

Summarized Unsworn Detainee Statement

The Recorder presented the Unclassified Summary of Evidence (Exhibit R-1) and Exhibit R-2 to the Tribunal and gave a brief description of the evidence.

The Recorder confirmed that she had no further unclassified evidence or witnesses and requested a closed Tribunal session to present classified evidence.

Tribunal President: I note that by the Detainee Election Form that it states that the Detainee requested to have his student Visa located from Pakistan and that this would prove he was in Pakistan to go to school to study English and computers. What happened to that request?

Personal Representative: Yes ma'am. I actually looked here in our evidence area to see if we had it and we had no evidence in relationship to his student Visa. In addition to that he reported that his passport had been stolen. We have no evidence on him at all; in reference to that student Visa.

Tribunal President: So is it your understanding that there would be no other way to locate that document?

Personal Representative: At this time, yes ma'am.

Tribunal President: Did you ask them to do a search on the high side to see if in fact it his documentation was located elsewhere?

Personal Representative: No ma'am.

Tribunal President: Let's take a brief recess for a moment.

The Tribunal went into recess and reconvened shortly thereafter.

Tribunal President: The Tribunal for (stated Detainee's name) is now reconvened. The point in question was on the Detainee Election Form it states that he requested to have his student Visa. Upon consultation with the Personal Representative, it was determined that this Visa like his passport would also be under a false name and therefore is truly irrelevant to the proceedings at this time. The Tribunal has determined that the document is irrelevant and we will not pursue anything further in trying to locate it.

Tribunal President: Personal Representative did the Detainee desire that you present information to this Tribunal on his behalf?

Personal Representative: Yes ma'am.

Tribunal President: You may do so at this time.

Personal Representative:

3.a. The detainee is a member of al Qaida and the Taliban:

I am not a member of the Taliban or al Qaida. I don't know them nor did I help them.

3.a.1. The Detainee traveled to Pakistan in late 2000 on a fake passport.

I have defended this many times. I actually did leave Pakistan in late 2000 and in doing so I had to obtain a fake passport. The reason is because I was born in Saudi Arabia but my family was from Chad. I had to go to the Chad Embassy to find out if I could obtain a passport. They allowed me to get one under a different name; which made the passport fake.

3.a.2. The Detainee has been associated with al Qaida members.

I don't know them. I don't have nothing to do with them.

3.a.3. The Detainee is identified as a member of the Bahrain Defense Organization.

No, I was not.

3.a.4. The Detainee is a low level al Qaida fighter.

They caught me in Pakistan in Karachi and they sold me to the Americans for \$5,000. I am not a fighter. I was in prison in Pakistan and they told me they would call my parents but they never did.

3.b. The Detainee participated in military operations against the U.S. and its Coalition partners.

This is not evidence. It's just allegations.

3.b.1. The Detainee was recruited for military training at the al Farouq training camp.

I have never been seen at any of these camps.

3.b.2. The Detainee received military training, including use of AK-47s.

I have never been seen except in Pakistan when we carried it but I never used it.

3.b.3 The Detainee reportedly may have fought against U.S. and coalition troops in Tora Bora.

I have never been to Tora Bora. I have no business to go there and fight. I came to get educated only.

I was captured after September 11th, 2000. I was arrested in Saudi Arabia. I got the money to travel to leave Saudi Arabia by saving my money. I went to the police station and reported that I had lost my passport. I was then captured.

All of these allegations are untrue and they are no evidence of proof.

Personal Representative: That is the end of our conversation.

Tribunal President: I also noticed that on the Detainee Election Form that the Detainee requested to have the airport confirm that he left Saudi only once. That was a month to a month and a half prior to 9/11 to go to Jeddah and then Karachi. Truly that is not relevant to what we are talking about and there is no way to confirm that obviously without his passport. We just wanted to address that since it is on the Detainee Election Form.

Personal Representative: Correct. Yes ma'am.

The Tribunal President confirmed that all unclassified had been heard and adjourned the open session of the Tribunal.

The Tribunal President reconvened to correct a statement made by the Personal Representative.

Tribunal President: The Tribunal is reconvened to correct a statement that was previously made. The statement was that the Personal Representative said that the Detainee traveled to Pakistan in late 2000 and what was meant to have said was the Detainee traveled to Pakistan in late 2001 on a fake passport.

The Tribunal President confirmed that all unclassified had been heard and adjourned the open session of the Tribunal.

The Tribunal President reconvened to correct a statement made by the Personal Representative.

Tribunal President: The Tribunal is reconvened in order to correct a statement made by the Personal Representative regarding the Detainee's remarks for the Tribunal. Personal Representative at this time would you please correct the statement?

Personal Representative: Yes ma'am. I stated that he was arrested in Saudi Arabia. The correction is, he was arrested in Pakistan and he was amongst Arabic and Saudi people.

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Tribunal President: Thank you.

Personal Representative: Yes ma'am.

The Tribunal President confirmed that all unclassified had been heard and adjourned the open session of the Tribunal.

AUTHENTICATION

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

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