PODCAST: Humanitarian Jihad and Refugees as ISIS Weaponized CBW Vectors, Morten Storm, Dr. Jill Bellamy and Nidra Poller

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Listen to an extraordinarily informative Lisa Benson Show for National Security that aired Sunday November 22, 2015 on KKNT960The Patriot in the aftermath of the ISIS jihad in Paris. Lisa Benson and New English Review Senior Editor Jerry Gordon and special guest Richard Cutting co-hosted this show.

Our guests were:

Morten Storm . Storm is a former Muslim convert and apostate who became a double agent for Danish Security and Intelligence Service and CIA who penetrated Al Qaeda in the Arabian Peninsula targeting the late Anwar al Awlaki. He is the author of <u>Agent Storm: My Life Inside al Qaeda</u> <u>and the CIA</u> and been frequently, interviewed on Fox News and CNN. Storm picked up on a private discussion this past week with more than 100 callers including members of the National Security Task Force of America launching a "know your Imam" campaign. He did that this past weekend. In the private NSTFA call he stressed not to be complacent about additional ISIS attacks in Belgian, France and major EU countries now inundated with hundreds of thousands of refugees and migrants, especially young men in detention camps.

<u>Dr. S.Jill. Bellamy</u> was interviewed by both Cutting and Gordon in a segment on possible ISIS Chemical and

Biological agent threats to Europe and the US. Bellamy is a recognized international expert on biological warfare and is a member of the United Nations Counter Terrorism Task Force. She has previously developed and run NATO sponsored policy programs on biological terrorism and has published extensively in related fields. Her papers have appeared in the National Review, The Washington Post, The Washington Times, Le Monde, Le Temps, New English Review and the Jerusalem Post. Over the past twenty five years she has worked in non-proliferation and counter She has developed and run nuclear and terrorism. biological war games and scenarios supported by European Ministries of Defense. Currently she advises governments on national strategic stockpiling and force protection. She is the founding Director of Warfare Technology Analytics. Bellamy suggested that French Premier Valls expressions of concerns over possible use of CBW by ISIS in the West were reflective of recent in terror attacks uses of chemical weapons by the Islamic State in Syria . She suggested that was reflected in confirmed reports on mustard gas against both Syrian Kurdish YPG and Iraqi Peshmerga forces, as well as Sarin gas that may have been used to kill hundreds of civilians in a suburb near Damascus in 2013. Those reports led to the Hague based Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons that removed only a fraction of the Assad Regimes stockpile. She pointed out that ISIS , and other Islamic terror groups like al Nusrah and Hezbollah, wouldn't refrain from using CBW, as they simply consider them another weapon in their inventory. She said they would have no compunction against the use of such silent killers given the burning alive of a downed Jordanian pilot. That would extend to using the hoards of teeming refugees in camps in Turkey, Jordan and Lebanon as the equivalent UN of human weaponized vectors to spread disease and pathogens causing a pandemic. She also responded to queries about major silent killers Anthrax, Smallpox and botulinum toxin developed by the Syria Scientific Research Center that might fall into the hands of ISIS and other terror groups like Hezbollah. It has been reported that ISIS may have established laboratories and acquired research scientific personnel which could pose a threat to the EU and the US. Bellamy covered the extent of protection against these silent killers under US and international vaccine stockpile programs.

Nidra Poller provided an eye witness report of what was unfolding in France. Poller is a Lisa Benson Show Advisory Board Member, American writer and translator, resident of Paris, France, since 1972, contributor to The Wall Street Journal, National Review, FrontPage Magazine, The New York Sun and New English Review, author of the forthcoming, The Black Flag of Jihad stalks la <u>Republique</u>. Poller spoke of her experiences in Paris following the November 13th massacres and the November 18th St. Denis banlieuse battle that resulted in the deaths of the alleged Belgian born 'mastermind' Abdelhamid Abaaoud, his French born cousin Hasna Ait Boulahcen and third, as yet to be identified suicide bomber. In a New English Review/ Iconoclast post, <u>"Bonjour Tristesse</u>", she considered them as "punk' jihadis akin to those who burned vehicles banlieuse nightly in Paris and other French cities for weeks in 2005. She spoke of the muted aftermath following the recent terror events in Paris and the myopia of the international media following these stories forgetting about rallies in July 2014 at which the ISIS banners were prominent in rallies condemning Israel during Operation Defensive Edge fighting Hamas at the statue of Marianne, the symbol of France, at la place de la Republique. She also returned to the theme of Humanitarian Jihad, a chapter in her latest book, to describe how the conflict in Syria with ISIS and other terror groups had sent hundreds of thousands refugees and

illegal migrants bursting the open borders of Europe's Schengen system . She said that was an unwarranted intrusion of national sovereignty and western values with reports of destructive behavior by migrant Muslim young men in reception centers in EU countries. She said that was triggered by the EU and international response to the imagery a drowning victim, Aylan Kurdi, a three year old Syrian Kurdish child from an overloaded a life raft provided by Turkey headed for the Greek Island of Leros.