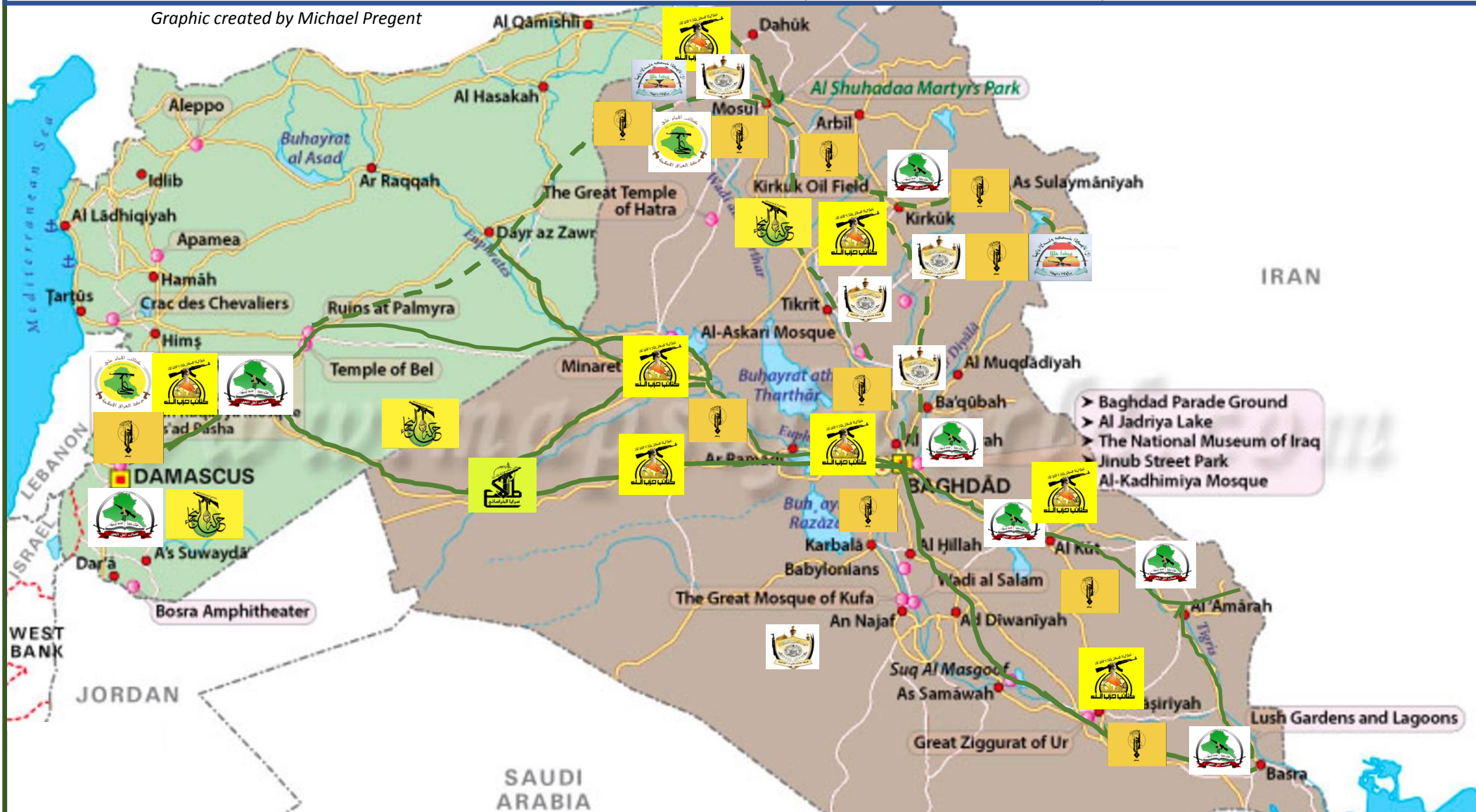


IRAN'S LAND-BRIDGE IS OPERATIONAL

THE IRGC-QF AND ITS PROXIES HAVE PRIMACY, FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT, AND A PERMISSIVE ENVIRONMENT

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- ### IRGC-QF Militias
-  BADR
 -  AAH
 -  Kataib Hezbollah
 -  Harakat al-Nujaba
 -  Saraya al-Khurasani
 -  Kataib Imam Ali
 -  Imam Mohammed al-Jawad Brigade
 -  Imam Ali Combat Division

The IRGC-QF militias are now official ISF units – they have access to US Funds and Equipment. They are hijacking the US Train and Equip Program. The Peshmerga is no longer in the ISF. There are no Sunni Arab brigades, battalions, or companies left in the ISF. Iran's IRGC-QF has effectively co-opted the MOD and MOI through its premier IRGC-QF proxy BADR – giving IRGC-QF militias primacy.

The Narrative

“Iran’s Land-bridge Doesn’t exist” DOD

“Iraq is no longer in the Iranian Sphere of Influence” DOD, DOS, NSC

“The Iraqi Military is a bulwark against what Iran wants to do in Iraq” NSC, DOD, DOS

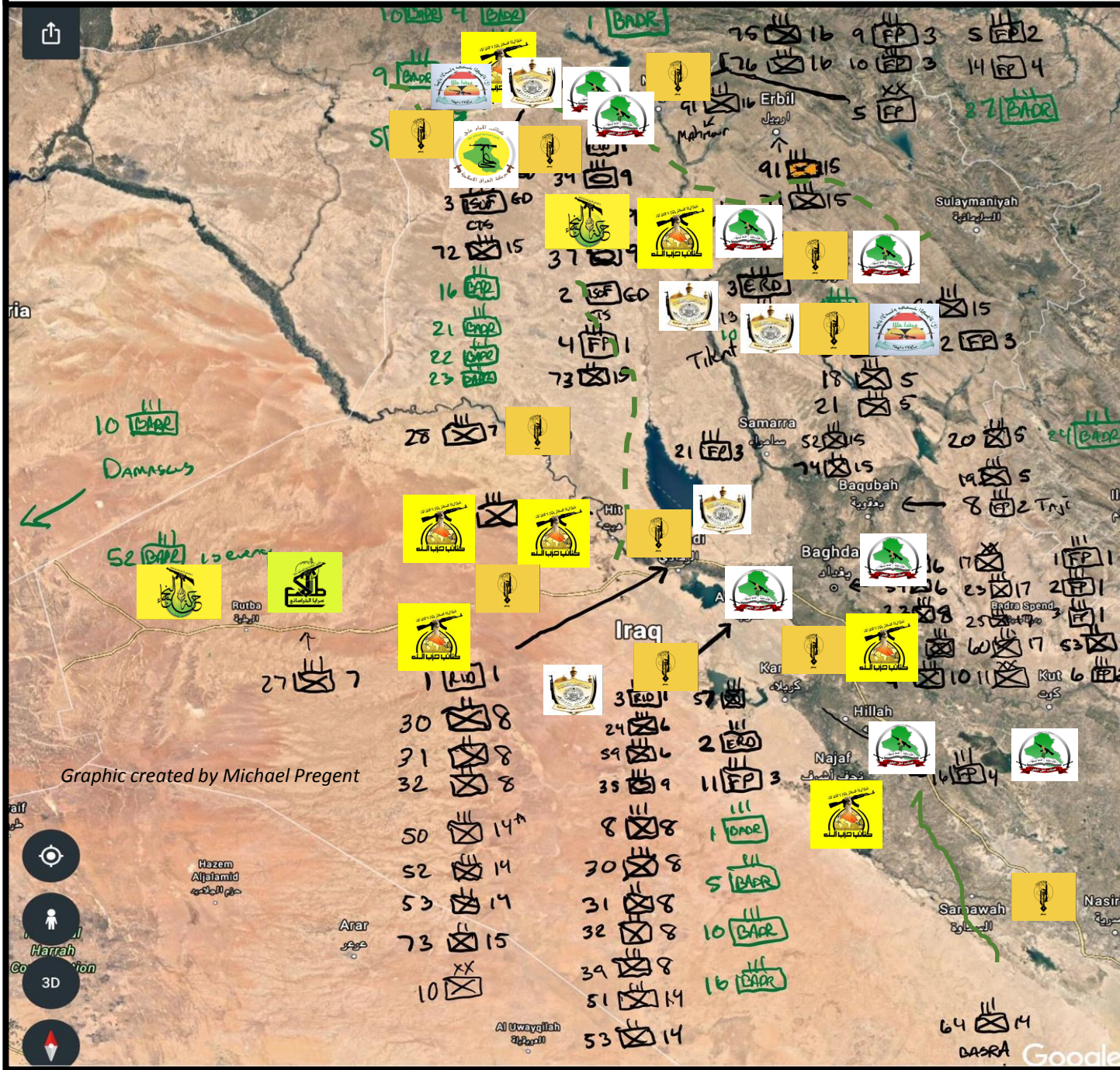
“Iran could not sustain a land-bridge even if they had one” NSC

“The Iraqi Security Forces are a non-sectarian national military force” DOD, DOS, NSC

“The US Train and Equip Program is not being used by the IRGC-QF” DOS

“PM Abadi is our guy in Baghdad.” DOD, DOS, NSC

IRGC-QF Militias Have Primacy in shared Battle-Space



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The Facts Today

The IRGC-QF has Freedom of Movement and a Permissive Environment in Iraq. Its proxies have primacy and control its FASTPASS to Syria

This graphic shows integrated operations with IRGC-QF militias – they operate in the same battle space.

Iran will sustain its land-bridge through IRGC tentacles in Iraq’s economic sectors

The Iraqi Security Forces are 95% Shia and have laid waste to Sunni Iraq and moved on US Kurdish allies.

The Iraqi Ministry of Interior is controlled by IRGC-QF proxy – Badr

IRGC-QF militias are now legitimate forces in the ISF with access to US Funds and Equipment.

Everything Soleimani has achieved and put in place in Iraq happened and is happening under PM Abadi.