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Summary of Administrative Review Board Proceedings for ISN 433

*The Administrative Review Board was called to order.*

*The Designated Military Officer (DMO) was sworn.*

*The Board Reporter was sworn.*

*The Translator was sworn.*

*The Detainee entered the proceedings.*

*The Presiding Officer announced the convening authority and purpose of the Administrative Review Board proceedings.*

*The Administrative Review Board members were sworn.*

*The Assisting Military Officer (AMO) was sworn.*

*The Presiding Officer asked the Detainee if he wishes to make a statement under oath. (Muslim oath offered).*

*The Detainee accepted taking the oath.*

*The Presiding Officer read the hearing instructions to the Detainee and confirmed that he understood.*

*The Assisting Military Officer presented the Enemy Combatant Notification form, Exhibit EC-A, to the Administrative Review Board.*

*The Assisting Military Officer presented the Enemy Combatant Election Form, Exhibit EC-B, to the Administrative Review Board.*

*The Designated Military Officer presented the Unclassified Summary of Evidence, Exhibit DMO-1 the FBI Redaction Memorandum, DMO-2, and DMO-3 to the Administrative Review Board.*

*The Designated Military Officer stated that a copy of these exhibits had been previously distributed to the Assisting Military Officer.*

*The Designated Military Officer gave a brief description of the contents of the Unclassified Summary of Evidence, Exhibit DMO-1 to the Administrative Review Board.*

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*The Detainee chose to respond line by line to the Unclassified Summary of Evidence. The Designated Military Officer read the Unclassified Summary to assist the Detainee with answering the statements.*

Designated Military Officer: (3) The following factors favor continued detention: (3.a) Commitment (3.a.1) The Detainee was a Taliban recruiter.

Detainee: Sorry, but these words are not true. The opposite of these words are true. The definition of recruiting is to take civilians and make them work for the military. The people of this village [Detainee referring to his village] are poor. I helped the people of the village to get out of the Taliban and to work as civilians. To this truth, a thousand people can testify for me. The people of the village are from the Northern Alliance. The people of this [my] village do not have any connection to the Taliban.

Presiding Officer: [Addressing the Detainee] During this portion of the Administrative Review Board, the only information we [The Review Board] need to know at this time is if the allegations/statements presented in this session are true or false. Once the Review Board has gone through each allegation/statement you [the Detainee] will have an opportunity to respond in your own words to each of the allegations/statements.

Designated Military Officer: (3.a.2) In Iraq, the Detainee was a member of the Amin Emergency Response Group. The Amin group was responsible for tracking down people opposed to Saddam Hussein and torturing and/or killing people opposed to Saddam Hussein.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.a.3) The Detainee was as an interrogator for the Taliban Police in Mazar-e-Sharif, Afghanistan.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.a.4) The Detainee was the Chief of the Taliban's interrogation office at Mazar-e-Sharif, Afghanistan. Ten to fifteen interrogators worked for the Detainee at this interrogation office.

Detainee: This is not true.

Board Member: For clarification, is it not true that you [the Detainee] were the Chief of the Taliban's interrogation office or is it not true that you were not part of the interrogation office at all?

Detainee: All of these words are not true.

Presiding Officer: You were not part of the interrogation office at all. You had no association with the Taliban interrogation office?

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Detainee: I did not work at the Intelligence/Interrogation [office] Organization at all.

Designated Military Officer: (3.a.5) The Detainee was the Director of Intelligence for the Taliban at Mazar-e-Sharif, Afghanistan.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.a.6) The Detainee admitted that he worked with the Taliban in Afghanistan and stated that he had to carry papers as an Arab to prove the fact.

Detainee: This is not true.

Board Member: Did you work for the Taliban in any capacity?

Detainee: No.

Designated Military Officer: (3.b) Training (3.b) The Detainee admitted to knowing how to interrogate in Arabic.

Detainee: That is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.c) Connections/Associations (3.c.1) The Detainee met a Mullah in Kabul by the name of Niham, who was a Taliban leader. Niham assisted the Detainee's family while living in Kabul for eight months.

Detainee: Mullah Nitham Eddine was working for the Police [helping the Police]. I would like to clarify some of the points in this statement because it has some words that are true and some words that are not true.

Presiding Officer: Please do so.

Detainee: Mullah Nitham Eddine was a helper with [worked for] the police. I went to the Police Station and he [Mullah Nitham Eddine] was there helping the police. I did not know him. I met Mullah Nitham Eddine when I went to the Police station. I explained to him [Mullah Nitham Eddine] my situation. I told him [Mullah Nitham Eddine] that I was an immigrant from Iraq and that I needed his help. Mullah Nitham Eddine found me a place to live with an Afghan family. Mullah Nitham Eddine introduced me to the Ministry of Immigration so they could help me get some food.

Designated Military Officer: (3.c.2) The Detainee received financial assistance from the Taliban while living in Mazar-e-Sharif and was given a piece of land.

Detainee: This question is different, but I need to address each point in this allegation/statement.

Presiding Officer: To clarify, were you given a piece of land and were you given financial assistance from the Taliban?

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Detainee: This help, we have what we call Azzakat.

Translator: I will give you the definition of the Azzakat. Every Muslim has to pay a certain percentage of money that he makes in a year. This is known as the Azzakat. The Azzakat goes to the poor people. Muslims can first start [giving the Azzakat] with the needy people in their family. After the needy people in one's family have been taken care of, you can then give to needy people outside of your family.

Detainee: Of course I used to get my food daily from the Police station [from the direction of the Police officials] in Mazar-e-Sharif. As far as the piece of land, it was not given to me to own for good.

Board Member: How much land were you given?

Detainee: Commander Daa' Eddine is the person who gave me this land [Detainee referring to allegation 3.c.2]. Commander Daa' Eddine is with the Northern Alliance. Commander Daa' Eddine is presently working with [for] the Northern Alliance. Commander Daa' Eddine even sent me some letters.

Presiding Officer: Due to technical difficulties with the tape, the Administrative Review Board took a brief recess to remedy the situation. After a brief recess the Administrative Review Board is now back on the record. The last item of discussion prior to the recess; the Detainee had been asked how much land he had received [in reference to allegation 3.c.2 in the Unclassified Summary of Evidence].

Translator: To clarify, [addressing the Board Members] we are talking about allegation/statement 3.c.2, is that correct?

Board Member: That is correct.

Detainee: The land was approximately 100 meters in length and 20 meters in width. I only sowed the land one time before the fall of the Taliban Government. One month I sowed the land before the fall of the Taliban.

Board Member: What was the name of the Northern Alliance Commander who gave you the land?

Detainee: Commander Daa' Eddine. Commander Daa' Eddine was [is] not a high-level commander. Commander Daa' Eddine was [is] the commander of a small village [village where the Detainee was living].

Designated Military Officer: (3.c.3) The Detainee worked for Abdel Hadi al-Iraqi as a recruiter for the Taliban. Abdel Hadi al-Iraqi reported directly to Usama Bin Laden.

Detainee: This is not true.

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Designated Military Officer: (3.c.4) The Detainee received funds from Usama Bin Laden funneled through the al-Wafa organization.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.c.5) The Detainee operated as a conduit between the Taliban Estakbarat in Mazar-e-Sharif and the former President of Iraq, Saddam Hussein.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.c.6) The Detainee was heavily involved in the heroin trade for the Taliban.

Detainee: This is not true. There is not truth to that.

Designated Military Officer: (3.c.7) The Detainee grew heroin in Northern Afghanistan and was a Taliban Commander.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.d) Detainee Actions and Statements. (3.d.1.) The Detainee claimed he had obtained a fake Afghan passport in 1998, then immediately claimed he had only tried to obtain the passport, but did not receive the funds to cover the cost of the passport.

Detainee: I stated that I *had* received a [fake] Afghan passport. I did not deny [claim] to have never obtained the Afghan passport. I did not deny that I got the passport.

Designated Military Officer: (3.d.2) The Detainee recruited a group of his own fighters. The Detainee provided his men [fighters] weapons, communications equipment, and vehicles.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.d.3) The Detainee intended to sell his fighting groups service to the highest bidding Warlord in Afghanistan.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.d.4) If a recruit refused to join his [the Detainee] group, the Detainee turned the recruit over to the Taliban as a spy.

Detainee: This is not true.

Designated Military Officer: (3.d.5) The Detainee and his group of fighters fought against the Northern Alliance on the front lines.

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**Detainee:** That is not true. The opposite is true. We fought *with* the Northern Alliance, not against the Northern Alliance.

**Designated Military Officer:** (3.d.6) The Detainee threatened the life of an individual and the lives of the family if the individual were to talk to interrogators about the Detainee.

**Detainee:** This is not true.

**Designated Military Officer:** (3.d.7) The Detainee threatened others for giving up information about fellow detainees' to interrogators.

**Detainee:** This is not true.

**Designated Military Officer:** (3.e) Other Relevant Data. (3.e.1) The Detainee provided detailed information about the qualifications for being a Taliban interrogator.

**Detainee:** I provided information about how to become a Police Officer in Iraq, not a Taliban interrogator.

**Designated Military Officer:** (3.e.2) The Detainee speaks Farsi and translates Arabic to Farsi.

**Detainee:** I am an Arab. I speak Arabic and I also speak Farsi. However, my Farsi is very broken. I cannot read, write, or translate Farsi.

**Designated Military Officer:** (3.e.3) The Detainee was the senior representative in Afghanistan for Bir Halla. The Detainee's primary role was to ensure that Mazar-e-Sharif officials at Gumrik would grant titles to vehicles.

**Detainee:** There is no such place called Bir Halla. Bir Halla is the name of a person. His name is actually spelled Dabbih Allah. As far as this last point, may I speak about it now, or wait until later?

**Presiding Officer:** You may address this point now. Please go ahead.

**Detainee:** This man [Dabbih Allah] is a representative for a company that sells used cars that come from Uzbekistan. The name of the company Dabbih Allah works for is Arrafidian. The helper [the man] at the company is Syrian. The man's name is Sharif. I have seen him and met him once [Sharif]. He [Sharif] used to send cars in the name of Dabbih Allah and Dabbih Allah would repair the cars. In addition to repairing the cars, Dabbih would get the necessary customs forms and finish the necessary paper work for customs in regards to the vehicles. There was a conflict between Dabbih Allah and the company. There were two cars left to repair. There was also a satellite phone [to be repaired]. The company asked me to take the last two cars. The company wanted me to fix the cars and then sell them. One car was a Russian Volga, which was worth about

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\$500.00. The second car was a Jeep, which value was about \$300.00. The satellite phone was a value of about \$500.00.

I took the license for the phone and I opened a little store in the market [Soque]. I had Afghani people work for me because I cannot deal with the [Afghani] people because I do not speak the language. I was not getting any business, so I sold the phone. Three months after starting my business at the market, I sold the phone. I then began to repair the cars [the Russian Volga and the Jeep] for the second time. After I fixed the cars, I transferred the cars from the name of Dabbih Allah to General Dotsum. [The vehicles were actually transferred to someone in General Dotsum's group, not to General Dotsum himself]. The individual acting on behalf of the General was a man named Daoud. I transferred the vehicles [the titles] from Dabbih Allah's name to Daoud's name [who was acting on behalf of General Dotsum]. It was like dealing, buying, and selling. This had nothing to do with the Taliban.

Daoud has a place for used cars. Daoud has a business to buy and sell used cars. The guy who was helping the Director of the company is the one who introduced me to Daoud. Daoud is the one who sold the cars [Russian Volga and Jeep] for me. I then bought another car and I used it to transport people [like a taxi company] for money. I was like a taxi driver, but without a taxi license.

You [referring to the Administrative Review Board] have the address [location] of Daoud. You also have the phone numbers to Daoud's company. Daoud's address and phone numbers are in my file. Anything [any word] that is different from what I say [here at the ARB today] is not true. If anyone says anything different from what I am telling you now, it is a lie. The fact that I opened a store and the fact that I owned a car and was transporting people, I started to get to know people.

Presiding Officer: Thank you very much. Let's move on to the next allegation/statement.

Designated Military Officer: (4) The following primary factors favor release or transfer:  
(4.a) The Detainee denied association with al-Wafa.

Detainee: That is true.

Designated Military Officer: (4.b) The Detainee claimed to have helped Coalition Forces.

Detainee: That is true.

Designated Military Officer: (4.c) The Detainee Claimed to have worked with the Northern Alliance after 9/11.

Detainee: That is true. I put my life, my wife's life, and the life of my children in danger in order to help the Northern Alliance.

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Designated Military Officer: (4.d) The Detainee helped the Northern Alliances' Commander Dotsum by pointing out Taliban locations.

Detainee: Yes. That is true. I told you, I put my life, the life of my wife, and the life of my children in danger by doing so [pointing out Taliban locations].

Designated Military Officer: (4.e) The Detainee denied being part of the former Taliban intelligence organizations at Mazar-e-Sharif.

Detainee: That is true. I did not work for the Intelligence organization at Mazar-e-Sharif.

Designated Military Officer: (4.f) The Detainee denied being the Intelligence Director for the Taliban in Marzar-e-Sharif. The Detainee also denied interrogating anyone in Afghanistan.

Detainee: The Director of Intelligence for the Taliban, his name is Sharaf Eddine Sharafat. Sharaf is an Afghani and is from the region of Shaberin. He is actually present here in the camp [at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba]. I told the interrogators about him [Sharaf].

Board Member: For clarification, again, who is Sharaf Eddine Sharafat?

Detainee: You are [referring to the Administrative Review Board] accusing me of being the Director of the Taliban Intelligence Organization. I am trying to tell you that [Sharaf] he is the Director of the Taliban Intelligence. I am trying to tell you that he [Sharaf] was the Director of Taliban Intelligence and you have him here in the camp.

Board Member: How do you know him [Sharaf Eddine Sharafat]?

Detainee: That is a very important position. That position [Director of Taliban Intelligence/Interrogation] is well known by the people. It is a big job, not a little job. Everyone in Marzar-e-Sharif knows who he is and what his job is.

Designated Military Officer: (4.g) The Detainee stated that the only compensation he received from a non-governmental organization was in the form of charity food and money. The Detainee stated was the charity was never more than the equivalent of \$30.00 or \$40.00 United States Dollars.

Detainee: This is true.

Designated Military Officer: (4.h) The Detainee stated he knew nothing about the planned attack on the United States before 11 September 2001, and has no current threat information.

Detainee: Yes, this is the truth.

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*The Designated Military Officer confirmed that he had no further unclassified information and requested a closed session to present classified information relevant to the disposition of the Detainee.*

*The Presiding Officer acknowledged the request.*

*The Presiding Officer opened the Administrative Review Board to the Detainee to present information with the assistance of the Assisting Military Officer.*

*The Assisting Military Officer presented exhibits marked EC-C1 through EC-C19.*

Presiding Officer: Assisting Military Officer, please read your comments from the Assisting Military Officers comment block.

Assisting Military Officer: The Detainee's ARB interview was conducted on 19 October 2005, and lasted one hour and ten minutes. After reviewing the ARB's purpose and procedures, the Arabic translated Unclassified Summary of Evidence was read to the Detainee. The Detainee stated that he understood the difference between the CSRT and the ARB. When asked if he would like to attend the ARB, present a written or oral statement, or have the Assisting Military Officer (AMO) speak on his behalf, the Detainee stated he wanted to attend the ARB and respond to each statement of information in the Unclassified Summary of Evidence as it was presented to the ARB. The Detainee was uncertain if he would do so orally, with a written statement, or a combination of both. The Detainee stated that he would have pictures and letters to present as evidence. As a result, the Detainee requested a follow-up interview to provide his evidence as well as any written statements for the ARB. The Detainee was cordial, attentive, very enthusiastic, and claimed he was surprised to hear about this ARB. At the conclusion of the initial interview, a copy of the Arabic translated Unclassified Summary of Evidence and detainee writing templates were provided to the Detainee via his guards. The Detainee's follow-up interview was conducted on 20 October 2005, and lasted two hours and five minutes. When asked again if he wanted to present a written or oral statement, or both, the Detainee stated he would respond orally while referencing his written responses to the Unclassified Summary of Evidence. In addition, the Detainee provided fourteen documents, mostly personal letters, and five photographs of family members. The translator read through the Detainee's written response and two other documents to ensure these would be correctly translated into English.

Assisting Military Officer: The following are Detainee Comments: During the initial interview, the Detainee claimed that some of the letters he wanted to present as evidence had not yet been delivered. The Detainee requested the AMO to retrieve these letters because "they come from people who really know me." The Detainee also claimed that one of these letters had "a recommendation" from General Dotson that, in his opinion, would be very important for the ARB. The Detainee claimed that he was being held in Camp V as a protective measure against attacks from other detainees. The Detainee opined this was because 1) "I am Shiite," and 2) because "I have cooperated during the

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interrogations." The Detainee claimed he suffered a broken arm from such an attack. During the follow-up interview, the Detainee stated he would have provided two other letters, both from a neighbor in Mazar-e-Sharif that worked for the United Nations, but he claimed these letters had been taken from him during an interrogation. While handing over the documents, the Detainee opined that if he were a terrorist, he would not have "all this testimony" to present. The Detainee claimed that the evidence or allegations that led to his capture, namely a phone list and accounting book, had not been confiscated, but had been freely provided by the Detainee himself.

Detainee: I am the one who gave them [interrogators] the information [referring to the phone list and the accounting book].

***The Detainee made the following statement:***

Detainee: In reference to the first point [3.a.1], the Taliban did not need anyone who was Shiite from Iraq to come [to Afghanistan] to recruit. The Taliban way of praying is different from our way of praying...

Presiding Officer: The Review Board does not need any background information in regards to religious practice's. The members of the Review Board are well versed in the religious aspect and customs of Islam [whether Taliban, Shiite, etc.] The Review Board would like you [the Detainee] to stick to and respond to specifically the allegations/statements presented in the Unclassified Summary of Evidence.

Detainee: The allegation that I was a recruiter for the Taliban is not true. Just the opposite is true. The Taliban would take people by force to participate with them in fighting, including some people from the village where I used to live. I tried to help those people [from my village] and encourage those people not to fight with or for the Taliban. I tried to encourage those people to work in agriculture, shepherding lambs, and construction work. None of the people from my village that I tried to help work with or for the Taliban. The Taliban used to take no more than two or three people from the village belonging to the Northern Alliance and there was opposition [in my village] to the Taliban even before the entrance of American Forces and their Allies. Before the entrance of the Forces of the Northern Alliance into Mazar-e-Sharif, my village and the neighboring villages participated in the fall of the Taliban Government under the leadership of Commander Shams Alhak and Abdou Assamad Nasri in Mazar-e-Sharif. I participated with them in the fall of the Taliban Government by transporting the fighters in Mazar-e-Sharif. After the events of 11 September 2001, I joined the Northern Alliances forces and there were no [Taliban] fighters that I knew in these people anything mentioned about [Taliban] fighters in future points are not true and are false.

Presiding Officer: Are you reading your statements in regards to the allegations verbatim? Are you planning on reading your hand written statement [which the Detainee has in his hand] verbatim into the record?

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Detainee: I do not have a problem. What would you [referring to the Board] like to do?

Presiding Officer: The Review Board would like for you [the Detainee] to talk to us. The Review Board can get your hand written statement translated into English.

Detainee: I want to talk to you as well.

Presiding Officer: Let's do that [talk, answer questions, without reading the Detainee's hand written statement verbatim]. I would ask that the Detainee's hand written response to each of the allegations presented in the Unclassified Summary of Evidence be translated into English.

Translator: I have already translated the Detainee's hand written comments into English. I wanted to present the translation earlier in the proceeding, but you [referring to the Presiding Officer] told me if he [the Detainee] was going to read it, then there was no need to admit it [the translation] to the Review Board as an exhibit.

Presiding Officer: Very good then. I misunderstood you earlier in reference to the translation of the Detainee's comments. My apologies. Assisting Military Officer, I would like you to amend your exhibits to include the translated copy of the Detainee's hand written response to each allegation presented in the Unclassified Summary of Evidence. What the Review Board would like for you [the Detainee] to do is give us a statement from the heart. Provide the Review Board with a statement or tell the Review Board why you feel we [the Review Board, the United States] should release you.

Detainee: I swear I have four children. I have a diabetic wife. My father is 75 years old. My mother is 65 years old. They [my family] do not have anyone else other than me [to take care of them].

Presiding Officer: Where does your family live?

Detainee: In Iraq.

Presiding Officer: Do you want to go back to Iraq?

Detainee: Of course I want to go back. That [Iraq] is my country. I left Iraq because of Saddam Hussein. You [the Review Board] have the certification in regards to that fact.

Presiding Officer: That is correct, the Review Board is aware of that fact [the reason the Detainee left Iraq].

Detainee: The monthly salary of my father, when I left Iraq, was \$1.00 per month. Currently, my father, wife, and children are trying to live on that \$1.00 per month. I would like to go back to Iraq and take care of my family. I would like to go back [to Iraq] and pay attention to my family and to educate my family. I do not have any hatred toward anybody. I ask you [the Review Board] to help me with this [getting back home

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to Iraq] because I have helped you [American Forces, interrogators, Review Board, etc.] up to this point.

Presiding Officer: How will the Iraqi Government handle you, what will they do to you if you are released?

Detainee: Who?

Presiding Officer: The Iraqi Government. What will they do with you if you are released from the custody of the United States?

Detainee: The Government of Iraq, they are my family. We [the people of my village in Iraq] were the ones who opposed Saddam Hussein. It is well known to the Iraqi Government that the people of my village [in Iraq] were opposed to Saddam Hussein.

Presiding Officer: The Review Board would like to ask you some questions if you have concluded your personal statement.

Detainee: I swear by God, that since 11 September 2001, and when I saw the President of the United States on television, he [The President of the United States] said either you [meaning people all over the world] are with us [the United States] or you are against us, I have been with you [been in favor of the United States] even since then. Why have I spent the last four years here [at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba]?

Presiding Officer: Do you support the Democratic reforms in Iraq?

Detainee: Yes. I am a Democratic person myself.

Presiding Officer: Does that conclude your personal statement? Are you ready to answer some questions the Board Members have for you?

Detainee: Please let me go [release me from Guantanamo].

*Administrative Review Board Member's questions:*

Board Member: Mr. Sadkhan, why did you travel to Afghanistan?

Detainee: I lived in Iran for a little more than one year and two months. I have my certification [testimonial] to that fact. I could not live in Iran because it was very difficult and I had a wife and children to support. I had heard that the United Nations were in Pakistan. I traveled to Pakistan and my family suffered a lot because my wife was pregnant at the time. I arrived at the United Nations in Pakistan. I was given a paper from the United Nations, a Protection Paper. However, that did not help me. You [the Review Board] have this [Protection] paper.

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Board Member: Again, why did you travel to *Afghanistan*? Thus far, you have relayed why and how you were in Pakistan. I am interested in why you traveled to Afghanistan. Why would you travel to Afghanistan when the Taliban Government, who practices a very strict form of Islam, controlled it?

Detainee: I decided to go back to Iran because the conditions were worse in Pakistan than in Iran. Some Iraqi people told me the best way to get back to Iran was through Afghanistan. I was told it was much easier to get back to Iran by going through Afghanistan. I went to Afghanistan and arrived in Kabul, however, the Iraqis [I was traveling with] left me there [in Kabul]. I went to the Police. The Police helped me to find a place to live and gave me some food. The reason I left Iraq was to find another way of making a living. I found what I was looking for [a way of making a living] when I was in Afghanistan.

Board Member: How long did you live in Afghanistan?

Detainee: I lived in Afghanistan for approximately three and a half years.

Board Members: What did you do [how did you earn a living] during that time [in Afghanistan] other than receiving charitable aide?

Detainee: When I was in Kabul, I did not do anything.

Board Member: You had no occupation the entire three and a half years you lived in Afghanistan?

Detainee: No, no. In Kabul, I said that I did not work.

Board Member: How did you support your family while you were in Afghanistan?

Detainee: I opened a Satellite Phone store when I was in Marza-e-Sharif. I also had someone to help me sell gasoline for vehicles. I opened a store to sell cantaloupe. The Taliban was helping me with food.

Board Member: You operated a Satellite Phone Business? How did you obtain the funds to start this business?

Detainee: You would open a store because you had a phone. People would come to the store to use the Satellite Phone so they could contact their family and they would pay me money.

Board Member: What are your feelings concerning Saddam Hussein?

Detainee: You mean about Saddam's situation right now?

Board Member: How do you feel about Saddam Hussein as a person?

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Detainee: I swear I wish you [the United States] were doing more with him than you are doing right now. He [Saddam] destroyed the Iraqi people. He [Saddam] ruined the Iraqi people. There are many families like mine who suffered at the hands of Saddam Hussein. Almost all of the Iraqi people hate Saddam Hussein.

Board Member: What would you do to support your family if you were to return to Iraq?

Detainee: I have a little store in Iraq. It is a store that has toys for children.

Board Member: So, you will be able to support your family?

Detainee: Of course I will.

Board Member: You currently have a store in Iraq?

Detainee: When I left Iraq I left my store. My store still had my stuff in it when I left. I have not received any news lately about it [the store] and what kind of condition it is in. I did not ask my family in my letters about the store. I believe I can salvage what is left of my store.

Board Member: When you left Iraq the first time, did you travel alone?

Detainee: No, my wife was with me.

Board Member: The two vehicles [referenced in the Detainee's hand written statement in response to allegation 3.e.3 of the Unclassified Summary of Evidence], what was wrong with the two vehicles?

Detainee: The repair of vehicles in Uzbekistan is very expensive. So, people would send their cars to Afghanistan to be repaired because it was less expensive. It is also cheaper to repair cars in Afghanistan rather than in Pakistan. The roads between Pakistan and Afghanistan and Uzbekistan and Afghanistan are long roads and they are not constructed very well. Vehicles get a lot of wear and tear driving on these roads. When the cars arrive in Afghanistan, they have suffered a lot of wear and tear and need to be repaired. They [vehicles] are not built like American cars.

Board Member: Tell me one thing that was wrong with either one of the two vehicles.

Detainee: For example, the vehicles needed to be painted.

Board Member: Do you have weapons in your home? Do you have an AK-47 in your home?

Detainee: In my house, I did not have a weapon, personally.

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Translator: I need to clarify what the Detainee is saying. What I think the Detainee is saying is that Commander Diaa' Eddine had a weapon with him when he and his friends came to the house where the Detainee was living.

Detainee: The man, Daoud, had a revolver and he gave it to me. I gave the revolver to one member of the intelligence group who had helped put down one region [of Afghanistan] that was under the control of the Taliban. The Taliban found out that I gave the revolver to the man in the intelligence group and they [the Taliban] wanted to kill me.

Translator: To clarify, the Detainee says the name of the man to which he gave the revolver to [the man of the intelligence group] is Mouleen Jamil.

Detainee: I had the revolver that Daoud gave to me. I then gave the revolver to Mouleen Jamil. Mouleen Jamil was the name of the man who was helping the United States Intelligence to help bring down one region of Afghanistan controlled by the Taliban. The Taliban wanted to kill Jamil.

Presiding Officer: So, you gave Mouleen Jamil a gun, is that correct?

Detainee: Yes.

Board Member: At this time, do you have relatives serving in the current Iraqi Government?

Detainee: Yes. I do have a relative who works in the Iraqi Government. My relative is a member of Iraqi Parliament. He is the same relative that wanted to help me in 1998, but he could not help me. This is when I got the forged passport [in 1998], which I do not deny having. I got the forged passport because I was unable to get financial help from my relative at the time. I have people in Iraq that are willing to help me. My relative also sent letters stating that he was willing to support me.

*The Assisting Military Officer had no questions for the Detainee.*

*The Designated Military Officer had no questions for the Detainee.*

Detainee: I would like to clarify some points about me threatening people.

Presiding Officer: Please do.

Detainee: You need to know, before 11 March 2003, I did not have any problems here [in the camp at Guantanamo, Bay] with the interrogators. Problems started between us [Detainee referring to himself, the interrogators, and other Iraqi prisoners].

Presiding Officer: You deny threatening other detainees here at the camp, is that correct?

Translator: He is trying to give you the source of this allegation.

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Translator: He is trying to give you the source of this allegation.

Presiding Officer: [To Detainee] You have already stated that the allegations of threatening other detainees were false.

Detainee: You [the Review Board] are going to have some classified information. I complained to the General about the interrogators. I will talk in front of the members of the ARB, but I will not talk to the interrogators because they [the interrogators] tried to kill me.

Presiding Officer: Which interrogator tried to kill you?

Detainee: The interrogator who was a male, his name was [REDACTED]. The interrogator who was a female, her name was [REDACTED].

Presiding Officer: Where did this take place?

Detainee: Here, at Guantanamo Bay. I got my arm broken because of them [referring to the interrogators].

Board Member: When did this occur?

Detainee: Seven or eight months ago.

Presiding Officer: Were you treated for this injury? Were you sent to a hospital?

Detainee: Yes. My arm was taken care of. But this attack was planned [by the interrogators]. The interrogators took a Saudi guy and put him in the same room with me.

Presiding Officer: Two American interrogators, a male and female, beat you and broke your arm? Who is [REDACTED]?

Detainee: No, the interrogators were the cause, the reason, I got my arm broken. [REDACTED] is an interrogator. [REDACTED] is an interrogator. The interrogators planned this attack [for me to be attacked and to get my arm broken] by putting the Saudi man alone with me in the same room.

Presiding Officer: Did either of the American interrogators, [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] physically hurt you?

Detainee: I presented them [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] with information about this Saudi detainee [the Saudi who broke my arm]. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] went to the detainee and told him that I had given them information about him.

Presiding Officer: What is the name of the prisoner who hurt you?

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Detainee: His name is Jamil.

Presiding Officer: Assisting Military Officer, Mr. Sadkhan is making an allegation of abuse. You are hereby directed to report this incident through administrative channels in accordance with OARDEC Standard Operating Procedures (SOP). Mr. Sadkhan, I am required by OARDEC regulations to report this incident through my chain of command and I will do so at the close of this hearing.

Detainee: I addressed my first point. I would like to address a second point. You have a book that has a list of phones [numbers]. The United States Government has this book. This book has the name Mullah Abdulla written in it. I am Mullah Abdulla. I was and have been called Mullah Abdulla before the Taliban came to power and after the Taliban fell out of power. During the period of the Northern Alliance, my name was also known as Mullah Abdulla.

Presiding Officer: Did any Americans mistreat you while you were in Afghanistan?

Detainee: No, no. On the contrary. They [the Americans] were very polite and respectable.

Presiding Officer: Assisting Military Officer, do you have a question for the Detainee?

Assisting Military Officer: [Addressing the Detainee] You mentioned that the detainee who broke your arm was a Saudi, is that correct?

Detainee: Yes.

Assisting Military Officer: Do you know his ISN number?

Detainee: The officers of the Army, they were there at the time [the attack happened]. The Army Officers told me to defend myself.

Presiding Officer: [To the Detainee] I just want you to know this Administrative Review Board takes your allegation very seriously and it will be reported to our superiors.

Assisting Military Officer: [Addressing the Detainee] Again, do you know the name or the ISN number of the individual that attacked you?

Detainee: His name is Jamil.

Assisting Military Officer: Is that the individual's first name or last name?

Detainee: His first name.

Board Member: You stated that someone witnessed the attack when your arm was broken, is that correct?

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**Detainee:** Yes. The first time when I was beat, the Block Sergeant was there. After that, the officers came. The Block Sergeant was the one who told me to defend myself. The same person who attacked me, the week prior to the attack, I had given interrogators information about him.

*The Presiding Officer read the post-Administrative Review Board instructions to the Detainee and adjourned the open session of the Administrative Review Board.*

*The Presiding Officer opened the classified portion of the session.*

*The Presiding Officer adjourned the classified portion of the session and the Administrative Review Board was closed for deliberation and voting.*

**AUTHENTICATION**

I certify the material contained in this transcript is a true and accurate summary of the testimony given during the proceedings.

  
Colonel, U.S. Army  
Presiding Officer

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EC-C4	9/12/2005	UNCLASSIFIED	NONE
EC-C5	10/20/2005	UNCLASSIFIED	NONE
EC-C6	6/29/2002	UNCLASSIFIED	GUAN-2004-1002734 / ICRC # UNK
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الي بلده و سافر الى العراق (عباس عبيد علي) المقيم ٧٥٨٨، قدم اخذني هذه  
 كتيبة كعب للنسوة ابو فاطمة العراقي 433 لا في مرفقته في افغانستان ولي كوسا  
 وهو ليس رجل سياسي ولا رجل دين ولا رجل حرب وهو رجل مسلم  
 يحب الخير وكعب مساهم الناس في قدر استقامته كان مهاجر في افغانستان  
 هو وزوجته واطفالها كما انهم يحب العلاقات الاجتماعية مع الناس وسمعت  
 هيمه في قراره من الناس يحبونه وحيث صوته لم اسبح او اري انه  
 اذ لم يظنهم للظالمين كان عنه سيرة عذبة روية تاجده بشكر ولم يكن  
 عنه اطلاق او احوال سمعت به وذهبت الى بيتهم فلهذه من سيرة  
 معانا عنه شي يظن فذهبوا اهداهم ما لم يستدوا في ثمرته وولارات  
 واعطاني ايها يدرين صديق اهداهم مني واهلهم ولم يصدقوني ايضا يقني كعب  
 الخير كما انه لم يخذني ولم اسبح انما عنه الله لا لقوة ثمة ها هو ليس  
 له علاقة بهذه الامور يحب رؤسهم واطفالهم ولا يستطيع ان يهاجمهم  
 وجميع الرضا عن التي اتم بها بالله جادت نتيجة حتمية حدثت بيننا  
 تحت الانتقام من السجن ١١ على عبد المطلب العراقي والسجين  
 ٢٥٢ يا سجن باسره السجن ان جميع المعلومات التي قدموها عليهم قد بره  
 منهم وهم ايضا لا يعرفون في افغانستان انما من كعب عنه قرب وذهبت عنه  
 عنه مرارة اجد في بيتهم لم اراه واسمع به عنه صفا في اذعق  
 ولم يسجنني ولم يخذني واي كلام صدر مني او من غيره كان نتيجة حقة  
 عليه وبالنسبة لي اننا ٧٥٨٨ كنت في قراره من قبل من علا الحشيشه ودرهم  
 ذلك ساعدني واي راضي حكلم عليه هنا في كوسا ضمن باب الحق والحمد والانتقام  
 منهم ولم اري منهم الا انه يحب الصغير والكبير الغني والفقير ولم اكبح انه يكون  
 اهل او يحل عدو لي اي اهل حفاصة امرنا واهلنا واهلها هم مثل ما قلت لم  
 رجل مسلم وكعب الخير وكعب العلاقات الاجتماعية وقاصه مع الفقراء كما انه عنه بدالة  
 كعب بالمرحاضه ايضا كعبه بالمرحاضه واهلها هو عبيد وداني بيكي عليهم  
 وهم بحاجة لهذه الحقيقة اهداهم الله والحمد واي كلام صدر مني بحقه هذا الرجل  
 غير نظير فاما استغفر ربي من هذا الرجل طيب القلب حلم اسبح الله من اناس كعبه  
 في افغانستان وكل من مره اهداهم الله واهلها اهداهم الله من خير ومساو  
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ISN 433 – Testimony from detainee ISN 758, knew each other in Afghanistan

I am, named Shaker Al Iraqi (Abass Abdou Erromi) numbered 758, presenting my statement as recommendation to the defendant Father of Fatima Al Iraqi 433 because I knew him in Afghanistan and in Cuba and he's not a political man nor a religious man and not a war man and he is a peaceful person. He loves good and helping people as much as he can, he was a refugee in Afghanistan, him and his wife and his kids, he loves social relationship with people and has good reputation in Mazar-e-Sharif. People love him and respect him. I did not hear or see that he did any work for the Taliban; he had an Old Russian car that belonged to a company. He did not have any money or property. I heard of him and I went to his house, I asked help from him and he did not have anything to give me so he went to some of his friends and borrowed three dollars for me and gave it to me with nothing in return, he respected me and welcomed me and did not inconvenienced me, he loves good and he did not recruit me nor did he recruit anyone or use force, he does not have any relation to these matters. He loves his wife and his children and he can't be apart from them and all the employments he was accused of are false. The accusations came as a result of a problem that happened between us and they wanted to take revenge from him detainee 111 Ali Abdou Ahtaleb Al Iraqi and detainee 252 Yassin Basro Al Yamani. All the information they gave about him are fabricated and also did not know him in Afghanistan. I knew him closely and I went to him many times where I found him in his house, I did not hear or see that he has a guesthouse nor a station. He did not retain me nor did he recruit me, any statements made about him from others are result of spitefulness on him. As for me I am 758, I was in Mazar-e-Sharif addicted to hashish but in spite of that he helped me and if any Iraqi in Cuba talks about him, they are doing it because malice and they want revenge and they are jealous of him.

I saw him loving the old the young the poor and the wealthy. I did not ever hear him say that he did not heat anyone nor did I ever see him hostile to anyone especially United States and its Allies. Like I said before to you he is peaceful ma, he loves good, loves a social relationship with people especially with the poor and also has an elderly father and his mother is very old as well. He loves his wife and his children very much and always cries for them and he is in need of them and this is the truth that I tell you in front of God I will ask forgiveness from God. This is a good man with a good heart and I never heard anyone hate him in Afghanistan and whoever knew him loved him and I 758 love him for all the help and good he gave me in Afghanistan.

And peace be upon you.

Signed 758

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بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم  
في الموقوف (٦٥٣) اقول كذا ما كنت  
في المعسكر الرابع قد طلبت مني الموقوف (٤٣٣)  
بأن اكتب له بعض الرسائل باللغة الفارسية  
رداً على الرسائل التي جاءت من أفغانستان  
لأنه لم يكن يجيد الكتابة باللغة الفارسية  
ولقد كتبت له بعض الرسائل فعلاً .  
وكذا لك في ما ضمن الموقوف (٤٣٣) على انه  
قد حدد بعض الموقوفين وحدد عوائلهم . اقول  
بعضتي عاشرت هذا الانسان من قريب  
في هذا السجن وسكنت معه فترة ليست  
قصيرة في المعسكر الرابع والمعسكر الخامس  
انني لم اسمع منه او حق اسمع منه انه  
حدد شخصاً ما او انه يحدد احد الا على  
العموم ولا على وجه التحديد .  
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ISN 433 – Testimony from detainee ISN 653

**In the name of God, The most compassionate, the most merciful.**

I am detainee 653 stating that when I was at camp four, the detainee 433 requested from me to write some letters in Farsi language in reply to the letters he received from Afghanistan because he did not know how to write in Farsi and I have written some letters for him in fact. And also in the matter of detainee that he threatened some of the detainee and threatened their families, I say as an individual who is associated with this person closely in this prison and lived with him for not a short period at camp 4 and camp 5 that I did not hear from him or hear of him that he threatened anyone not in general nor specific.

Signed

Detainee 653  
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ISN 433 - Photograph of his brother and all three of his children, taken in Iraq

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ISN 433 - Photograph of father, mother, and all three children, taken in Iraq

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ISN 433 - Photograph of three neighborhood kids and two of his children, taken in Afghanistan

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ISN 433 - Photograph Tribe's Chief, an Iraqi immigrant (neighbor), the Chiefs son, and all three of his children, taken in Afghanistan

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## Detainee Responses to the Unclassified Summary of Evidence for the Administrative Review Board, in the case of SADKHAN, JAWAD JABBAR

### Commitment:

1-The detainee was a Taliban recruiter: This is not true and the opposite is true because the Taliban would take people by force to participate with them in fighting including some people from the village where I use to live in and I helped those people to get rid of the Taliban and worked with them and encourage them to work in agriculture, shepherd lambs and doing constructions. Of course none of them worked with the Taliban and the Taliban use to take no more than two or three people from the village belonging to the northern alliance and was opposition to the Taliban even before the entrance of American forces and its allies. Before the entrance of the forces of northern alliances to Mazar-e-Sharif, this village and the neighboring villages participate in the fall of Taliban under the leadership of commander Shams Alhak and Abdou Assamad Nasri in Maza-e-Sharif. I participate with them in the fall of Taliban by transporting the fighters in Maza-e-Sharif because after the events of 9/11/2001 I joined the northern alliances forces and there was no fighter that I knew in those people and anything mentioned about fighters in the future points are not true and false.

2- I worked in the direction of security of Basra from 1985 to 1986 as a policeman and my duty was to night guard places and markets from thieves and I have no relation with interrogation or politics. An order was sent on 22/2/1987 to transfer me to the military. I joint the army and I desert approximately eleven times and I was sentenced to two years in prison from 1988 to 1989. I spent a year and half and was released then I resigned from government job in 1989 and I did not join any governmental employment after that. I opened a kid's toy store until I run from Iraq in year 1986-1987.

3-The detainee worked as an interrogator for the Taliban police in Mazr-e-Sharif, Afghanistan: There is no truth to that plus I don't have the qualifications for such position like the nationality, diplomat and the language. The interrogators in Mazr-e-Sharif work now for the new government and they worked during the Taliban because they were employed before the Taliban enter Afghanistan and were not employed by the Taliban. I don't have any relation with them other than when I went to get my food from the direction of police, I said hello to them and they are nice people and again the Taliban unjustly treated them.

4-The detainee was the chief of the Taliban's interrogation office at Mazar-e-Sharif: not true. The chief of the Taliban's interrogation office at Mazar-e-Sharif is an Afghan man his name is Mullah Abdou Assalam and he was detainee in Shabraghan after the fall of the Taliban and was released from there.

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5-The detainee was the director of intelligence at Mazar-e-Sharif: there is no truth to that and the director of intelligence at Mazar-e-Sharif is an Afghan man and prisoner here in Cuba and his name is Sarf Eddine Sharafat and he is from Shabraghan.

6-The detainee admitted that he worked with the Taliban and stated that he had to carry papers as an Arab to prove the fact: I do not know.

### B-Training:

The detainee admitted to knowing how to interrogate in Arabic: I don't know and there is no knowledge from this fact.

### C-Connections/Associations:

1-The detainee met with Mullah Nitham Eddine: I present myself to the direction of police in Kabul and I met a police aid and he is Mullah Nitham Eddine and I told him that I have a family and immigrate from Iraq and assist me in finding a residence to live in with an Afghan family and he introduced me to the ministry of immigrant and start to receive from them a monthly alimentation that was enough for me and my family.

2-The detainee received a financial aid from the Taliban: The direction of police was given me daily a cooked food enough for me and my family as a charity. As far as the piece of land, it was given to me by one of the commanders of the northern alliance, Commander Diaa Eddine who works actually with the United States of America and has no relation with the Taliban as a matter of fact he was the first one to participate in the fall of the Taliban in Mazar-e-Sharif. I personally transported him and his other fighters with my own car to the fall of Taliban; therefore he gave me this small piece of land not as an owner but as loaner temporarily to cultivated and live from it with my family.

3-The detainee worked for Abdel Hadi Al Iraqi? I don't know anything about this subject.

4-The detainee received funds from Osama Bin Laden? I don't know anything about this subject.

5-The detainee worked with the Taliban and Saddam's Hussein intelligence? I don't know anything about this and I have testimony from witnesses to prove that I fled Iraq.

6-The detainee was heavily involved in the trade of heroin? Not true I did not se heroin in my life only in the movies on TV and I was living in the markets in Mazar-e-Sharif. The second paragraph cancels this one, how come a trader in heroin takes a financial help from Taliban.

7-The detainee grew heroin in Northern Afghanistan and was a Taliban commander? I don't know anything about this subject.

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### D-Detainee Actions and Statements:

1-The detainee claimed he had obtained a fake passport in 1998, then immediately claimed he had only tried to obtain the passport but did not receive the funds to cover the cost? I do not deny this subject, I got an Afghan passport for me and my family and contacted my cousin in Sweden in order to help me financially so that I can get out of Afghanistan because my presence in Afghanistan was danger to me and my family, but my cousin couldn't assisted me and excused himself. Now he is a member in the parliament of a new Iraqi government and sent me a message that he is ready for any type of guaranty in front United state of America that I do not pose a threat on United States or its allies and this is because he knows me and knows what I have been through in Afghanistan.

2-The detainee recruited a group of his own fighters. He provided his men weapons, communication equipment and vehicles? I don't know anything about this subject.

3-The detainee intended to sell his fighting group's services to the highest bidding warlord in Afghanistan? I don't know anything about this subject.

4-If a recruit refused to join his fighting group, the detainee turned the recruit over to the Taliban as a spy? I don't know anything about this subject.

5-The detainee and his group of fighters fought against the Northern Alliance on the front Lines? I don't know anything about this subject.

6-The detainee threatened the life of an individual and the lives of the family if the individual were to talk to interrogators about the detainee? Not true and I don't know any of the detainees here in the past only Hassan Al Iraqi and Shaker Al Iraqi and I have Shakir Al Iraqi's testimony 758 as far as someone else none knew me in Afghanistan therefore why should I be afraid and threaten him or his family. I know very well that United States of America does not take anyone's testimony that does not know anything about me in Afghanistan. The one who lived with me the most in this detention is Arkan Al Iraqi 653 and he also present you a testimony about this subject. Also I was with Northern Alliances in Afghanistan and I am not afraid of anyone to present you with information here because hundreds in Mazar-e Sharif testify that I was helping American Forces in the fall of the Taliban in Mazar-e-Sharif.

7-The detainees threatened others for giving information about fellow detainees to interrogators? Not true, all the prisoners in Cuba are my enemies and I don't have any fellow in them. I discovered that important source United States count on getting its information about the Arabs in Afghanistan and the prisoners in Cuba just like me presented information about members that were working for Osama Bin Laden, these information were taken from the same source which is prisoner 252. I wrote this information with my own hand writing about more than twenty prisoners here and presented it to my interrogator Sara. All the problems that I encounter in the detention

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here in Cuba are because I was cooperative in the investigation and I don't know why the interrogators deny this favor.

### E-Other Relevant Data

1-The detainee provided detailed information about the qualifications for being a Taliban interrogator? There is no truth to this. The interrogator asked me about the qualifications that I had when I worked with the police in Iraq and I don't remember anything about this subject about Afghanistan or Afghan police.

2-The detainee speaks Farsi and translates Arabic to Farsi? I speak a little Farsi because I lived in Iran and Afghanistan and here also in the prison with the Afghans, but I am unable to translate or write Farsi language and I have 653's testimony that he was the one who wrote letters for me to Afghanistan and to my friends there.

3-The detainee was the senior representative in Afghanistan for Bir Halla. The detainee's primary role was to ensure that Mazar-e-Sharif officials at Gumrik would grant titles to the vehicles? Not true and there is not such thing by the name Bir Halla. I have been through this before in the interrogation and the mistake was in the translation and even the interrogator himself presented me excuses about this subject and I like to clarify you the subject with summary. Salutory there is an Afghan man named Dabbih Allah selling used cars for a company that sent him cars from Uzbekistan to Afghanistan. I met once the representative of this company and his phone number available at the interrogation. The employment of this man, Dabbih Allah, is to receive cars from the border of Afghanistan, enter them to the customs, fix them if they need to be fixed and then get their titles and sold them. The quantity of these cars is no more than three cars and the price of one is no more than \$500. Due to conflict between the owners of the company and Dabbih Allah, they asked me both to take over and sell the rest of the cars and they will not send any more cars to Afghanistan. I received last two cars from Dabbih Allah, one is a Russian Volga model 1988 its price \$500, the other one is a Russian priced at \$300 and I believed its model was 1989 and satellite phone its price \$500, then I started to work and got a phone license to open a store. Actually I worked approximately three months and I lost because there was no business with the Afghans and I don't understand Their language; so I sold the phone and sent the cars for repairs and an Afghan man named Daoud took over by taking the cars to the customs and change the titles from Dabbih Allah to Daoud because he has a car store. After the transaction of the titles and the selling of the cars, I received the money from him and bought a car that I used to work with as a taxi and the value of all that money was 2000 lack (Afghan currency) which equivalent to \$1300 only. That was the cost of the two cars, as far as the phone license that I use to work with from the end of year 2000 to the beginning of year 2001 that is the bigger prove of my innocence because the responsible of Taliban wrote my truth one year before the events and the most he wrote is that this man is an Iraqi immigrant and has family and a lot of economical problems and he needs a satellite phone license. This document is signed by Taliban and disowns all the allegations that were presented against me before. What deny the existence of these allegations also are

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the letters and photos I have received from Afghan families in which they mentioned that they wish my return and live among them. Also in one of the letters, they expressed their desire to visit me in the prison of Kandahar they even wanted me to ask American Government for a permission to visit me. Those are my neighbors in Afghanistan and they know me very well, if I were an evil person or terrorist no one will mention me or at least they will be afraid to contact me but the fact that they know that I am a peaceful man that I was with the northern alliance that's why they were contacting me. I have some of their letters and others were taking by the interrogators. Other than letters from relatives, I received two letters from an Afghan man who was my neighbor for the period of three years and he works in sensitive position, political branch with United-nations at the office of Mazae-e-Sharif. He is an Afghan and wrote me in this letter that he wishes that I return back and live with them again. I wish from you to look at and take in consideration those poor people who love me and cried for me when you captured me, so how can I be a terrorist and I am loved person by all the people I lived with in Afghanistan.

### Behavior in prison:

I don't have any problem with the guards nor with the prisoners, but the prisoners don't leave me alone and all the soldiers and officers can testify to that because they saw and heard how the prisoners transgression me and this encroachment on me not because of my behavior, in the contrary my moral constitution is well superior than theirs. You can confirm my deportment and behavior because you have it in the computer. But the reason for the conflict between the prisoners and me is because first I am chiite and most of those prisoners are wahhabist and they allow the distinction of chia(h) and the hatred we have is well ancient religious hatred. The second reason is because I was cooperative with the interrogators and presented information against the Arabs present here. What confirm my conduct and behavior is when the Arabs tried to kill me in cell echo, one of them Saudi named Jamil entered and start beating me and did not retaliate until I got the permission from the military guard responsible of the block for self defense. Actually I defend my self until I place him down many times but I listen to the American soldiers and I stopped beating him and let him go then he got up and attacked me again, I had to defend myself until put him down. In this situation many officers from the American army were present and if you ask them about my situation, they will all testify in my favor. I am peaceful man and I don't like wrongdoing even my enemy who tried to kill me even though I had a great opportunity to do so and also you have this situation on pictures. As far as my behavior with the American soldiers, since three years and I am in the first class and was not punished once because of my conduct with them or others.

### What are your plans and goals in the future if you are released?

I will return in my country Iraq and live with my family away from any regions that have problems or wars or terrorism. Praise be to Allah our home is in quit region where there is no problems and open my store again that will have toys for kids and youngsters and pay attention to my future and the future of my kids and if United States need any assistance from me I will be always ready to fulfill it.

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### 3-Why you do not pose a threat on U.S.?

Because I love United States of America and when I saw the disaster of 9/11/2001 I cried a lot about these tragedies and especially about the American woman who was trying to enter the tower and stopped by the firefighter. She was crying poor lady and trying to enter into fire, I said to myself maybe this woman's kids or husband are present in that tower. I do not hate America and I exposed myself and my family to danger many times in order to stand by and help America. Even in Cuba I put myself in danger by presenting information to the interrogators and of course some prisoners tried to kill me but thanks to God I got rid of them but with a sorrow they broke my right wrist and now I really am unable to use my right hand completely. Now they placed me in camp 5 for my safety from Al Qaida and Taliban and I am also totally prepared to present assistance to United States of America.

### 4-Why you should be released?

I am a peaceful man and I have my father who is 75 years old and my mother 65 years old, my wife is diabetic and I have four kids, the oldest one is 11 years old and they need me. They don't have anybody to help them except me and my dad's salary is only \$1 a month. They love me and I love them and cry about our separation. I also do not pose a threat on anybody or pose a threat on United States of America and its allies.

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