

HOSTAGE EXTRACTION:- REHEARSALS DONE AT EACH STAGE

1. How many exits to be covered
2. Do entry doors/windows swing inwards or outwards
3. Who will enter
4. What weapons will be used by assault/cover group
5. How many rooms
6. How many terrorists
7. How many hostages - where are they
8. Are any hostages bound or injured/dead
9. How many injured/dead
10. How many entry points
11. How big is the room
12. Maximum time for room domination
13. Is abseil/rappel necessary
14. Helicopters - gunship strike
15. Multi/crossfire - all high points covered
16. Communications - pre-selected signals UHF/UHF/Radio
17. Signal for assault team into final position
18. Time allowed for final recce
19. Set up timetable with terrorists - food/drink/TV link up
20. Are prisoners required - terrorists to be eliminated in first wave assault
21. Final briefing - R.V. pre-selected
22. Final equipment check - respirators/body armour
23. Re-assurance of hostages during/after assault
24. Day or night, extent of media coverage
25. Noise distraction
26. Surveillance kit/fibre optics

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