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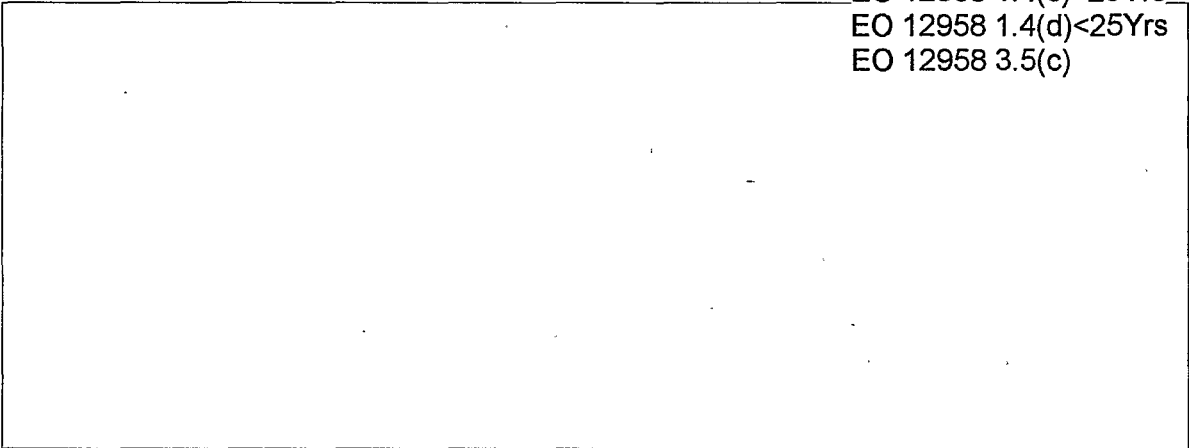
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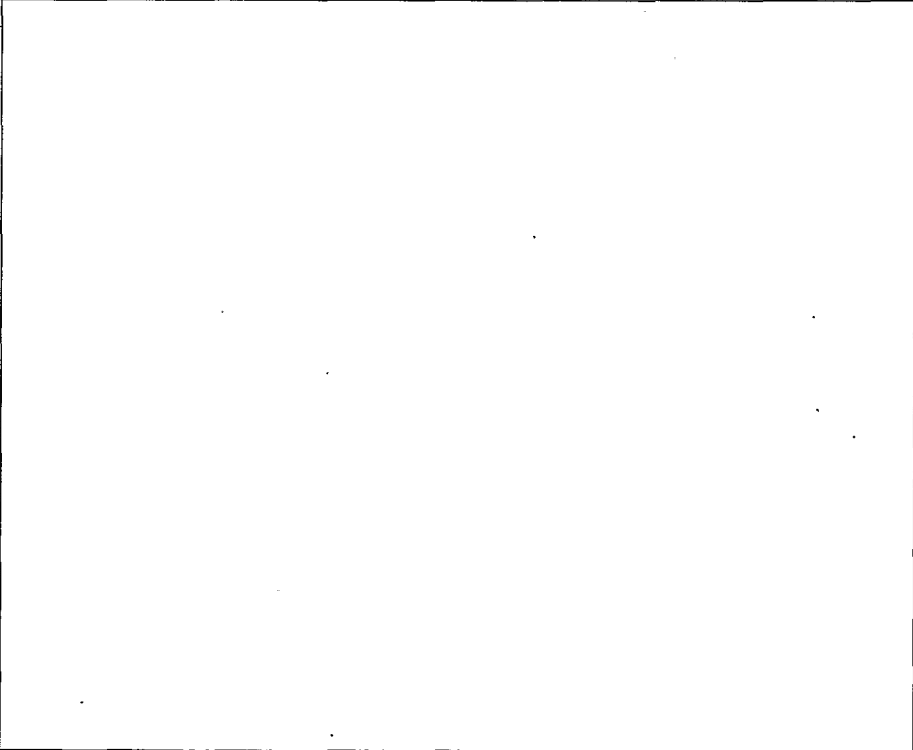
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SUBJ: TERRORISM: DISCOVERY THAT 11 SEPTEMBER 2001 HIJACKER
MOHAMED ATTA DID NOT TRAVEL TO THE CZECH REPUBLIC ON 31 MAY
2000

[REDACTED]

SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION OF THE TRAVEL TO THE CZECH REPUBLIC OF
TERRORIST MOHAMED ((~~NAME~~)) REVEALED THAT THE INDIVIDUAL WHO ATTEMPTED
TO ENTER THE CZECH REPUBLIC ON 31 MAY 2000 AT [REDACTED] AIRPORT
WAS NOT THE ~~NAME~~ WHO ATTACKED THE WORLD TRADE CENTER ON 11 SEPTEMBER
2001. [REDACTED] IT WAS PAKISTANI NATIONAL

[REDACTED]

THAT THE INDIVIDUAL WHO ATTEMPTED TO ENTER THE CZECH REPUBLIC ON 31
MAY 2000 AT [REDACTED] AIRPORT WAS NOT IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE
TERRORIST WHO WAS INVOLVED IN THE 11 SEPTEMBER ATTACKS ON THE WORLD
TRADE CENTER.

[REDACTED]

INITIAL CONCLUSIONS
REGARDING TERRORIST ATTA'S PRESENCE IN 31 MAY 2000 WERE INCORRECT.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

BASED ON THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IT WAS NOT POSSIBLE THAT THE KIDNAPPER OF AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT NUMBER 11, ATTA, WAS IN THE TRANSIT LOUNGE ON 31 MAY 2000. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

1 JUNE 2000: ATTA REQUESTED A CZECH VISA IN BONN, WHICH WAS ISSUED TO HIM BECAUSE OF HIS LONG-TERM RESIDENCY IN GERMANY. ATTA THEN PURCHASED A BUS TICKET [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

2 JUNE 2000: AT APPROXIMATELY 0615 HOURS, ATTA ARRIVED IN PRAGUE. EITHER ATTA OR SOMEONE ELSE PURCHASED A TICKET IN HIS NAME FOR CZECH AIRLINES FLIGHT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

3 JUNE 2000: ATTA TRAVELED FROM PRAGUE TO NEWARK, NEW JERSEY VIA CZECH AIRLINES FLIGHT 52. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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