

SHADOW SINFONIA AFTER-ACTION REPORT

PRIMARY OBJECTIVE: IDENTIFY AND CAPTURE/KILL IMPERIAL SPY/SPIES

OUTCOME: SUCCESS

MISSION OPERATIVES:

- KUNARK, TRANDOSHAN ASSASSIN/GADGETEER
- MORDANA, CEREAN SCIENTIST
- DAX ARYEON, HUMAN BATTLEFIELD MEDIC
- CASTER ZIRACH, HUMAN MARSHALL
- TARRORWRRI, WOOKIE MARAUDER
- AAYLA, TWI'LEK POLITICO

S5 COORDINATOR: SEVEN

OVERVIEW:

During the previous mission, Shadow Sinfonia found reason to suspect that there was a traitor among the Rebels on Arda I who leaked information to the Empire, likely leading to the attack on their base. This agent likely still hides amongst the Rebels as they establish their new base, which could leave them quite vulnerable to another attack. The Shadows must identify this agent and any co-conspirators and prevent them from striking again.

MISSION BACKGROUND:

- In the previous mission, the Rebels at Arda I were attacked by Imperial forces.
- Throughout the mission, they noticed several instances of suspicious activity:
 - Unusual **radio disturbance** disrupting comms and navigation
 - A mysterious device, apparently an **encrypted communicator** effectively jamming other signals
 - A **suspicious rebel** attempting to move another (damaged) device, who Agent Speet managed to land a blaster shot on.
- After evacuating Arda I, the rebels moved to establish a new base on **Jagomir**, a humid, swampy planet in the Outer Rim.
- The rebels are not yet aware there is a turncoat in their midst, and Shadow Sinfonia has yet to share the information they have on the matter.
- *The Minuet* has been equipped with **Whisperthrust Engines**, reducing the ship's signature.

MISSION HIGHLIGHTS:

- The team decided to land *The Minuet* at Resolute Base, posing as extra muscle and medical support.

- Before landing, Kunark dropped into the swamp using *The Minuet's rapid cargo evacuation chute*. While not the happiest of landings, Kunark is quite tough, and he managed to use the mud for camouflage.
- Upon arriving, the team headed over to the medical tent in order to get access to medical records, looking for a lead on the person Speet shot in the previous operation.
- Kunark meanwhile stuck to the shadows, following a sullustan who seemed to have unfettered access to the base.
- Dax put his skills to work by treating a rebel he stabilized in the last mission. His good work got the attention of **Doctor Morricks**, a medical professional beautiful in both body and mind.
- While Dr. Morricks politely declined to let Dax see the medical records, Mordana retrieved data on her patients. Highlights included:
 - Several pilots with crash-related injuries
 - Various fighters with varying blaster injuries
 - A verpine mechanic and a human field assistant with burns related to technology use
- While there were candidates with blaster-related injuries, it occurred to the agents that the culprit may have foregone medical attention in order to avoid suspicion.
- Meanwhile, Kunark followed the sullustan until he reached a door marked "Technicians Only". Before the rebel could enter, the bounty hunter knocked him unconscious with a **sniper-shot** stun bolt.
- Kunark retrieved the sullustan's keycard and made it incident look like an "accident."
- The commotion attracted the attention of **Commander Qurno**, a high-ranking Duros, and several rebel infantry. Fortunately, Kunark slipped onto the roof out of sight.
- The team quickly heard about the incident as Kunark radioed in and Qurno radioed to Dr. Morricks. They convinced Dr. Morricks that they should go out to examine the patient, with Dax as a medical professional and Caster as a professional investigator.
- The team questioned the confused sullustan. He is **Major Yalor**, a comms operator and computer programmer mentioned by Captain Bess in the previous mission.
- Kunark tossed Mordana his keycard so she could enter the "Technicians Only" room.
- Inside was a variety of computers and comms equipment, including a **partially-disassembled protocol droid** hooked up to some computers.

- Mordana checked the computer to determine what had been accessed, determining that someone had accessed data on the base's inventory.
- A LOM-series protocol droid approached the building. The team convinced it that nothing was wrong and let it go about its business.
- Mordana reassembled the disassembled droid. Its damage to electrical components indicated it was disabled by an **ionization blaster**. The droid's memory backed this up and indicated the culprit was an average-sized and somewhat slim humanoid.
- Noting Yalor's lack of blaster-related injuries (other than that dealt by Kunark), the team concluded that the sullustan was unlikely to be the culprit they were looking for and sent him to the medical bay.
- The team began focusing on a particular bothan, **Lieutenant Masi Qual**, who both had been treated for a blaster injury and could have fit the profile of the individual at Arda I and in the protocol droid's memory.
- Kunark was dispatched/dispatched himself to shadow Lt. Qual. It was noted how she was sneaking around the base, even in daylight hours.
- Concerned about the presence of bugs/communicators in the base, Mordana created a **contraption** to detect radio activity.
- The device immediately pointed to the equipment in the same room. Apparently the rebels were jamming off-world transmissions.
- There was also a device in the **mess hall**, as well as blips outside of the base.
- Kunark had also followed Lt. Qual to the mess hall, keeping to the shadows in the rafters.
- The Bothan got her meal. She eats quickly and frequently bosses around recruits.
- Tarrorwrrri used Mordana's contraption to locate the device in the mess hall, leading him to a grey wookiee taking a tool kit to a device-- just like the mysterious device recovered from Arda I.
- Tarrorwrrri spoke wookiee to wookiee, learning that he had found the device **outside the base** while investigating a missing scouting party.
- Mordana intervened, requesting that the wookiee let her examine the device. He was happy to let a professional help in the learning process.

- While not communicating at the moment, the device did have data on it, including information on the base's inventory and resources.
- Mordana also determined whoever had accessed the information had the rank of **lieutenant**.
- Having already worked on an idea she was developing, Aayla decided to head to the command center to announce an award for junior officers, particularly for those injured while on duty.
- At the command center, **General Niall, Setenna Hase, and Var Narek** were discussing strategy and such. Commander Qurno was standing towards the back, scoffing at Aayla and the others before leaving.
- Aayla called over the field assistant Var to get names of the base's lieutenants for the "award". Var was happy to assist.
- Before leaving, Aayla gave him a "friendly jab" to the shoulder. Var's reaction indicated **soreness**.
- The list of lieutenants included Lt. Qual. **Var was also on the list.**
- Mordana crafted several badges for Aayla's award with **hidden tracking devices**.
- In the meantime, Kunark attempted to sneak into the command center. However, he made noticeable noise.
- The bounty hunter peaked out of the vents to address the confused senior officers. He managed to convince them he was an exterminator working on womprat problem.
- To avoid causing more issues, Kunark left the vents and returned to the rest of the party.
- Commander Qurno noticed the bounty hunter leaving the vent and questioned the party. While he remained somewhat suspicious, Caster convinced the duros that Kunark was a new recruit sent on a hazing activity.
- Unbeknownst to the party, Lt. Qual had used her stealth skills to approach them.
- The Bothan was quite interested in the award. She thought it was about time she finally was recognized for her services.
- Aayla offered the badge. Qual happily accepted the award before leaving.
- As Aayla moved to offer the badge to Var Narek, the entire base was shaken by an **explosion** in the command center.
- Dax, Caster, and Mordana ran to one entrance. Aayla moved to a second, and Kunark and Tarrorwri checked the rear.

- Inside, a heavy haze clouded what remained of the command center. The general was greatly injured, lying against one wall under some debris.
- Opposite to him, Dax spotted two figures through the dust: Var Narek dragging Setenna Hase as a hostage!
- Var shot the door controls, closing them as he retreated.
- However, Kunark was ready for him, unleashing a swarm of stun bolts at Var, quickly knocking him unconscious.
- Mordana worked the door and Dax gave medical attention to the injured general. Caster rushed over to Var to cuff the traitor.
- Kunark found himself in the sights of Commander Qurno, apparently suspecting him of foul play after his attempt at stealth in the vents.
- However, Qurno's pistol lacked the stopping power to pierce through the bounty hunter's armor and hide. Tarrorwri promptly pummelled the duros unconscious.
- Rebels were approaching the scene. Dax ordered one group to help get General Niall to the medical bay.
- Tarrorwri convinced others to stand down, as the situation with Commander Qurno was a misunderstanding and the situation was under control.
- Aayla ordered for a temporary command post to be established in light of recent events.

THE CONDUCTOR'S REVIEW:

Agents, I am pleased with your discretion and competence with this mission. Even where either of these areas were lacking, you still handed the situation well, and most importantly, you found the culprit!

The news about the traitor or the General's condition has not hit the rebels well, but there was not much to be done in that regard. Var Narek has been part of the Rebellion for many years. We're not yet sure why or when he turned. Setenna Hase's testimony reinforces your conclusion, and the DNA evidence along with the electrical burns Doctor Morrnick treated on Arda I also suggest Var was responsible for the encrypted communicators you found.

There has been some concern about Lieutenant Masi Qual. An ionization blaster was found in her quarters, and she did fit the profile of the culprit. She is a Rebel spy and her skill set would be problematic if turned against the Rebellion. However, it is entirely possible Var was attempting to frame Qual; she has admitted that her sneaking around the base was a suggestion from Var in order to prepare for an upcoming mission (Commander Qurno has verified this).

The rebels are keeping an eye on her just to be safe. As far as I am concerned, you have done your job well.

S5 REPORT, FILED BY SEVEN:

Sorry I didn't see a whole lot of action this time. Seems you did fine without me. I'll make sure *The Minuet* is clear of any bugs a spy might have planted.

Now that the rebels know they have a security problem, they're doing some investigation of their own. Turns out Urel Haydon, the barkeep with the cybernetics, is a retired spy and has been in rebellion against the Empire since it was the Republic! Had a nice chat about the Clone War. Guess that's warm note in all of this: Separatist, Republic, we're all people.

MISSION REWARDS:

- All agents: 1,500 credits, 25xp, 15 prestige, 0 notoriety