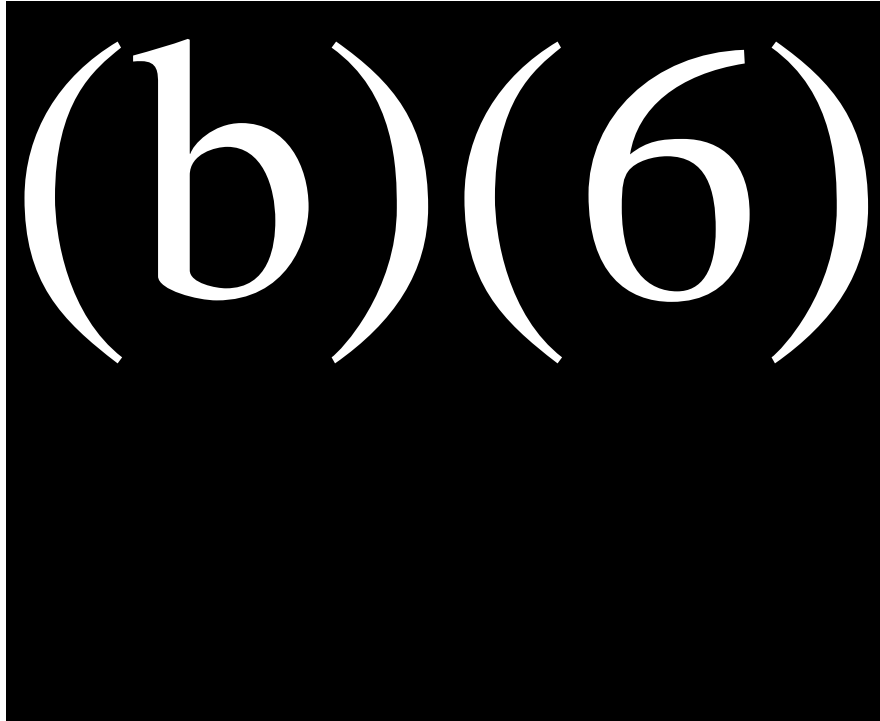


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**MEETING MINUTES**

Meeting Date and Time: 27 July 2004 @ 10:00 am  
 Meeting Location: Tucson Station  
 Meeting Purpose: TCA PDT Meeting  
 Distribution Date: 3 August 2004  
 Distributor: (b)(6)  
 Distribution:



**ACTION ITEMS**

ACTION	RESPONSIBLE	STATUS
1. Follow up on contract for GSRC to prepare EA for RVS in Douglas AO - AERC still has not received any funding for Douglas/Wilcox RVS project. (b)(6) will follow up with HQ BOR to determine status. (b)(6)	(b)(6)	Pending
2. Lighting design test follow up with Castro Electric. Scope for Baker Design.		Pending
3. Ephraim Ridge Report		Pending
4. Move the 1½” HDPEP waterline in Naco		scoping/ Naco Station – field coordination
5. Asphaltic Concrete arranged for August National Guard deployment	(b)(6)	Tabled – Will be need next summer
6. Need pictures and limits of project for “project description” forwarded to HDR		Done

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ACTION	RESPONSIBLE	STATUS
7. Support Request for large contingent of soldiers into TCA, including Cabeza Preita	(b)(6)	Pending
8. Comments due 27 July 2004 on Naco Roadway – 6 Miles west on the Naco 10 Mile Roadway Project	All	Done
9. Discussion should be started with Ephraim Ridge property owner regarding the appraisal.	(b)(6)	Pending, assigned to (b)(6)
ACTION Environmental Working Group	RESPONSIBLE	
1. Cabeza Prieta EA SOW 13 July Conference Call – include coordination with Yuma Sector / SOW / funding issues	(b)(6)	Done
2. Contract for GSRC (404 permitting issues)		Pending

**RVS (information only)**

(b)(6) discussed RVS in general and announced that this was his last PDT due to a transfer.

From (b)(6) repeated here again this month: “.....RVS coordination with the Border Barrier PDT is not being discontinued – however our current focus is on establishing a forum where support of RVS is its primary objective. At the present time L-3/GSI will attend the RVS Meetings in lieu of the PDT Meetings.”

**MILITARY DEPLOYMENTS**

Arizona National Guard (note schedule at the end of these minutes)

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**WWD – West of DGL POE**

- Whitewater Draw is open to Patrol traffic thanks to deployments by the Oregon National Guard - June 2004, Alaska National Guard - May 2004 and Illinois National Guard - July 2004. Final grading and placement of the last lifts of geofabric followed by paving will be accomplished by National Guard deployments scheduled next summer.
- Illinois National Guard placed 1-48” culvert, 600’ of bollard fence, 1000’ of landing mat fence, & 1000’ of aggregate roadway within the last month.

**Scheduled Deployments FY’05**

- Colorado National Guard - 15 May 2005
- Arizona National Guard – June 2005 (tentative to pave WWD)
- Arizona National Guard – July 2005 (tentative to pave Nogales ½ mile roadway)

JTF-6 (note schedule at the end of these minutes)

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**Scheduled Deployments FY’04**

- Naco (Low-water crossings) MWSS 371 6 Jul - 6 Aug (Underway)
- Nogales (Patrol Roads) 10 Jul - 23 Aug (Underway)

**Scheduled Deployments FY’05**

- Douglas (2 miles Patrol Roads east of the airport & LWCs) CSE Co, 41<sup>st</sup> Engr Bn JT3995-05 12 Sept – 28 Oct
- Naco/Douglas (as noted) 46th Engr Bn 27 Sept – 6 Nov

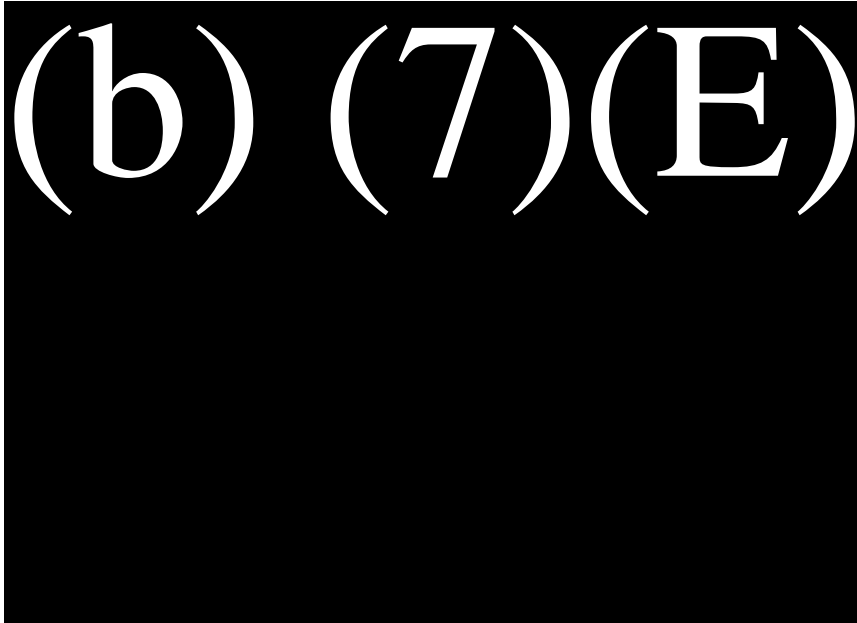
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- **Naco**
  - Lights (2.5 miles) west of the Naco POE.
  - 1.2 miles of road, 5 LWC, 5 Bollard Fence west of the Naco POE. Note: the waterline must be moved.
  - 1.0 mile of road past the last road project in Naco west of the POE.
- **Douglas**
  - Retro fit of lights.
  - LWC #5
  - 1.5 miles of Patrol Roads

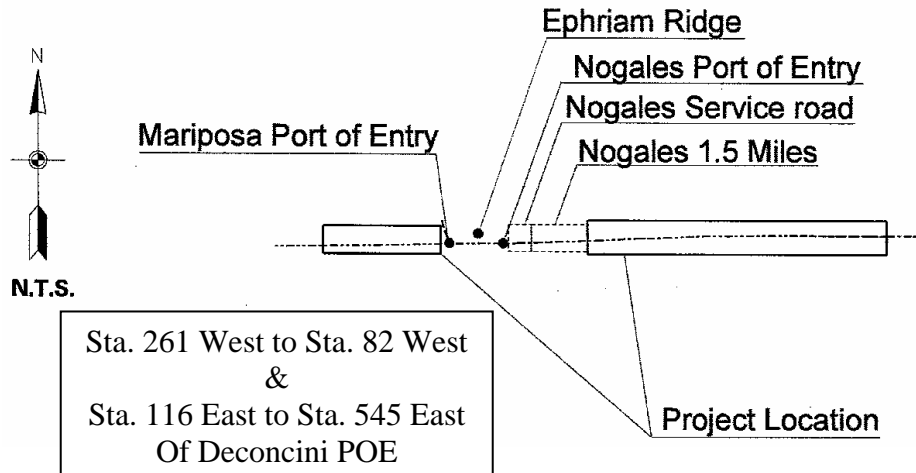
**ENGINEERING**

Baker Eng. - (b)(6) delivered the following products at the PDT meeting:

- Naco 10 Mile Roadway Project Master Drainage Report
- Naco 4 Miles East (Eastern portion of Naco 10 Mile Roadway)



- Nogales 10 Mile Schematic Design (15% design subject to comments)



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- Douglas, Lighting, NTP issued, design need by September for October deployment by JTF-6. 5 Miles of lighting design due 22 August 2004
- Douglas, Construction Oversight, and Staking. (see project completion reports and pending deployments)
- Douglas, International Ditch, Preliminary Design to begin
- Naco, Lighting (5 Miles) Split East and West of the POE, NTP issued 5 miles of design due 22 August
- Naco, Construction Oversight and Staking (see project completion reports and pending deployments)
- Sonoita, Preliminary Design (Complete)
- Nogales, 1-1/2 Miles Roadway (design complete, Real Estate underway)
- Nogales, Construction Oversight and Staking (see deployments)
- Permanent Survey Markers, being placed with deployments
- Temporary Vehicle Barriers (SON, NGL, TUC Stations). note EA development below.

**ENVIRONMENTAL**

GSRC - updates and discussion

- PEIS Tucson & Yuma (AERC 225) The Revised Draft PEIS for the Tucson/Yuma Sector Operations has been submitted for internal comment. A review meeting is scheduled next week to discuss any comment and responses. Ingram reminded the group that it is imperative that BP identify all the actions that are current and planned in the various stations. Assessments can not be made without full disclosure.
- Ephraim Ridge. The cost estimate for a Phase I ESA for Ephraim Ridge has been submitted to (b)(6) for staffing and should be accepted within the next week.
- Whitewater Draw 404 Permit. The Whitewater Draw mitigation plan was revised and re-submitted to (b)(6) USACE Los Angeles District. No comments have been received from (b)(6) to date. (b)(6) is expected to have GSRC's contract negotiated by the end of next week.
- Cabeza Prieta. The PDT agreed to go forward with the Cabeza Prieta NWR EA/EIS. The decision regarding EIS vs. EA will be discussed next week as well as the scope of work.
- Naco BA. The Naco BA for the San Pedro crossing will be submitted within the next two weeks for internal review. Temporary Vehicle Barriers (TUC, NGL, & SON Stations). The Temporary Vehicle Barriers draft EA was sent out on 9 July for a 30-day public comment period. One comment letter (Senator John Shagge) has been received so far--which was extremely favorable. The deadline for comments is 9 August. This EA did NOT include CAG and AJO stations since these stations have proposed permanent VB on the TON.
- Vehicle Barriers - Tohono O'odham Nation (TON) (AJO & CAG Stations). The draft SOW for the permanent vehicle barriers on the TON (which covers CAG and AJO) has been forwarded to Fort Worth for staffing. Tucson Sector BP needs to identify this funding.
- GSRC has just received the CR report for the Sonoita border road project. A preliminary draft EA is anticipated to be completed and submitted for internal review within the next two weeks.

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- Nogales Schematic Design. The Sacramento District will obtain the ROEs for the Nogales Schematic Roadway (10 miles) prior to initiating the field surveys.
- The Ajo and Tucson Station RVS EAs are still on hold pending. Reconnaissance trips are scheduled for 28 July for the Tucson Station and the week of 9 August or 16 August for the Ajo Station.

**REAL ESTATE**

USACE – (b)(6)

- Douglas Lighting (5 Miles) Split East and West of the POE – no activity
- Douglas, 13-Miles Roadway West of POE – no activity
- Douglas, International Ditch – no activity
- Naco, Lighting (5 Miles) Split East and West of the POE – no activity
- Nogales, 2-Miles Roadway East of POE – no activity
- Nogales, Construction & ROW Acquisition – no activity
- Nogales, Schematic Design. D. Fodrinin was requested to pursue ROEs for the environmental work on the Nogales EA.
- Sonoita, Preliminary Design, and Coordination – no activity
- Permanent Survey Markers – no activity
- Temporary Vehicle Barriers – no activity

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- Ephraim Ridge Reclamation. Appraisal prepared by Sacramento USACE and forwarded for enternal review. (b)(6) requested discussion off line regarding preceeding with the data in the appraisal.

**PROCUREMENT**

- Whitewater Draw (National Guard). Deployments complete for this year, no major concerns at this point. (b)(6) was satisfied with Maddux & Sons as aggregate material supplier.
- Naco & Douglas deployments (JTF-6) Discuyssion of upcoming deployments in September through November. (b)(6) requested inventory of unused materials and that BOMs be prepared ASAP due to problems obtaining steel.
- Nogales deployment (JTF-6). Discussion of paving operations next year and concerns with local supplier.

**CONSTRUCTION**

Report on Whitewater Draw, Naco, Douglas, and Nogales deployments by Kleinfelder

To access a website that has updates, go to:

[www.kleinfelder.com](http://www.kleinfelder.com)

-Click on the **Client Link** link at the left of the page.

-Select **Border Patrol Construction Oversight** from the drop-down menu.

-For a User Name enter: (b)(7)(E)

-For a Password enter: (b)(7)(E)

(The User Name and Password are case-sensitive, so make sure you don't capitalize.)

-Select the deployment you wish to view

**ACTION ITEMS**

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2. Lighting design test follow up with Castro Electric. Scope for Baker Design.	
3. Ephraim Ridge Report & Discussion should be started with Ephraim Ridge property owner regarding the appraisal. Offline discussion with (b)(6) and others will follow-up (Action items 3 & 9 from 27 July PDT agenda) See attached e-mail, report due 13 August.	
4. Move the 1" HDPEP waterline in Naco	
5. Inventory materials at Naco & Douglas Stations	Naco & Douglas Stations
6. Comments due on Nogales Schematic Design by 10 August	All
7. Comments due on Naco waterline relocation by 10 August	All
8. Comments due on Naco 4 Miles (18+70 west to 90+94 west) by 24 August	All
9. Lighting design & BOM for Naco & Douglas by 24 August	<b>(b)(6)</b>
10. Specs on transformers for lighting design for procurement by 10 August	
11. "As Builts" from deployments by 24 August	
12. ROEs for Nogales Schematic Design for environmental surveys	
13. Re-survey in Nogales	
14. Check on waterline replacement contractor also trenching for power to lighting	
ACTION Environmental Working Group	RESPONSIBLE
1. Meeting on PEIS 3 & 4 August in Phoenix	EWG only
2. Meeting on Cabeza Preita NWR EA/EIS	EWG only

**NEXT MEETINGS**

**24 August 2004 – HDR Phoenix, 10:00 am  
14 September 2004 – Tucson Station, 10:00 am**

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FY'05 TUCSON SECTOR DEPLOYMENTS											
Task Name	1st Quarter				2nd Quarter			3rd Quarter			4th
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
<b>Naco, Az</b>											
JTF-6 4094-3996 (1 Mile Patrol Road w/ 6 LWCs - 46th En.Bn. split deployment)											
JTF-6 3997-05 (5 Miles Lighting - 917th P.B.)											
JTF-6 4000-05 (1.5 Miles Patrol Road - MWSS371)											
JTF-6 3999-05 Barriers											
<b>Douglas, Az East of POE</b>											
JTF-6 3995-05 (2 Miles Patrol Road w/ LWCs - 41st En. Bn. )											
JTF-6 4094-3996 (6 LWCs w/ Fence and Lighting Retrofit - 46th En.Bn. split deployment)											
<b>Nogales, Az</b>											
JTF-6 4051,4001-05 Ephraim Ridge											
<b>Douglas, Az (Whitewater Draw - West of POE)</b>											
Colorado National Guard - Complete Roadway @ WWD											
Arizona National Guard - Paving WWD (tentative)											
<b>Nogales</b>											
Arizona National Guard - Paving 1/2 Mile (tentative)											

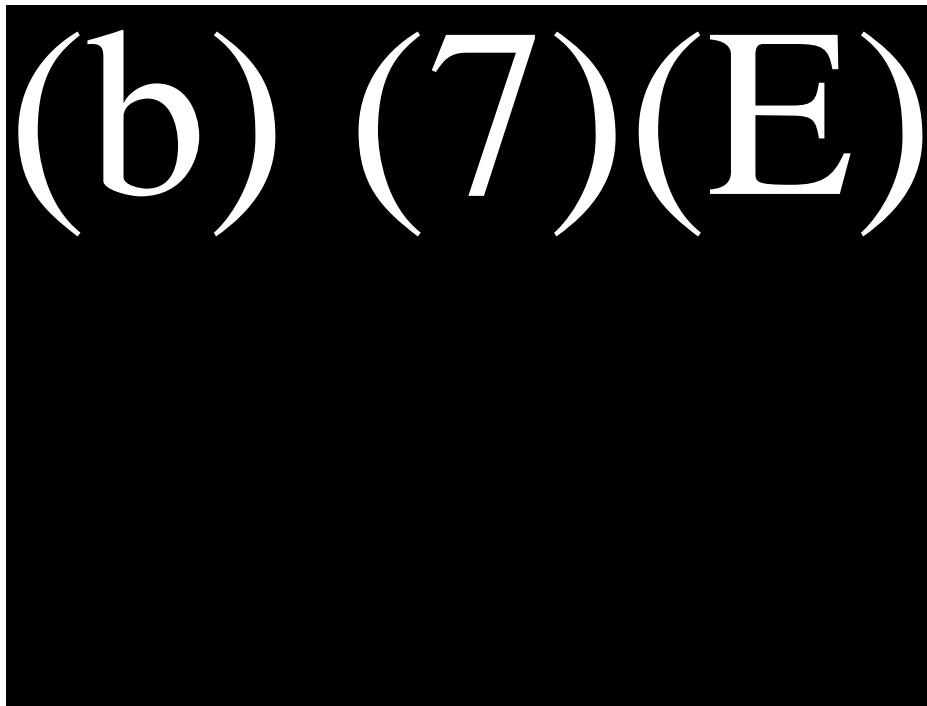
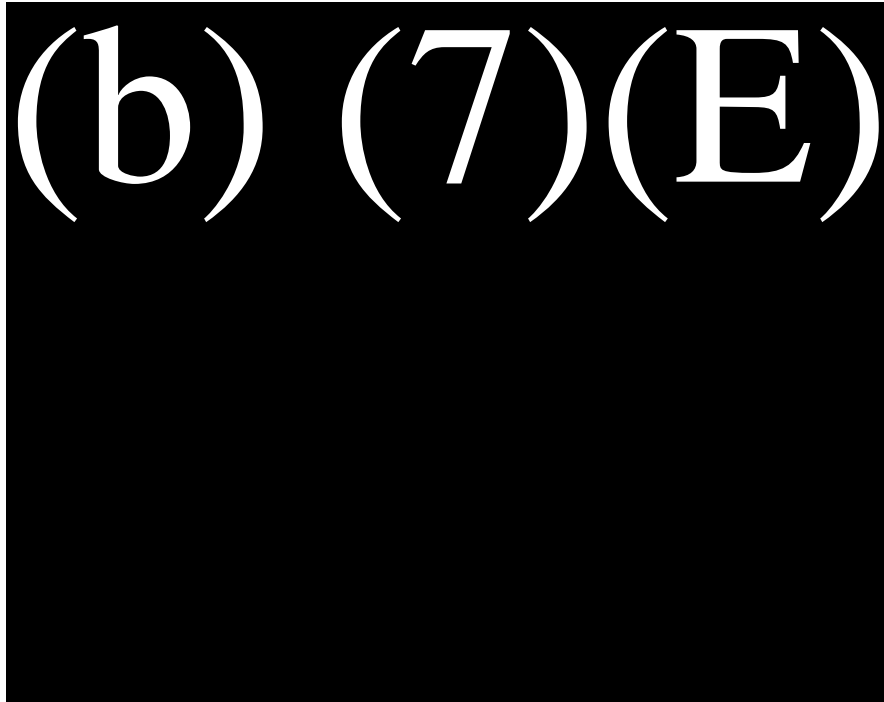
FOR CORRECTIONS PLEASE CONTACT  
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**UPCOMING DEPLOYMENTS IN FY'05  
ADDITIONAL NATIONAL GUARD AND JTF-6 DEPLOYMENTS ARE  
EXPECTED IN ADDITION TO THE 10 LISTED HERE**

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**Before and After Picture of Low Water Crossing Number 2 in Nogales Arizona (Provided  
by (b)(6) USMC)**



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**(b) (7) (E)**

(b)(6)

**From:** (b)(6)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 28, 2004 5:16 AM  
**To:** (b)(6)  
**Cc:** (b)(6)  
**Subject:** (b)(6) Property-Ephrium Ridge

Hello (b)(6) hope everything is well.....

Just got off the phone with (b)(6) and confirmed that DHS, NLC, Laguna will handling and coordinating Land Negotiations with (b)(6)

We will be accomplishing the following tasks in the next two weeks.

Obtain more current comparables for land property in Nogales (the appraisal only reflects 2001 and early 2002 comparables) and we know that there is potentially higher cost comparables in the area (please see e-mail dated 02/12/2004 (b)(5) )

Start negotiations with (b)(6) (Communications to this effect we again initiated yesterday) for the lease and or purchase of the land.

Complete Findings report to a 99% Draft and forward to appropriate DHS personnel for review.

The current target date is August 13, 2004, which maybe subject to change due to workload and competing priorities.

We will keep you informed on this progress.

Please add this to the minutes of the PDT meeting from yesterday so that everyone does not have to wait until next month for the information.

Thanks,

(b)(6)

United States, Department of Homeland Security Bureau of Customs and Border Protection National Logistics Center, (b)(6)

(b)(6)

(b)(6) Office  
fax  
Cell

(b)(6)

DATE: TIME: 27 July 2004 10:00

US BORDER PATROL BORDER BARRIER PROJECTS  
TUCSON SECTOR PROJECT DELIVERY TEAM  
MEETING CHECK IN AND SIGN IN

LOCATION: Tucson Station

TUCSON SECTOR

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NOGALES STATION

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DOUGLAS STATION

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SONOITA STATION

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

NACO STATION

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

CASA GRANDE STATION

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

YUMA SECTOR

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CONSULTANT TEAM

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