Patriot Front, Identity Evropa (now known as the American Identity Movement) or the Rise Above Movement," she said.

Martin's own comments are suggestive of ideology as well, experts said.

In one post on his personal page, a photo of himself in uniform with a rifle, Martin says he's "dreaming about my future blue eyed blonde hai red mistress."



Throwback Thursday. Real pic of me dreaming about my future blue eyed blonde haired mistress.

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In the comments on the post, he explains "I'd just like to help contribute to the preservation of my lineage."



Cade, don't discriminate against brunettes & red heads they need love too!

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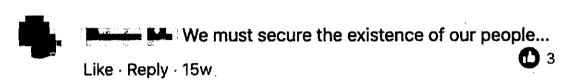
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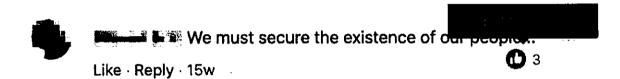


Screenshot of comments on Marine Lance Cpl. Thomas Martin's personal Facebook account. (Facebook)

In a comment thread on the group's page, Martin "liked" a comment from another user that alludes to a slogan called the <u>14 words</u>: "We must secure the existence of our people and a future for white children."



Screen shot of comment on US Nationalist Initiative Facebook page where commenter appears to invoke white supremacist "14 words" slogan. (Facebook)



Screen shot of comment on U.S. Nationalist Initiative Facebook page apparently invoking white supremacist "14 words" slogan liked by personal Facebook account of Lance Cpl. Thomas Cade Martin. (Facebook)

The Anti-Defamation League describes the 14 words as "the most popular white supremacist slogan in the world."

Peter Simi, a professor at Chapman University who has studied extremist groups for 20 years, said that although Martin appears to go to great lengths to avoid overt references to white supremacy online, his approval of the 14 words is a "giveaway" to the ideology underlining his activities.

"(White supremacist ideology) is pretty camouflaged for the most part but there are a couple of giveaways," Simi said while reviewing Martin's Facebook account and and page.

"The reference to the 14 words is one of them," he said.

The other, Simi said, is a post on Martin's personal account where he says the word "racist" is "made up."

"That kind of denial is consistent with white supremacist ideology," Simi said.



'Racist' is a term that was heavily used by Marxists during the time of the bolsheviks. It was and is utilized when leftists are attempting to discredit or demonize someone they don't agree with. It's a term used to socially assassinate anyone who holds a differing viewpoint in an effort to strip someone of any credibility they might possess. It's no different than all the other made up terms like xenophobe, homophobe, islamaphobe, and anti-Semite. That's the tactics of the I... See More

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Martin says in the post the word "racist" is among several "made up" words used by the left. Another, he says, is "anti-Semite."

"Sacrifice what you believe in ... or get called racist," Martin wrote. "I know what my choice is gonna be."



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Martin has had one run-in with authorities before.

In 2016, as a senior at Magnolia West High School in Magnolia, Texas, Martin was <u>captured on video</u> describing how he would commit a mass shooting at the school. He was criminally charged with making terroristic threats but the charge was dropped.

According to a story on Houston's KPRC news channel, Martin explained in a Facebook post he was just describing how a shooting could happen at the school, not saying he would do it.

Pitcavage said the Anti-Defamation League is not tracking the U.S. Nationalist Initiative, which Martin chairs, because it appears to be a small operation.

A review of the nationalist organization's website shows only one other person in leadership — Everett Corley, listed as the group's vice chairman

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THOMAS MARTIN

Chairman

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EVERETT CORLEY

Vice Chairman

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Screenshot from the U.S. Nationalist Initiative website. (officialusni.org/leadership)

Corley is a realtor who ran for Congress in Kentucky in 2016 and became embroiled in controversy around the removal of a Confederate monument at the University of Louisville. Corley called a professor a "damn dirty black bastard" in a Facebook post he later deleted, according to the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Corley also has appeared on a white nationalist YouTube show called "The Ethno State" in 2014, the newspaper reported.

In a November 2018 Facebook post, Martin called Corley an "unsung hero ... an amazing friend and very wise man."

Corley did not respond to an email sent to his U.S. Nationalist Initiative address, to texts to a number associated with him nor to private messages sent via Facebook.

The Marines have taken a hard stance against members of white supremacist organizations within its ranks.

In 2018 it court-martialed a Marine who participated in the Charlottesville rally and had joined a neo-Nazi group, and in 2019 it discharged a Marine who included Nazi images in an Instagram account. In February, Marine Corps Commandant Gen. David Berger announced a ban on Confederate paraphernalia on the Corps' bases, telling Military.com "things that divide us are not good."

Pitcavage said during his Congressional testimony that the unchecked presence of extremists in the military leads to "serious negative consequences for the services ... and the country."

Among the most dangerous extremists, Pitcavage said, are those with white supremacist beliefs.

"While there are many extreme right-wing causes in the United States, white supremacists have posed the greatest challenges to the U.S. military," Pitcavage said.

Simi said knowing Martin is currently armed and deployed with the Marines is worrisome.

"It makes me nervous, knowing he endorses the 14 words and is walking around with a firearm overseas," Simi said.

The Marine Corps did not say when the investigation into Martin might conclude.





We must secure the existence of our people...

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ALTERNATE NAMES: Fourteen Words

General Hate Symbols Hate Slogans/Slang Terms

"14 Words" is a reference to the most popular white supremacist slogan in the world: "We must secure the existence of our people and a future for white children." The slogan was coined by David Lane, a member of the white supremacist terrorist group known as The Order (Lane died in prison in 2007). The term reflects the primary white supremacist worldview in the late 20th and early 21st centuries: that unless immediate action is taken, the white race is doomed to extinction by an alleged "rising tide of color" purportedly controlled and manipulated by Jews.

Because of its widespread popularity, white supremacists reference this slogan constantly, in its full form as well as in abbreviated versions such as "14 Words", "Fourteen Words," or simply the number "14."

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17 Mar 20

From: Detailed Defense Counsel To: Whom It May Concern

Subj: NOTICE OF REPRESENTATION IN THE CASE OF U.S. V. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)

(b) (3) (A), (b)

Ref: (a) MCO P5800.16A (LEGADMINMAN)

(b) CDC Policy Memo 7-11 (c) JAGINST 5803.1C

- 1. Pursuant to references (a) and (b), I have been detailed to represent (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) for the charges that may be preferred as a result of an ongoing investigation. All communications related to these matters must be made through me. Any questions to (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) from counselors to include mental health counselors about the underlying conduct of this case must first be routed through his defense counsel. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) and defense counsel may utilize government communication devices to engage in privileged communications, we do not consent to the monitoring of those communications.
- 2. Any previously-given consent related to these matters including, but not limited to, consent to make a statement, to a search, seizure, polygraph examination, or any other action is hereby withdrawn and (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) objects to any future testing of previously-seized items and demands their immediate return. Further, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) demands that the government preserve all potentially exculpatory evidence and, if applicable, that defense counsel be notified of and permitted to observe any forensic testing related to this case.
- 3. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) invokes the right to remain silent and to consult with counsel about these matters and does not consent to any further questioning about these matters from anyone subject to the Uniformed Code of Military Justice or those acting on their behalf. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6) explicitly does not wish to make any statements to NCIS, CID, or any other law enforcement agencies. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) does not consent to any future search or seizure in this case. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) asserts all privileges afforded under the law including, but not limited to, those addressed by MIL. R. EVID. 501, 503, 504, and 513, and withdraws any prior waiver of any privilege. (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) demands all records of any privileged communication not be disclosed to any person or entity without express written consent after coordination with defense counsel.



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4. I can be reached at (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) or (b) (3) (A), (b)

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Captain, USMC Detailed Defense Counsel

Copy to: Client Co-counsel

OFFICIAL CORRESPONDANCE BETWEEN INVESTIGATING OFFICER (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), AND APPOINTED COUNSEL (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Good Morning Sir,

Understood. Thank you for your time.

V/R, (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), 31st MEU, BLT 1/5 S2A Phone(b) (3) (A),

NIPR: (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

----Original Message-----

From: (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent: Tuesday, April 7, 2020 1:33 AM

To: (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Subject: RE: Request for Voluntary Statement from (6) (3) (A),

Good Morning,

Thank you for reaching out to me. I have advised (b) (3) (A), not to make any statements regarding any present investigation. (b) (3) (A), also maintains his right to not participate in any investigation at this time. Again, I appreciate your patience in including me in your considerations. I ask that you continue to respect the attorney-client relationship and refrain from attempting to question (b) (3) (A), without me present.

Thank you.

Very Respectfully,
(b) (3) (A), (b) (6), Defense Counsel
Captain, USMC
Camp Pendleton, DSO
(b) (3) (A), (b)

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From: (b) (3) (A), (b) (6),

Sent: Thursday, April 2, 2020 10:18 PM

To: (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Subject: Request for Voluntary Statement from

Good Afternoon Sir,

I am the appointed Investigating Officer for BLT 1/5's Command Investigation of your client (b) (3) (A), (b) (6). I am reaching out to you now because both myself and your client are back on Camp Hansen and I would like to interview him for my investigation. I would like to conduct the interview at the BLT CP ((b) (3)) in the back room of my office (Rm 212) at 1400 on 6 or 7 April.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

V/R,

(b) (3) (A), (b)

31st MEU, BLT 1/5

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Phone (b) (3)

NIPR: (b) (3) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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A common leftist tactic. Contradicting everything they attest in the media and news.

The Washington Post

The demise of the white majority is a myth

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Watch the rapid decline of "white America" over three decades

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(b) (3) Is there anything wrong with white america becoming a minority?

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(a) (A) Do a little research on the way the white minority in South Africa is treated. Then ask yourself that question again.

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(3) (A) (b) (6) i think there is nothing

reasonably wrong for whites to be a minority that's the case in Mexico and the richest men continue to be white which is due to financial disparity ranging from Mexico's birth as a country

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Richital Of course selling fear is very politically accepted nowadays, and selling the idea to whites that being a minority means loosing privileges

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(b) (3) (A) (b) (6) It is a matter of principle. This country is a White Christian nation, and has every right to remain a White Christian nation.

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(h) (3) (A) (h) (6) Are non white Christian any less Christian ? Change is inevitable

Like Reply 1w

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(b) (A) Why don't you explain why you think it's a good thing? We're going to become more like the impoverished and drug cartel run country of Mexico doesn't sound very appealing to most white conservatives.

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(b) (3) (A) (b) (6) Our nation's religious orientation is not the only component of our nation's identity; there is more to it than simply identifying as a Christian.

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(Change' or 'Cultural enrichment' is only inevitable if the ethnical majority of a nation becomes so docile that they neglect to preserve the racial fabric of their own country. The United States was founded by men of European descent and this nation i... See More

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(b) (3) (A), I guess when one lacks a logical argument in the favor of cultural enrichment the standard.

, I guess when one lacks a logical argument in the favor of cultural enrichment the standard operating procedure is just to retort with a GIF or a meme. Nice.

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Cartels are simple farmers compared to the real families that control the business inside the USA

After 2045, non-Hispanic whites will likely make up less than --- White --- Mark or African American --- American Indian and Alaska Native --- Asser Native Managar and other Partic Islander -- Two or more races 42%

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(b) (3) (A) you are trying to make a subtle attempt at changing the topic of the conversation to cartels. We are talking about the importance of preserving an ethnic majority in our country; which is vitally important, if people like you really cared about 'diversity' then you'd be more inclined to uphold the predominant ethnic backgrounds of every country in the world. If we subvert the sanctity of the racial majority of every nation; then what makes France French, or Japan Japanese, or India Indian? To protest the idea of preserving the racial sovereignty of any nation is a direct contradiction to your yearning for 'diversity'. You can't experience the uniqueness of a foreign country if you've destroyed the racial substance of its people.

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(b) (3) If I were expecting the coming non white majority to treat whites the way whites have treated non whites for the last 50 Years, I'd say go right ahead! But I know that we would be a despised minority. And I know this because the leftist media has successfully convinced nearly all people of other races to believe that we are the race of onnressors. A

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(b) (3) (A), (b) (6) (b) Bro whites in South Africa control most if the money lot

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Is nothing wrong for leftists brainwashed by academia to hate themselves.

Any other sane nation like aslans or middle easteners would not want to become a minority in their own community. Only sick and brainwashed white europeans seem to be ok with bec... See More

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(a) (A), (b) (6), (b) (7) first of all only in white dominated Western Nations minorities are treated with dignity and respect and as equals before the law - with few exceptions.

In fact white people are the least racist people that live on this earth. This is due to the concept of the christian divine logos and the development of human rights in the west.

Racism, the discrimination and persecution and maltreatment of minorities is much more normal and much more common globally speaking in countries that are non-white then in countries are dominated by white men.

According to leftists it still sucks being a minority in America hence the conclusion cannot be to make white Americans suffer in the same or even worse way - unless you are full of hatred

According to leftists it still sucks being a minority in America hence the conclusion cannot be to make white Americans suffer in the same or even worse way - unless you are full of hatred for white people and their culture as universities have brainwashed you to believe that white people are a cancer on this planet.

Secondly people are innately tribal - this is how we have developed as a social species.

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(A) Great clip explaining why the left does this. https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=sKBRHE-pkM8



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