| Position | LifeNews, 28.10.2014 | NTV-News, 29.10.2014 | NTV-News, 02.11.2014 | NTV-News, 05.11.2014 |
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| How he got involved in 'reconnaissance' | Stas: I and parents moved to Krasnyy Lyman (a town in 25 km from Slaviansk – Comment by LifeNews) from Donetsk. We thought that it was not shelled. Nazis came there at the beginning of October. They inspected houses, checked documents. When they found out that we were not local they took our <u>family to Avdeevka</u> ." <u>"Novorossia soldiers are trying to find out what</u> <u>happened to parents of Stas</u> <u>and then to release them."</u> | 'We know that his parents are still in Krasny Lyman. They are held hostages by soldiers.' Stas: They put a sack on my head and brought to Avdeevka, and gave me a shot of I do not know what there. And they told to go here and inspect the area. | 'Teenager Stas from Krasnyy Lyman told how Ukrainian soldiers came to their house, battered his mother, put a gun to his father's head and ordered to tell the distribution of militants. Otherwise they promised to kill his parents [] The boy cannot remember a lot: knocking on the door, mom opening the door, soldiers with Ukrainian chevrons hard words. Father asked the boy to go to the remote room and block the door. Mother crying. And then the kid saw his parents with sacks on their heads taken away by National Guardians. When the effect of drugs was over, Stas could hardly remember his name, but he jumped off the bed, he needed to return otherwise his parents would be killed. But the militants convinced him to stay understanding that there is a big chance that there is a big chance that there was nobody to save. The parents of Stas are undesirable witnesses for Ukrainian servicemen, they have to keep silent once for all.' | We would like to remind that back on 29 October the 'Emergency' show made a story about a detained boy. The militants are astonished by the reaction of Ukrainian authorities. The copy of announcement about missing boy dated 30 October was found on the Internet. That is the day after the NTV's story had been broadcasted. In other words they started looking for Stas Petrov when he had been already found. <u>The fate of his parents</u> <i>is still unknown</i> . |
| Why he was 'dispatched to spy' | Stas: <u>They gave me a bike</u> <u>and told to go to the</u> <u>territory of Donetsk</u> <u>People's Republic</u> to see the location of roadblocks of militants, their quantity. I had to fulfill the task, return to Avdeevka and tell what I saw. They need children because children won't be punished, they are not adults. So they look for 12-13-year olds. | 'Donbas defenders rescued a 13-year old boy used by <u>Ukrainian soldiers</u> as a spy. It turned out that the boy had been drugged, stuffed with location detectors and sent to check the militant roadblocks nearby Donetsk.' | 'He remembers that Ukrainian soldiers threatened to kill his parents if he did not put on a pea-jacket stuffed with radio transmitters and go to a roadblock of Donbas defenders. A simple idea: militants would not hurt a child, they would warm him. Stas was supposed to become an e-dot on the laptop map of National Guard, a shooting mark for their rockets.' | |
| What 'punishers' did to him | 'Stas understands hardly what happened to him next. Says he got a shot into his right hand. [] | ' <u>Physicians explain</u> <u>the lapses in his</u> <u>memory are</u> <u>because Stas was</u> <u>forced to take</u> | 'The boy remembers a shot by military, feeling giddy, <u>his way to</u> <u>militants: 50 km by</u> <u>bicycle</u> | |

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| | | days before dispatching him to spy. The examination detected numerous signs of shots. Doctors are trying to identify what kind of substance was used and how it can affect his health." | Stas has at least three syringe punctures. Nobody knows what he was shot. If it was a drug or a potent psychotropic substance' [] | |
| Condition of the child | No information | 'He did not sleep for four days and ate hardly anything. <u>He got</u> <u>from Krasnyy</u> <u>Lyman to Donetsk</u> by bicycle, and this <u>is about 140 km</u> . Stas is 13 years old, and <u>this is his first</u> <u>interrogation at</u> <u>the presence of</u> <u>psychologist, of</u> <u>course</u> . | No information | |
| Evidences of 'militants' | 'The reconnaissance operation was quickly finished: militants immediately noticed a boy in a thin coat and trousers. <u>During their first talk</u> , Stas told about everything: the dispatch, the parents taken hostages by Ukrainian army, a syringe.' | 'The boy was detained by militants nearby the Donetsk airport. <u>They found</u> <u>the boy's behavior</u> <u>strange. A</u> <u>sluggish, dirty</u> <u>schoolchild was</u> <u>asking the Donbas</u> <u>defenders about</u> <u>the roadblocks of</u> <u>resistance fighters</u> . It turned out that drugged Stas was sent by Ukrainian soldiers.' | When the effect of drugs was over, Stas could hardly remember his name, but he jumped off the bed, he needed to return otherwise his parents would be killed. But the militants convinced him to stay understanding that there was a big chance that there was nobody to save. The parents of Stas are undesirable witnesses for Ukrainian servicemen, they have to keep silent once for all.' | Donetsk People's Republic militants are looking for custodians for 12-year old Stas Petrov who was drugged by Ukrainian soldiers and sent to militants as a soft- skinned target. A few days ago the child was found near the airport. The boy told that he was sent by Ukrainian soldiers. DPR fighters delivered the boy to doctors who detected drug intoxication. |
| Words of Guivi, a gunman | "It's likely that Stas was drugged so he would not feel hunger and tiredness and would not need to sleep, - supposed a chief of battalion task group "Solmali" identified as Guivi whose fighters detained the young spy. | No | No | Guivi, chief of separate subdivision 'Somali': "The child was sent to us to spy how many people of DPR Army are nearby the airport |
| | Guivi has no doubts: the story of Stas is not the only one but a long-standing scheme: <u>during the Vietnam</u> <u>War the American soldiers</u> <u>recruited local children and</u> <u>made them spy upon the</u> <u>Viet Congs</u> . And National Guard of Ukraine resorted to this method. | | | |

| | The DPR Army battalion chief is not going to let Stas alone: the militants are going to take care of him as of 'son of regiment'." | | | |
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| Evidences of doctors | No | " <u>Stas has got</u> <u>lapses in his</u> <u>memory,</u> <u>specialists say</u> . The boy is trying to remember the events of last days with the assistance of doctors." | "A psychologist works with Stas on the militant base. Olga Nikolayevna, narcologist: 'Stas does not remember what happened to him the first two days. He does not sleep for four nights. The boy is hazy. There are three vein shots on his right wrist, he has dilated pupils []" | No |
| Proofs of 'soft- skinned target' | No | "Militants found electronic chips in the clothes of Stas. The resistance fighters suppose that with such technique Ukrainian soldiers watched the teenager and marked targets for artillery shelling." | No | Guivi, chief of separate subdivision 'Somali': "We removed carefully the bugs and locators off the boy's clothes so he would not be hurt." |