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In 1992, [Chameleon Eclectic Entertainments](#) published the much acclaimed "**BlackEagle/BlackEagle Operatives Kit**", which included a 'corporate newsletter' for the company BlackEagle / BlackEagle (the company that player characters in Millennium's End work for). In 1994, they published a new copy of the '**BlackEagle Express**', supplied with the "**Millennium's End Overlay Accessory Kit**" (which included a rather natty mechanical propelling pencil, which I still own <grin>).

As you probably know, [C.E.E. Inc.](#) folded earlier in 1999, a rather unfortunate coincidence with the name of the game (Millennium's End). We are therefore unlikely to see another copy, new or otherwise, ever again.

With this in mind, ISG has resurrected the BE/BE Express in a new form, the **BlackEagle Bulletin**.

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The WIJ Does It Again

Five killed in London by terrorists

By John Blake, (Ops, London)

In Late November 1999, a London Cell, working to find both a kidnapped boy, and the kidnappers, was ambushed by a group of WIJ terrorists. Five of the six-person cell, plus a civilian pilot, were murdered in this latest outrage.

In hindsight, what was viewed as a simple investigative operation, turned into a tactical nightmare, as it is now clear that the kidnapping was a 'come on' ploy, used by the WIJ to sucker the BlackEagle team into a carefully laid, and deadly, ambush.

The surviving cell member, Kelly Moores, ironically only having completed her induction training four weeks beforehand, said, "It was like a scene from a bad Vietnam movie. The bloody place just erupted as we were fifty feet above the Thames, coming in to land at what appeared to be an abandoned car wrecking site, where a vehicle we were interested in had apparently been abandoned. The Chopper didn't stand a god-damned chance. We just went straight into the drink. I got lucky. My mates weren't."

Kelly is now out of Hospital, having suffered from exposure, Hypothermia, shock, and a broken leg. She's now working on other assignments with the London Office. Kelly has been with BE/BE since 1998, and is a Vet-2 operative.

We cannot stress this enough: when in doubt, go tactical. Clifton BlackEagle, in a recent visit to London, following the outrage, praised the London Office staff involved, and said that the Senior Staff were considering if more resources should be put to use, in tracking down the culprits.

The London Metropolitan Police issued a statement shortly after the attack. Paraphrased, it told us that there were no active leads, and that the killers had managed to get away clean.

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BAT II was cracked

By Bryan Deliquois (L&P, Atlanta)

Many of you will remember that in May 1999, tragedy befell us, when four of our Kyoto Office colleagues were killed on a sneak-and-peek op, due to a comms outage in [Malaysia \(BE/BE Express 118, May 18, 1999\)](#).

Following an exhaustive security review, formed from a team from both BlackEagle and InterTel/NetCom as part of Operation Back-Up, the BAT II satellite communications system was found to have been compromised by an unknown external source, which cracked the database and command system at InterTel/NetCom.

InterTel/NetCom have since upgraded their security protection systems, but senior staff here at Atlanta still feel that such an outage, with potentially tragic consequences, could happen again - no system is, after all, completely secure.

Following this discovery, Operation Back-Up looked to other means of secure and reliable communications.

It is now proposed that cells going into remote areas should now, in addition to their BAT III (not II) system, carry a portable Satellite telephone system, and an HF Radio system, using encrypted burst transmission systems. Senior staffers believe that this 'belt and braces' approach should help to safeguard our people in the field, until such time as a better system or systems comes to the fore.

Comments from Senior Cell Leaders and Cell Leaders is requested. Please Contact Alex O'Grange, at Atlanta HQ.

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BE/BE Los Angeles Launches New Home Security Service

By Dr. Louise Phillips, (Ops, Los Angeles)

The City of Angels has a reputation for doing things a little differently, so it shouldn't come as too much of a surprise to find the local BlackEagle/BlackEagle office pioneering an exciting new way to develop the business. The big idea? Total security consulting on purpose-built residential compounds.

LA Office Chief Paul Menderez explains: 'Over the last decade we've seen opportunity crime explode across the city - now high-earning residents are starting to react. Local groups of concerned citizens, as well as big name developers, have built a number of high security residential estates. The idea is to keep out anyone who's not a resident or invited guest, with architectural and physical security measures to keep the compounds intact.

'BlackEagle has just signed with a number of leading contractors to act as security consultants throughout the design, planning and construction processes. From there, the residential associations take out a long term contract with us. We screen security personnel, give them additional training, run an emergency help line and provide 24-hour emergency security cover.'

For residents, it means better peace of mind in a dangerous city. For BlackEagle, it's a new business opportunity and a potential recruiting ground.

Rome operation unseats corrupt Minister

By Paulo Salinas (Ops, Rome)

A simple investigation into infidelity on behalf of an Italian Minister's wife underwent an unexpected twist in February this year.

Following the surveillance on Georgio Coppoli, a minor minister in the Foreign Ministry, it became apparent that he was not only having an affair, but was actively engaged in assisting the Mafia in laundering their illicit cash through government sources.

Following consultation with our client, a copy of the file has been turned over to the Public Prosecutor's office. Charges are expected to be presented any day, the minister has been dismissed from his office, and is currently under arrest, being held in a secure location by the authorities.

Our client is currently processing a divorce through the civil courts, and is expected to win.

Miami Anti-drug operation nets DEA turncoats

By Frederico Terronez (Ops, Miami)

A simple 'sneak and peek' operation on behalf of the US Drug Enforcement Agency turned into a hostile snatch and grab last month (January 2000) for a cell operating from the Miami Office.

Originally tasked by the DEA with watching a new illicit drugs distribution facility belonging to the Medellin Cartel in Colombia, events in the area required a drastic change in operational emphasis, when it became apparent that another covert observation post had become compromised, and that two DEA agents had gone missing, at the time it was attacked.

The original supposition was that the two men had been captured by the Cartel. The Miami cell were instructed to effect a rescue, should they be seen to turn up at the facility that the cell were watching. However, when they did arrive, it was as not as captured men - they were still armed, and acting very friendly with the FARC soldiers in their company.

A rapid exchange of messages, via an encrypted satellite burst transceiver supplied by the DEA, followed, and made it clear that these guys were now considered Renegade agents, and should be apprehended for return to the DEA in the USA.

A rapid EA (Emergency Action) was devised and, following the instigation of the EA, the two renegade agents were captured, with no losses to the Miami BE/BE cell. Casualties on the other side were total (in a rather explosive manner), and included a FARC river patrol boat, a drugs factory and distribution point, along with ten cigarette boats, fifteen cartel members, and twelve FARC personnel. It's worth noting that the Cartel now appears to be running their drugs factories and distribution points in the same facility, thus cutting their costs dramatically. Cells going to this region should expect to encounter similar sites, if retained by the DEA.

Naturally, the DEA are more than pleased at the outcome of the operation: Two renegade agents are in custody, awaiting trial on multiple charges (including anti-corruption, drugs, attempted murder, and breaches of the National Security Act), a major drugs factory and distribution point has been destroyed, and no-one down there is any wiser on how the hell it happened.

Currently, the Miami Office has two cells operating in Colombia for the DEA, and it looks likely that these contracts will develop into more work for us.

R & R

By Jack Mitchell (Admin, Paris)

Well, sports fans, the Soccer season's finished and, as usual, The London office cleaned up, winning eight of the twelve games. The final, played in Brussels, between London and Rome was a nail-biting one, but London managed to beat the Italians 3-2 in extra time, the decider coming from an incredible curving corner by London's new Legal assistant, Paul Gentry. Come on, Rome - you can do better next time!

On the American Football side of things, Miami is currently the points leader, having soundly beaten the Washington office in the quarter finals 47-15 in overtime. Next up: Paris verses New York, in Seattle...!

The new BlackEagle/BlackEagle annual "bAshes" tour is due to begin in May this year; Following a challenge made on a visit to Australia by members of the London office to the Sydney Office Eleven by the members of the London Office Eleven, this (not very) bitter rivalry is due to begin at the Blackheath Cricket Club on May 5th; we'll keep you posted!

Reportedly, and unfortunately not quotable (or printable, the way I heard it), the challenge was made following a hell of a night 'on the tiles', when the Aussies were drunk under not only the table, but the floor as well, as one London operative (no names!) was heard to describe it! - Come on Sydney - let's hear your side of this (tall) tale!

President's Sitrep by Clifton BlackEagle

The WIJ ambush in London has clouded what would have otherwise been a very successful business quarter. As is to be expected, off duty operatives have already taken action against the WIJ. So far, one WIJ recruiter is dead, and one operative is recovering from wounds.

This is not an adequate return for our losses, and in no way impacts WIJ activities. Instead, I have tasked Executive Vice-President Sheppard BlackEagle with preparing an organised response. To this end, I would like all operatives and cells to limit their activities to intelligence gathering. When we eventually hit the WIJ, I want it to hurt.

On a brighter note, this quarter saw the highest number of contract requests and contracts completed. Requests grew to such a number, that over ten percent had to be turned away do to a lack of available cells. This can also put a strain on cells, that often go from contract to contract, with inadequate down time.

To help improve the situation, we will shortly be opening a new training facility, which will double the number of operatives we can train. L&P personnel are currently in Europe, scouting sites for this second training facility.

We are also accelerating plans to open new field offices, two or three by the end of the year, and getting more cells to existing field offices. Let me assure you, that we will not lower our recruiting standards.

I will end with two firsts for BlackEagle / BlackEagle. Firstly, a composite cell of arctic specialists recently completed our first contract in Antarctica. Now, how many companies can say they operate on all seven continents? Damned few!

Second, our first pair of identical twins, Seth and Parker Redlingshafer, have completed training, and have been assigned to the same cell in the Los Angeles field office. "Double tap" now takes on a whole new meaning!

Stay safe, and remember that a little paranoia is not necessarily a bad thing.

Clifton BlackEagle

Culinary Combat by Jeremy Carr, retired Ops, chef LeTorres

There's an old saying: "An army fights on it's stomach", and operatives who ignore this are letting themselves, their cell and their clients down.

It is worth noting that under active conditions a individual requires double to triple the normal daily calorie intake, in order to maintain adequate energy levels. Go without this level of intake, and your physical and mental functions will begin to suffer.

The easiest, if not the best tasting, way to meet these basic needs is with military field ration packs. Common amongst most combat rations is long shelf life (typically six to ten years), bland flavour, and a high number of calories.

Most of the calories in military ration packs are from complex carbohydrates which, while great for long term energy, tend to cause (excuse the phrase) regularity problems.

Combat rations come in two basic forms; day packs, and meal packs.

British GP Rations are a good example of "day packs". Day packs combine two or three meals and snacks in a single package. There are seven different menus in the GP range, to reduce menu repetition; typically, in a GP pack, you'll see three heat-in-the-bag foil packs, containing breakfast, the main meal, and a suite, along with multitudes of candy bars, beverage mixes, tea and coffee sachets (there's never any salt or Tobasco sauce, though, darn it!).

Day packs are at their best on long-term missions, but almost overkill for a overnight surveillance, where a pack of sandwiches and a proven thermos flask will do.

"Meal packs" contain enough food for one meal and a light snack, and are typified by US MREs (Meals, Ready to Eat). Don't let the "Ham and Chicken Loaf" horror stories scare you, as the couple dozen menus of Series 4 MREs are pretty good.

There are no breakfast MREs however (unlike the GP day packs), so some days you may have to have to have "Jamaican Porkchop" for breakfast. Packaging is two each of six different menus per case. Packaging is the main problem with MREs. They are extremely bulky. By discarding excess cardboard and breaking down the accessory pack though, it is possible to fit three meals in one MRE package.

There are a couple of things that can improve the enjoyment of combat rations. First, is heat which can turn barely palatable items into fairly tasty. I prefer solid fuel pellets over compact stoves because they have other tactical uses and are not likely to explode if ruptured. Note that the MREs now come with a chemical heater, into which a small amount of water is placed - watch out, though, no smoking - the gas given off by the chemical reaction is Hydrogen!

Next in importance is hot sauce. If you cannot handle the heat from that, then go with a good seasoning powder. Both will go a long way to concealing the original flavour, which, truth be told, is not really all that good (I can do much better in my kitchen, and you can probably do fairly well, also!). Vitamins are another consideration. A good multi-vitamin is a start, but a multi-purpose vitamin/antioxidant available from most nutrient stores are better.

The last thing to remember with combat rations, is to throw away the toilet paper that is included in most packs, and bring a supply of your favourite two-ply. It's not for nothing that the British call their ration-pack toilet paper "Slide 'n' hide"!

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RED ALERTS

BlackEagle/BlackEagle
Logistics and Procurement Branch,
Data Support Section / Travel Advisory Desk

As this is the first bulletin I suppose that I'd better give you some background about myself.



My name is Chad Montgomery, and I'm the L&P Terrorism and travel specialist, based in the Atlanta HQ building - and, yes, I'm a desk jockey. I'm the guy who keeps up to date on the world's hot spots, Hawaii's beaches, Australia's Gold coast, Beirut, Ulster and places like that. In short, I'm the guy to speak to, about the jobs and holidays you want to go to. I can even arrange cut-price flights!

In this column, I'll be providing you the latest intelligence on hot spots, no-go zones, and a few of the nicer places that you might want to visit.

TERRORIST GROUP ADVISORY

Name:	Palestine Islamic Jihad (PIJ).
Allies:	Palestine Liberation Front (PLF), Popular Front for Liberation of Palestine (PFLP), Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO), and the World Islamic Jihad (WIJ). [CIA, Mossad]
External Aid:	Most of their ready cash seems to be derived from everyday crime, bank robberies, kidnapping, and that sort of thing. They do have some means of getting a basic level of military training from the Syrians. [CIA, Mossad, SIS]
Structure:	The PIJ use a basic Cell system to perform their operations. The average number of people in each cell is 6, but this can vary by 2 or 3 either way. [CIA, Mossad, SIS]
Targets:	Vary considerably, Embassies, Schools, Churches, almost anywhere that people congregate. [CIA, Mossad, SIS]
M.O.:	Car bombs mostly, but some grenade and SMG attacks. [CIA, Mossad, SIS]
Commentary:	After a period of disorganisation resulting from the capture of their leader in 1995, they have come out in a big way with attacks on the US embassies in Israel, and Egypt. They have also tried to hijack two airliners on US soil but were thwarted by the combined efforts of airline security, the FBI and BlackEagle East coast. [CIA, Mossad, SIS, BE/BE, FBI]

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RED ZONES

Chart: The Morton Scale

1.0 = Peaceful, calm, i.e. the outback of Australia
1.7 = San Francisco on a good day
2.0 = Washington D.C. on a good day
2.8 = Washington D.C. on a bad day
3.5 = Troops on the streets
3.9 = Armed Troops on the streets actively discouraging people from walking about
4.7 = Random shootings in the streets
5.0 = WAR, i.e. , Yugoslavia, Somalia

Well that's the Bad Boys on the block, now for the Bad Neighbourhoods.

First, Indonesia.

We have a world-wide Travel advisory in place for anybody planning on going to this area of the world. What with the situation in East Timor, and the upcoming Presidential elections in Indonesia itself (resulting from the death of the late President), the likelihood of trouble is very high.



The US Department of State, UK Foreign Office, and French Exterior Ministry have all advised their citizens to leave the area immediately, by the way.

This area is graded a 4.5 on the Morton scale.

Second, Kyrgyzstan.

After well over 20 recent kidnappings of foreign nationals (FNs) including Japanese, US, and European citizens, the US



State department, along with the Japanese Department of the Exterior, the UK Foreign Office, and French Exterior Ministry, have posted Travel Advisory in the RED category. If any of you boys and girls are going there I strongly suggest that you talk softly and carry a very big gun.

This area is graded a 3.9 on the Morton scale.

Tourist Zones...

Well, that was where the bad boys and girls are playing at the moment, so let us now turn to something a little lighter. This is for the tourists among you. Owing to recent gaseous emissions from a prominent member of Ecuador's population, it is advised that you don't travel to the tourist resort of Baños. Geophysical institutes world-wide are predicting an imminent eruption from Tungurahua volcano. So, unless you feel like dodging lava bombs and rivers (check your insurance!), make plans to visit somewhere else.

Speaking of somewhere else to go for your holiday, how about visiting Reykjavik in Iceland. It's a nice place, has a low crime rate, nice people, good night-life, and no terrorists (unless you count the Sea Gulls). Plus, it's a balmy 6Co at the moment. So pack your itisy bitsy yellow polka dot bikini and get ready to get into the many, many thermal hot pools all over the island.

Well, that's the first set of notes about Hot, Cold and (extremely) lukewarm spots from me.

Good Luck, Good Aim, and don't get Dead.

Chad Montgomery.

Chad

Comment

By Leon Spanelli (Ops, London).

Comment contains points of view that do not always reflect the 'corporate line'. Comment can be made anonymously, or not, as the contributor wishes. Either way, items in this section are made by members of staff, whether operational, or support, or even from the back-room areas. It's your shout. Make the most of it.

Editor's Note: Leon's English isn't perfect, and he only left this commentary on my office voicemail (complete with its' scratchy voice quality), so here it is, as dictated!

As you see, the WIJ 'as hit us again, in the broad daylight, in the UK, this time. Their nerve knows no limit, no?

Only this time, instead of going after an inexperienced group of our rookies, they went after some of our best and brightest.

Thomas Lopez (ED: BE/BE Express no 118, May 18, 1999, 'Opinion') is in large part wrong. While 'e is right, and we should be protecting ourselves more effectively, Leon Calvert in Brussels (ED: BE/BE Express no 117, May 4, 1999, 'Opinion') was completely right: It is time to strike.

We must strike swiftly, strike 'ard, an' strike decisively. The WIJ must be made aware, in no uncertain circumstances, that we are NOT on the target agenda: They are.

Beuno. I know how this sounds: A London deputy cell leader speaking in anger and hurt, as six of my friends and colleagues were either on the ground, or in the chopper, when their operational cell was attacked, leaving only one of them alive. I'm way, way past that now - it's three months on, my friends. Am I angry? Si. Am I upset? Si.

Why? Because nothing 'as been done to stop these animals. Nothing. Not by us, not by any nations or their governments. To put it in the typically English vernacular, bugger all has 'appened. An' this must end. Apathy will kill us all.

Come on, Clifton - unleash us. We are ready. It is time to take the fight to the enemy, declared or not. Do not make us the clay pigeons.

Editor's Note: Readers might also like to see Clifton BlackEagle's response in the President's Sitrep.

Notes from The Street

Editor's Note: You wouldn't believe how much effort some people will go to, to avoid giving me articles for this newsletter. It's like pulling teeth, I swear.

Luckily, James DiFalco (Ops, London), has seen sense and sent me this last-minute article. Honestly, people - am I that much of an ogre?!

Encountering UK Cop

By James DiFalco (Ops, London)

It's 04:20 hrs, it's raining. You've been sat in your car watching the tango's house for the past three and a half hours. You're regretting drinking that large McDonalds coke all those hours ago - your bladders about ready to burst. Hmm; maybe you could re-use the cup?

With naff-all warning, and with no headlights on, A car pulls up alongside you. You glance to the side - it's a white car, with a fluorescent stripe running it's length, on it's roof sits a bank of lights - predominately blue.

Oh, yeah. The word "POLICE" is written on the doors, too.

Oh... bugger.

The driver lowers his window, and says something to you. You lean across the passenger seat, wind down the windows, the driver speaks again, "Good morning sir, what are you doing?"

Tailing a researcher from Wibble Tech Industries, waiting for him to make contact with agents working for Rival Dodgy Corp PLC - can't really tell them that, time for some quick thinking - "Nothing" you reply (outstanding).

"Do you live around here?"

"No" you reply gruffly - come on little local cop go away, I'm a lean mean BlackEagle killing machine, and I haven't got time for this.

With this, the second police officer leaves the vehicle and walks round to you. He asks you to remove your keys from the ignition and step out of the car. You could be about to enter a whole world of grief.

A world of grief, that can be avoided or (at worst) minimised, if you know how to deal with your average UK cop, or "Old Bill", as quite a few of us tend to call 'em, here in London.

First things first. Sitting in your car in a residential area is going to get Joseph Public wondering what you're up to. They're not going to ask you - you're bound to be a knife wielding sociopath - they're going to dial 999 (the UK emergency number) and ask them to send someone round.

Given the manpower pressures most forces are under, about four hours later, after all the priority one jobs are dealt with, a car will finally be allocated to investigate.

The officers turn up, they've dealt with various toilet jobs all night, and at this time of the morning they don't want anything too troublesome (unless it's a job that'll allow them some overtime), so use this to your advantage.

A reasonable explanation as to why you're parked where you are will probably prevent any further action being taken, except maybe, being asked to move on. And, lets face it, that could even help you; chances are, after four hours, you could use a change of position, if only to wake you up!

And watch the attitude - you may know 128 ways to kill with your left index finger, or may once have headed the Iraqi Office of MI6, but for crying out loud, don't act above these guys: Be civil - a number of officers run the attitude test, the way you respond to them will determine the amount of problems you'll encounter.

An experienced police officer can always find cause to issue some type of ticket (at the very least), and tickets means records, or additional checks which could lead to even more problems depending on what details you give. And if you're driving a rent-a-wreck, to blend in with the scenery, you could find the "Old Bill" deciding to tow your motor away, as unroadworthy (It's happened, but not to me, OK?).

Also, on this type of surveillance job, don't go armed to the teeth, or carry loads of equipment "just in case", - if through talking to you, the police officer decides he has grounds for a search, he will search your vehicle - how are you going to explain away your M60 and it's 2,000 rounds (those researchers can be tough!).

Finding these will be big brownie points for the officer, and a certain trip to the nick (UK slang for a Police station) for you, even if you ARE carrying your Covert Carry Firearms Permit, Rules of Engagement card, BlackEagle ID card, and a signed certificate from God!

Another thing to bare in mind; the types of cursory checks a police officer can do on you, such as a vehicle check, name check and voters check - if any of these reveal anything out of the norm you're opening yourself up to more problems.

A variable which you have no control over in this encounter is the experience of the officer you're dealing with. New officers (probationers) may, on one level, be easier to BS due to their lack of experience, but they also are fresh out of training and so the 'correct' way of doing things is fresh in their minds (check this that and the other, complete forms 'x', 'y', and 'z', getting the driver to sign each damned form) plus, as part of their probation they are forced to complete various task (must conduct vehicle searches, alcohol breath tests etc).

The older officers may have developed bad habits, no mandatory vehicle checks, no body search on arrest (bloody unlikely, let me tell you) etc, but then again they'll also have a better feel for sniffing out BS, and, as mentioned earlier, if you manage to eek them off, they will, more often than not, find a damn good reason to give you a ticket, or haul you in.

Finally, be careful about using force against these guys. They are allowed to defend themselves - they can smack you back if you start something - no more of this restraining only. They've also got their CS spray and some sort of baton (depends where you are as to what type they'll have, but, and take it from me, those ASP batons really hurt). Plus, obviously, if an officer sends an "urgent assistance" call, it will be answered (very rapidly) by just about every mobile officer in town - and possibly from neighbouring towns.

Well, there were some brief points to bare in mind, hope they help someone.

Now, Paul - can I get back to my holiday, please?

Oh, alright. Though what Barcelona has, that your normal haunts haven't, is completely beyond me!

News from L&P... **by Todd Bell, L&P, Atlanta**

Greetings from Atlanta L&P, where we try and bring you the best in services, and product at the best prices.

Three more technicians will complete training in early April which should significantly shorten order processing and service request times.

Our main Russian ordnance supplier was recently blown into more pieces than we can count, in Mafia related violence. This means that those of you waiting on PSS pistols will have to wait a little longer, while we identify a new source on these items - sorry!

Following on from the above, shortages of 9x39mm SP5 and SP6 ammunition will require us to limit operatives to one hundred rounds per month until replacement sources can be found. We don't anticipate these problems lasting more then a month. Sorry for any inconveniences.

Pavel Mortieau of the Los Angeles office made a deal with the folks a ITT to get us a limited supply of fibre-optic accessory kits for the AN/PVS-14 Modular Night vision System. Going for the low price of only US\$200, these kits include sight adapter, three- and ten-foot fibre-optic cables, four lenses, and a camera adapter. Those interested should contact their local L&P rep or Pavel directly.

With Colt's recent decision to again produce a full line of civilian models, we are finally able to offer the Survivor. This 3-inch barrelled, 22 ounce, stainless steel five-shot revolver will chamber most rounds of 9mm/.38/.357 calibers (not including

the .357Sig) without modifications. Retailing at US\$500, we will be able to supply them at US\$420.

Finally, we are now able to offer computer ageing simulations packages. If you need to know what someone in a twenty year old photo might look like today, this is for you. For best results we need a full face photo and a photo of a family member near the appropriate age.

This service is currently only available from Atlanta with an average turnaround time of forty-eight hours. Faxes will NOT do the job, but an e-mail image will, but remember to use the secure system, just in case!

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Classified ads in the BlackEagle Bulletin are primarily for the use of BlackEagle Employees only; There are exceptions, however. Normally, exceptions are made to persons or entities that provide certain services of solutions for us to be able to complete our assignments in a timely and safe fashion.

NOTE that the submission of an ad to this section, does not mean automatic acceptance - we're limited by our available space, folks!

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Bored with dodging bullets in the old U.S of A? Marseilles Office has only been in existence for the last 6 months, and is looking for personnel from all levels of experience to join one of the most lucrative world markets for BlackEagle/BlackEagle.

A generous relocation allowance to one of the most glamorous European cities, language tuition provided on-site, and generous benefits and bonuses available for current BlackEagle employees.

Marseilles office currently runs only 5 Cells, and has the largest scope of any BlackEagle office currently in operation, from Europe to North Africa, to the fringes of the Middle East, with successful missions in Algeria, Egypt, Southern France and Spain.

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WANTED

WTD : Information on Arms transport in the African Subcontinent, successful completion of long term mission objectives requires detailed profiles on possible routes of smuggled arms from United States. Information on Entry points into the continent would provide a helpful starting point. *Marseilles Cell 3, currently on extended Assignment in Pretoria., c/o Marseilles Office.*

OFFERED

M82A1 Barrett Light Fifty for sale, (Used once, one careful lady owner), slight cosmetic soiling on stock, but completely washed and clean throughout. Complete with 20-power day/night scope, spare magazine, and forty-nine rounds of .50 Cal Green-Spot ammunition. New pet cat forcing sale.
Contact Dizzy, at Miami Box 015.

For sale : NVGs, night-sights for Steyr-AUG Carbine, red-dot unit for same, customised grips for Glock-17, red-dot unit for same.

Miami office, Bob Sheratt. Reluctant sale due to relocation to Europe.

For Sale: BMW 520i, dark tinted bullet resistant (up to 5.56mm ball) Safety glass, Kevlar panelling, re-con engine, air-con, GPS routing system, including radio traffic alert unit, traction control system, and sports gearbox. (Right hand Drive). Reasonable offers accepted.
Alf Kelson, London Office.

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(ED: substitute 'sensitive' with 'causing' ? <grin>)

And Finally, Did You Know...?

...that the American Anti-Crime Act of 1994 made it illegal to buy handgun magazines with a capacity over 10 rounds?

Editor's Note: This brings up a good point for employees bringing firearms to the US; if the mag for the handgun you are bringing to the US has a capacity over ten rounds, you stand to have it confiscated by US Customs and, worst case, have the possibility of seeing charges for smuggling brought against you.

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