

Note from AFA President -- Petraeus, McCaffrey

AFA Members, a while back, AFA's Daily Report reported on a speech made by GEN Petraeus.

[<http://www.airforce-magazine.com/DRArchive/Pages/2009/August%202009/August%2020%202009/BeyondOutrageous.aspx>] I received over 600 emails about the report item ... all similar in nature. Later, the DR published the fact that he apologized for his remarks to the Chief of Staff of the Air Force. We have put a link up on a more extensive apology by the general. You can find it at: [http://www.afa.org/edop/2009/edop\\_9-8-09.asp](http://www.afa.org/edop/2009/edop_9-8-09.asp)

Secondly, I want to point you to a slide briefing by GEN (R) McCaffrey [[http://www.afa.org/edop/2009/McCaffrey-Challenges\\_Aug09.pdf](http://www.afa.org/edop/2009/McCaffrey-Challenges_Aug09.pdf)]. In it the general highlights nine national security challenges facing the nation. I like the succinct nature in which he hits the main points. Caution: the piece is political in nature ... but I am sure most of you can read around those parts.

For your consideration,

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