

Results of interviews with LT [REDACTED] on  
14 and 16 October 00

On 14 and 16 October 2000, LT [REDACTED] was interviewed by LT [REDACTED]. Items discussed included the inventory of small arms the USS COLE carried on board on 12 October 2000. The following is a breakdown of the inventory I witnessed with [REDACTED] and GMC [REDACTED].

<u>Weapon</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
9-MM	28
M-14	17
Shotguns 12-Gauge	14
M-60	4
50-cal	4
M-79	2
AN/M8 -Flare gun	3

LT [REDACTED] also defined the following Ship's Self Defense Force (SSDF) terms:

SAT - Security Alert Team. Armed personnel designated for immediate response.

BAF - Backup Alert Force. Security-trained personnel with the duty section designated to respond to a threat by reporting to the armory/security force issue to obtain weapons and protective equipment. From the arms issue point, they would be deployed where needed.

RF - Reserve Force. In the event the SAT and BAF were not capable of securing the threat, all personnel capable of handling a weapon would report to the armory/security force issue to obtain a weapon and protective equipment. They would be deployed where needed.