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THE ISLAMIC STATE AS A RESULT OF US-INVASION OF IRAQ IN 2003 AND ITS SUBSEQUENT OCCUPATION AS WELL AS DEFECTS IN THE CONTEMPORARY INTERNATIONAL ORDER

"No one starts a war-or rather, no one in his senses ought to do so-without first being clear in his mind what he intends to achieve by that war and how he intends to conduct it".

Carl von Clausewitz On War

Introduction

The Author of this study chose comparing the network-centric warfare with military operations aimed at a broader effect (i.e. effect-based operations), because in Her opinion, relations between them both are crucial for the results of the Second Gulf War and results of subsequent occupation of Iraq until current events connected with the coming into existence of the caliphate of Iraq Levant. According to the Author, a possibility of leading more stable democratic governments existed in Iraq, however, it required correct integrating of above mentioned military concepts, what She will try to explain and to prove as part of this study.

In order to carry out an analysis we should at first describe what recalled military concepts are, whereas for increasing the transparency of the disquisition more favourably it will be to start explaining and discussing the sense of the term 'network-centric warfare'.

Weaknesses noticed in the doctrine of "network centric warfare"

The concept of the network-centric warfare is an effect of the anastomosis of the technique of the information exchange with peer-to-peer method with the traditional hier-

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archical flow of information led already earlier in the army. For comparison, in the operation Desert Storm American soldiers needed 2-3 days for fixing of the target coordinates, taking photographs of it, planning the mission and providing with these data the crew of the bomber, whereas commanders had to rely on drawn with pencil maps and radio notifications. During the Second Gulf War all data was in the real time (Raduege 2004).

Thus, thanks to implanting the military concept of network-centric warfare (and of technology applied in it) much a low figure of army is needed for achieving military victory than ever before. Moreover, the low figure of soldiers and less equipment usually gives the effect of an unexpected attack and hence the advantage on the battlefield, and both economic losses and potentially carried victims in own soldiers, are essentially reduced. Therefore internal pressure of the public opinion against the war should also undergo the reduction. Whereas defeating enemy forces with lower powers by the invading side can additionally heighten the crushing psychological effect with doctrine of "shock and terror" on the population of the occupied territory, especially on potential rebels and soldiers defending the regime in case of Saddam Hussein. It results from analyses of official sources, that the Americans reasoned that way, and particularly the former Secretary of Defense (from times of the invasion – Donald Rumsfeld) (Gordon, Trainor 2010).

When planning the invasion of Iraq and implementing the process of democracy, not well appreciated (or used on purpose) such phenomena seem to the Author of this paper as:

1. Existence of the cultural ethnocentrism

They did not appreciate as well as they did not notice (at preserving the conjecture of good intentions of American political decision-makers) importances of the fact that human rights are an abstraction, of which binding the "vocation for the life" is dependent above all from appearing between entities of the given society the so-called "social agreement" supposing that such exists; whereas the American side imposed its reasoning as natural and obvious for everyone.

2. Cultural blindness

It is a kind of "filter" determined culturally, limiting perceiving strangers of cultural phenomena, what is imperceptible by representatives of the native culture; of psychological mechanisms of the process of the decision making of errors group and associated with it not-realize of participants in the process.

Psychological mechanisms of the group decision-making process and associated with it errors of not-realize participants in the process. According to sources and studies of psychologists at preparing the invasion of Iraq there were many psychological traps, among others the syndrome of "group thinking" where preserving the cohesion and solidarity of the group were preferred to the realistic deliberation of facts; it took place at the selection of his advisers by President Bush who wanted to have a good team that "would not oppose to him" (Aronson at el. 2010). Also Secretary of Defense, Donald Rumsfeld, disregarded deliberately the opinions of the Arabists concerning the introduction of democracy in Iraq and not accidentally selected the staff sympathetic to turning it over, whereas the firm opposition towards his assumptions was connected with a need to hand in one's resignation (Gordon, Trainor 2010).

3. National character

There are many accurate definitions of this concept. For the purposes of this paper it is worthwhile quoting, that it is "a basic (being long-lasting and constant) structure of personalities of people belonging to the same culture, based on processes made uniform of the socialization and the upbringing" (Dujker, Frijda 1960: p. 14).

4. Cultural scripts

These are schemes and habits typical for a given society. They are determined by expressed and unexpressed convictions, which are considered to be appropriate and genuine.

- 5. A system of values as the attribute of cultures, of psychological dimensions of the culture axiological and epistemological. Geert Hofstede one of the most outstanding researches of cross-cultural psychology is naming taught at individuals (particularly in the childhood) by the culture patterns of the thinking "cultural programming their mind". To change these templates is a more difficult process than learning them as one's original, although some departures from them are still possible. The above mentioned "programming the mind" is pointing at reactions determined by the researcher as "probable" and "understandable" (Hofstede 2000: pp. 38-42).
- 6. Cultural faux pas it came into existence due to insufficient consultation specialists of the Arabic culture. It means imposing forcibly the democracy, not from the will of the Iraqi citizens resulted in striking Iraqi national pride and formed an association there with old British colonial practices in the region. As Zbigniew Brzeziński points out, becoming military involved of the United States is "rushing right in the middle of region which bitterly remembers and is reproaching for the British colonialism" (Brzeziński, Scowcroft 2009: p. 26). Then the press reports announced regularly the

progress in introducing of "enlightened regime". Additionally, it came to association of the USA with Israel because of the television presentation showing American soldiers in front of horrified Arabic families, which reminded the local viewers of earlier Israeli troops practices in the occupied Palestine. The hostile image was enhanced by the fact that only a small number of coalition armies were present in Iraq what encouraged guerrillas firing at invader in hope for defeating them. Americans made up for deficiencies of the strength of armies with greater aggression what in turn aroused the opposition of the Iraqi population (ibidem).

- 7. Insufficient knowledge in the cultural anthropology. The studies conducted by intercultural psychologists have shown, that in richer countries, the harder the climatic conditions, the lesser the preference of authoritarian leadership (Scandinavia); whereas in poorer countries, on the other hand, hard climatic conditions correlated positively with the acceptance of authoritarian leadership (Boski 2009: p. 33). At the same time, the average summer temperature in Iraq are, according to the data, between 31,5 C and 34 C, whereas the maximum temperatures reach 44 C. It is regarded that the optimum temperature for human comfort is 22 C. However, Iraq in the era of Saddam Hussein belonged to another group of countries, i.e. to a group of states of weak financial position under the influence of extreme high temperatures, and hence it seems, that the decision of attack on Iraq in the light of these data, should have been made while taking into account in even greater degree the ensuring of appropriate standard of living in this country (which was exactly a part of the very much neglected 4th phase of the operation). In other circumstances it would not have been so important.
- 8. Conclusions from analyses of psychologists are also coinciding with analyses irrespective of them conducted of such political scientists as Fernando Limongi and Adam Przeworski (Mackintosh 2015; Przeworski 2004: p. 9; *Iraq GDP per capita 2004-2010*). They showed in their examinations, that regularities existed between the level of the affluence measured in the gross domestic product, i. e. GDP per capita of states, and with permanence of the democratic system functioning in them. They estimated the probability of the collapse of the democratic regime for each of periods set approximately by given GDP, being based in addition on historical documentation, for counting inflation rates and the dollar exchange rates to the period of conducting contemporary analyses.

It resulted from them, that in countries with the indicator GDP per capita below USD 1000 annually it is possible to expect the fall of the democratic reslightly gime during a given year, at below USD 1500 – within the 8 following years, for the range

between 1001 to 3000 USD the expected length of democracy lasting is according to Przeworski – 27 years, and at above 6055 will last in a given country forever.

It appears from the data of the economic Iraqi Economists Network service that in 2004 it amounted below USD 1000, in 2005 slightly above USD 1000, in 2006 it amounted about USD 2006, in 2007 it amounted nearly USD 2000. In 2008 – USD 2700, in 2009 it fell to about USD 2100, whereas in 2010 it fell again to about USD 1600. The Author did not manage to get to more accurate and more apt data to this subject.

However, it is worthwhile paying attention, that at the oscillation of the standard of living, a perception of the given phenomenon is still an additional variable by residents of the region.

Professor Joanna Sokolowska-Pohorille from Warsaw School of Social Science and Humanities noted an interesting occurrence. She is a psychologist specializing among others in mechanisms of assessing the situation and the decision making by human individuals. As she claims, that there is a psychological pattern, according to which gaining the amount of e.g. USD 1000 is percepted not as strong as loss of the same amount (given here just as an example)¹.

This is in accordance with Dr. Malgorzata Budyta-Budzyńska from Collegium Civitas who states that: "riots, civil unrest and social tensions or revolts do not necessarily occur at the moments when the situation is really the worst, but quite often when after a temporary recovery a slight deterioration in the given country appears". As Budyta-Budzyńska explains, it concerns the state of the tension felt by the society itself, which arises under the influence of the situation perceived by that society, whereas "when coming into existence of the social resistance the actual state of affairs does not really matter as much as the fact how the population actually sees and perceives it". Besides, the economy is not the only factor which one should consider as the reason for creation of the self-appointed "Islamic State". Nevertheless, this factor will also be analyzed hereafter².

However, there is another open question: to what extend are any military powers prepared and competent to operate in the area considered in this case? Certainly in every case it will be issue for individual considering and analysis. In the concept of operations set to the effect base the main point is as follows: instead of focusing on losses both in

² Prof. Malgorzata Budyta-Budzyńska, lectures on the subject *Contemporary ethnic conflicts*, held in the academic year 2012/2013 at Collegium Civitas.

¹ Prof. Joanna Sokolowska-Pohorille lectures on the subject *Psychology of Decision-Making and Risk Assessment* held in the academic year 2010/2011 at Warsaw School of Social Sciences and Humanities.

equipment and in victims caused by enemy attacks, operations set to the effect base put emphasis firstly on the targets and secondly on the means of achieving the goals. And so, for example, psychological operations, computer battle centres, logistic and remaining disruptions nonlethal in action centres can be used to lowering the morale or defeating enemy forces minimizing civilian casualties or reducing becoming dilapidated in the infrastructure. The effect base operations can also be used as one of the available operation techniques by military commanders.

Untapped potential of the effect-based operations

However, a serious problem concerning data base operation constitutes the fact, according to Mattis, that the term effect base operation is fundamentally imperfect. It can be interpreted in so many ways and does not match the nature of the war. This causes a great deal of confusion which creates the illusion of results predictability much greater than it can really give (Mattis 2008). According to the Author of this paper such opinion can emerge from the fact, that the effect base military operations — as the present analysis seems to show — may involve an interdisciplinary approach and top-class specialists from very diverse fields including the working knowledge of traps of mechanisms of the process of the decision making groups. If effect base operations are beyond military issues, but e.g. they concern introducing the democratic rule of law on a given territory; persons whose education and competence are exclusively to do with conducting the warfare can have difficulty in organizing the desired result.

In this place the Author would like to describe analyses noticed by herself in progress of sources of the challenges for the conventional look at conducting the warfare. These challenges are important in the context of the American intention of the reform of Iraq after invading this country by the USA, as well as in the context of the fight against the Islamic State.

Pawel Droździak – psychotherapist, specialist for the psychology of the violence, having personal experience at the work with Muslims – often going for observation to Muslim countries, points out that:

1. "The Muslim radicalism is not being confessed because of the poverty the local people live in,, but it is rather granting their followers the feeling that they know the meaning of life, what drinking Coca-Cola and wearing jeans (promoted by the American style of life) cannot grant". The point is a peculiar psychological need of the followers

as well as the feeling of emptiness felt by them when trying to live in the way people in western countries do.

- 2. Civilization of the West, not-following principles of the Islam, is growing old and dying out, whereas Muslim population following strictly canons of the faith is becoming a demographic power. From this point of view it is incomprehensible for the Muslim civilization, why the Muslims would be supposed to adopt the Western lifestyle imposed upon them. Such patterns can be even received as harmful. It is worthwhile adding that God in the Islam is not loving unconditionally in the same way as in the Christianity and this can be the reason why believers of that religion with such difficulty are becoming assimilated when leaving their homelands.
- 3. Great importance of the technology and unmanned flying apparatuses (drones) as well as little presence of armies, e.g. the American military forces can wrongly be perceived by the Arabic population. It can be regarded as "gullibility" and the soldiers as "weaklings", which can incredible strengthen hostile fighters mentally to give them feeling the moral superiority over the American side and the inspiration for the further fight. This applies particularly to "the type of man having only one goat, who fought his entire life, many of his friends no longer live, and preparing mentally to the expected war against Americans". If this is the case, he is experiencing a huge shock and his expectations are disappointed towards the enemy what has an adverse impact on his future conduct.
- 4. One should actually recognize, which arguments are persuasive for islamists. Pawel Droźdżak claims, that "Vladimir Putin is the only politician well understanding the Islamic radicalism. He built the biggest mosque in the region in Grosny appointing the condition, that beside an Orthodox church will be allowed"³.

An outline of, how the expertise would be needed for conducting effective implementing the democratic system of Iraq is emerging from the above points.

In the course of analysis of source materials the Author came across on another observation originating from Thomas Friedman, winner of the Pulitzer Prize regarded as one of the most insightful observers of the Middle East. As he writes, "thousands of young Muslims suffer from feeling the lack of the dignity" (Friedman 2002: pp. 334-335). From the very young age they are being taught in mosques that the Islam is the most developed of all three monotheistic religions⁴. However, they realize that world

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³ Based on Author's personal interwiew with Paweł Droździak

⁴ Compare with Text of Cairo Declaration on Human Rights In Islam where Preamble says about: "the civilizing and historical role of the Islamic Ummah which Allah made as the best community and which gave humanity a universal and well-balanced civilization".

of the Islam is lagging behind the West and Israel. This triggers the anger in them. They blame Europe, the USA and Israel as well as their own politicians who destroy their civilization on purpose and betrayed themselves to the West. They are identifying America with the greatest evil which it is necessary to weaken or even to destroy. They are prone to commit suicide because the USA disturbed the meaning of their whole lives (Aronson at el. 2010: p. 179).

Doubts that emerge in the course of the analysis regarding the conduct of global fight against terrorism and in respect of global political system

Therefore, we can conclude, that the fight against the global terrorism was conducted the wrong way from the very beginning. The objectives were badly appointed and the methods of the fight led to even worse state than it used to be before. Military operations in the way they were conducted was never an appropriate form leading fights to the victory against the global terrorism. Perhaps real objectives of invasion of Iraq were different right from the beginning and the war against terrorism was just a legal excuse for the realization of real decision-makers' political intentions.

In the Author's opinion, in order to understand the discussed issues more in depth one should in this place explain the term *information warfare (infowar)*. It is a special type of the guidance with the society, the public opinion or even intelligence agencies or governments of other states relying on competent showing open information (including manipulating them) in such a way that their recipients act as they are told to do according to the will of specific person or group⁵.

Another important issue concerning the above mentioned topic is the access to the open information. The rule is that all persons with any safety certificates have an insight only into these documents which are needed for them to strictly determined official duties. Therefore not everyone having entitlements to the level 'top secret' all state secrets (or secrets of international organization they work for) and all intentions of their political superiors. Furthermore, the head of the department working with sensitive information being supposed from one's subordinate perhaps not to get to know the top

⁵ Self-Definition of the Author

stair of entitlements to the inspection of information his employee got to do their official tasks (. .6 ⁷ Thus, in this respect

- 1) Apart from the fact, that media observers might fall prey to deliberately conducted information warfare by specified countries or organizations;
- 2) Persons performing national functions can unwittingly also be elements of the sure information game led towards the public opinion while giving their opinion frankly according to their best knowledge to the specific subject with which they are bound professionally or even to some extent participated in the event.

From this point of view an own knowledge is and own analytical abilities are left to a recipient for the evaluation and verification of facts or information presented to him.

In the current situation citizens not having access to the sensitive information might not know to what extent presented official data or reasons for taking politically motivated decisions are real, or to what extent they are cleverly manipulated by authorities for some reasons only known to them which may be more or less right. It might also concern discussed issues. It is not even known to what extent the involved political image created by individuals is matching the truth about them.

Moreover, it is worthwhile noticing that in the democratic system the image of the politician constitutes the sole criterion of selection after all through electors of its decision-makers political, having a control also above the secret service, as well as the access to the information from the margin of safety and of strategic objectives of the state. The verification of given factors is to some extent beyond the range of the possibility of average electors. In the Author's opinion, this creates as follows:

- 1) a certain illusion of a prime mover of citizens in choosing and accounting for their representatives from exercising the authority of the state, or
- 2) possibilities of manipulations of the public opinion difficult to detect for own purposes.

In this way a specific gap emerges in the system which according to the Author is creating a certain illusion of a prime mover of citizens in choosing is coming into existence and of accounting for their representatives from exercising the authority of the state. Additionally, such a phenomenon is distorting the meaning and main values of the democracy. It seems to be unnoticeable or omitted in scientific debate – at least theoretically possibly exists, that is happening that way with harm for public goods and the

⁶ Prof. Lukasz Kister lectures on the subject *Information Security as part of national security* held in the academic year 2013/2014 at Collegium Civitas.

⁷ Prof. Dobrosław Mąka lectures on the subject R*isk analysis and system analysis* held in the academic year 2013/2014 at Collegium Civitas.

international order. All this is very worrying when realizing the spread of the Islamic State to other regional centers such as Libya as well as renaming the Boko Haram activity into the Islamic State in West Africa (Spencer 2015). Yet, this phenomenon also seems to proliferate even further and the examples given are just the most evident ones.

According to the Author, the solution of the discussed problem, although perhaps utopian like, would be a change of the way of appointing political decision-makers, who are representatives of the will of individual states or responsible for decisions made by them. Showing the course of reasoning of the Author in a simplified way: the knife, the atomic energy or, for example, the plane and many others – may be used in a useful as well as a harmful way for the society.

Should the selection system of political leaders be changed effectively while considering such criteria as honesty, intentions of serving community (also international) and favoring them, instead of, e.g. legitimizing the coming to power and keeping it by force, as in the case of totalitarian and to some extent authoritarian regimes, or instead of appointing political decision-makers on the basis of a criterion of a better specialist in creating the image of the politician, or the greater smartness in raising funds for a more spectacular election campaign, as it is often the case in democratic systems. Implementing such a system would require an approach to the common accord and a universal agreement of the international community and introducing appropriate reforms.

The set of allegations demonstrating the flaws of political system

Meanwhile, General Wesley Clark – former Supreme Allied Commander of the NATO forces – stated in an interview for the CNN Television Network, that the Islamic State was an Israeli-project, sponsored originally by Israel in order to defeat Hezbollah. This information is additionally confirmed by Edward Snowden, stating, that the Islamic State is 'a creation of American, British and Israeli services'. General Clark also claims, that occupation and destroying governments of Iraq, Syria, Lebanon, Libya, Somalia, Sudan and Iran within five years was announced as the American plan after terrorist attack of 11 September 2001. As General Clark explains later on, if not oil, the situation on Middle East could be probably the same as in Africa (Global Warfare: "We're going to take out 7 countries in 5 years: Iraq, Syria, Lebanon, Libya, Somalia, Sudan & Iran.." 2016; Aljezairy 2012; Former Afghan President: US not interested in vinning 'War on Terror' 2015; Durden 2015; Milne 2015; Porter 2015; The Alex Jones Channel 2015a; Duff 2015; Haven 2015a; Haven 2015b).

In the study *Gold Dollars*. *Oil Dollars* Denise Rhyne states, that the Treasure Secretary of the USA, Paul O'Neil revealed, the Cabinet under President George Bush considered an invasion of Iraq 8 months before the attack of 11 September 2001. They were looking for an "excuse" to justify the potential incursion of the American troops into Iraq for the above mentioned reason (Rhyne; Sartre 2015; Burke 2003; EsotericScience 2015; freedominfonetwork 2012; WelcomeBackHome 2012; Strawman Burneth 2012).

It is all the more remarkable, that in spite of the very dangerous conclusions which could be drawn from the joint report submitted by as many as 16 American Intelligence Agencies in 2006 – on the growth of terrorist threat as a result *National Intelligence Estimate* – on the increase of terror threat as a consequence of the US-invasion of Iraq, secret services did not control the development of the situation sufficiently (Wojna w Iraku przyczyną rozwoju terroryzmu na świecie? 2006).

Instead they made the Head of Iraqi police leave, whereas the Iraqi police were administrated in such a way that it fueled Iraqi sectarian wars inside this country which turned the initially pro-American orientated indigenous people against the US-forces (The Guardian 2013).

Also an argument of operational costs of the military and intelligence presence is intelligible. Similarly, the USA tries to avoid being blamed for neocolonialism. Nevertheless, as the analysis of media news reports reveals, even before the invasion German intelligence helped the Americans collect data about possible possession of mass destruction weapons by the Iraqi government (Koltunowicz 2011).

Reflection arises, whether in such a situation services of other countries were not interested in the complicity in costs and with own active intelligence work in order to prevent the deterioration of the situation?

Besides, the former American Marine, Ken O' Keefe, blamed the US-Presidents as well as the British Prime Minister Cameron for being the richest bankers' puppets. Not only puppets, but also prostitutes and minions of the agenda. It stands to reason that they do not officially say a word about it. As he claimed, "they were acting according to the script set them which triggered the war bringing financial profits, arming terrorists and psychopaths from Al-Qaeda, being a CIA-project. He also accused Obama of being a puppet war criminal. He called 'hypocrisy' the American activity for human rights and expressed his opinion, that only 'biggest dopes could believe the official version introduced by the USA'. It was not Assad who has used Sarin gas against the civilian population, but ... 10 miles away from UN-inspectors present in Syria. During the TV debate, one of the participants from Washington, D.C, Lawrence Korb, stood while

listening to the crushing accusations with his head lower and lower without a word of protest" (conspiracykingdomdotcom 2015).

And Bob Ayers, former US intelligence officer, in response to a similar type of O'Keefe allegations, switched off the connection during the debate (O'Keefe 2014). This information seems to be confirmed in a film series entitled SHEMITAH EXPOSED I-III (TheDollarVigilante 2015a, 2015b, 2015c) by an economist-analyst, Jeff Berwick, which positively correlates with O'Keefe accusations on the project of the Great Zionist/Israel, whereas economical scams as well as intelligence foul play are also presented in the documentaries entitled 'Economic Hit Man', directed by Stelios Kouloglou, and 'Let's Make Money', directed by Erwin Wagenhofer.

In recent years, also a group of hackers called Anonymous floods on YouTube alternative news services of their own production Expressly warnings for average citizens. These websites present information on the allegedly planned by global policy makers even greater global financial crisis (KnowTheTruth 2014) than the former one, fraud relating to the maintenance of settlements for oil in US-Dollars, warn Americans against activities in urban areas named 'Jade Helm 2015' (ANONYMOUS 47258 2015) and the preparations of governments, other than the USA countries for the outbreak of World War III (Anonymous#1867 2015). The group of hackers also confirms the conspiracy theory concerning the sect 'Iluminati' (mihai retegan 2014) and in their videos they promise to sabotage the activities of this sect (AnonymousTV Official 2015; Syrmopoulos 2015).

And the massage of the Anonymous to the Poles (org. *Przesłanie Anonymous do Polaków*) is among others: The probable ultimate goal of the whole agenda is to create a Great Israel state in areas depopulated by the ISIS action and strict subordination multicultural and incapable of opposition Europe (Anonymous; MahealaniPrincess 2014).

The information presented here can be seen as bizarre and ridiculous, but even the French President revealed publicly on TV, that for a series of attacks of November 13, 2015 taking place in Paris the so-called 'Iluminati' are responsible (StillSpeakingOut 2015a; WeAreChange 2015a; Extra Capsa 2015; FahranK502 2009). The Interned is awash with articles describing those attacks as 'false flag attacks' in the military sense of the term as well as 'ritual sacrifice' (TheScariestMovieEver 2015; Round SaturnsEye 2015; StillSpeakingOut 2015b).

A multitude of these revelations and arguments or comments of their authors need to write a separate analysis devoted exclusively to this subject (in footnotes some examples of the above mentioned materials have been given). At this point a question actually arises: Why extremists from the Islamic State would attack in Paris, storm in Europe under the guise of refugees, but never made an attempt in Israel bordering with Syria? (Gulf Daily News 2014; The African Spear 2015; The Alex Jones Channel 2015b; vEnUs LuCiFeR 2015).

It appears from his public statement, that the Group also fought the late former head of the FBI – Ted L. Gunderson (IdahoPickerReloaded 2013). The Author of the present article is lacking ideas for explaining occurrences described here by herself. Therefore suitable appears at least turning of attention of public opinion on the submitted by Her data, raising of academic discussion or the verification of information by special services (inferior to the political decision-makers and burdened with the described defects in the process of their appointment).

Arguments presented in the above mentioned sources are consistent with the words of Krzysztof Jackowski, the most famous Polish clairvoyant with more than 700 documents from the police and the prosecution proving his ability, while at the same time being a court expert in the field of parapsychology and the main winner of a Japanese TV show for the seers from all over the world (Krzysztof Jackowski – jasnowidz z Cztuchowa). He argues among others, that the refugee crisis in the EU is organized by NATO, which got commissioned provoke war with Russia, and the refugees have to weaken and destabilize the EU to become more vulnerable to attack in case of future military conflict originating from the territory of Ukraine (Jasnowidz o uchodźcach Wybuchnie wojna w Europie 2015; Roberts 2015). The Author refers to this source, because in Her opinion without taking appropriate steps to prevent the likelihood of the foreseen events is almost equal to 100%.

This information also coincide with public statements and allegations formulated by the journalist Gearoid O'Colmain against American and French governments (Kafka-WinstonWorld 2015). The analysis of sources shows that the motivations of such activities are known to the American globalist political environment and the above mentioned Illuminati group. This supposition, however, requires verification by professional intelligence agencies. It is very likely, that the goal is to create a new global governance (Haven 2015c).

In addition, Hussein Amirabdollahian – Iranian Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs for Arabic and African Issues announces, repeatedly warned the US-Americans that the

population of the USA and Europe under banners of radical moves is entering Syria and this step constitutes a considerable risk not only for Syria but also for the entire region. It is worthwhile pointing out, that according to Mr. Amirabdollahian, persons coming from Europe and the USA constitute population of the Islamic State over the 40%. As he claims in the interview, "Unfortunately, the Islamic State enjoys financial, intelligence as well as logistical backing from other countries of the region" (Irdiplomacy; compare with: Kapiszewski 2014; Metzner I.-D, 2014; RT 2015; *Iranian FM Zarif Doubts US Coalition's Resolve to Defeat ISIL in Syria* 2015).

According to WikiLeaks materials from 2010, Syria offered the USA help in fighting terrorist groups, but the Americans rejected it and thus let such groups grow in strength. It is worthwhile emphasizing, that Syria was described in the following words: "We have a vast experience and we know these groups. It is our area and we are well aware of this". That was a reference to the earlier, unfortunate anti-terrorist cooperation and the explanation why Syrian authorities should command in such operations or at least have an equal status. It is also stated in the note, that Syrian forces are better at fighting terrorist groups than the American troops or any other regional ones (*Syrian Intelligence Chief Attends Ct Dialogue with S/Ct Benjamin* 2014).

A close advisor to President Putin, Alexandr Prokhanov, also blames Americans, claiming that the Islamic State is a byproduct of their policies in order to intimidate or manipulate Europeans to force their permission for American actions (Klein, Klein 2015; Synek Lubelaka 2015; Ripsonar News 2014). It is also a kind of tool to put pressure on Iran and Russia (GPD 2015). Furthermore, he accuses Israel of support and training spies, military and terrorist forces of the Islamic State. Prokhanov also said, that Islam of the Islamic State is different from the one being practiced so far⁸. This approach show the intervention of Russia in the Islamic State as well as the wrangling between the USA, Israel and Russia in a different light than that presented in mainstream media (WeAreChange 2015b; Libertynewsmedia 2015).

Yet another, unknown light as to the reasons for actions of the US-Administration, perhaps explaining the justification for their action, can give notifications of the superspy, Edward Snowden, which were then publicized by FARS Iranian News Agency. According to these revelations, "the USA since the term of President Eisenhower, has secretly cooperated with an extraterrestrial civilization, that had made attempts to use Hitler in order to take control of the Earth in an implicit manner, so as not to encounter

⁸ The Author saw a website dedicated to the topic at *facebook.com*. However, this site apparently fell victim to a hacker attack and then it disappeared from the Internet.

any resistance" (Snowden Documents Proving "US-Alien-Hitler" Link Stun Russia 2014; see more: Ninjarem 2013; Ripsonar News 2015).

As we know, these attempts came to nothing. Perhaps it is worth noting, that we are talking about the infamous State conducting research on mind control and behavior modification, code-named MKULTRA (*Project MKULTRA*, *The CLA's Program of Research in Behavioral Modification, Washington 1977* 1977). And there are some premises, that studies of this type are still being conducted (Haven 2015d; The Alex Jones Channel (2015c; Wills 2013; Illuminatiwatcher1 2015; Cuthbertson 2015; Alfred Lambremont Webre 2013; Lupan 201

Conclusions

It was the intention of the Author to describe in what way it would be possible to fight effectively against the global terrorism as well as the Islamic State. However, in the course of more thorough analyses of this study we can see how the selection of political decision-makers carries grave danger in the current international order, how formidable tools are at these persons disposal thanks to imperceptible by the public flaws, which political science, knowledge from the scope of strategic studies or securitology, do not seem to notice. This poses, according to the Author, threats to the future of international security that can exist even when the Islamic State will be defeated and is also a major challenge for specialists in the field of international security.

The Author of this study encourages at this point for further academic debate on these issues in order to jointly develop better solutions for the formation of a future international order and a more secure future.

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The Islamic State as a result of US-invasion of Iraq in 2003 and its subsequent occupation as well as defects in the contemporary international order

In the Author's opinion, Iraq – under the American occupation or political control – constituted a perfect base or a bridgehead of influences for the United States in the region (with potential sortie base to carry out its own activities, as well as those of allied intelligence agencies, in order to keep under surveillance terrorist groups). Is it possible, that the United States renounced 'altruistically' or 'honourably' such an opportunity, and despite the reports and warnings was surprised with the occurrence of the Islamic State? The Author puts in her study the following research question: "Was conducting a military invasion possible (and whether it is still potentially possible) in such a way, which would have effectively implemented a stable and democratic government in Iraq after taking full political control over it?"

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