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Summarized Unsworn Detainee Statement

When asked by the Tribunal President the detainee stated he understands the process and he did not have any questions.

When asked by the Tribunal President if he wanted to make a statement the detainee stated that he did not have anything to say.

Summarized Answers in Response to Questions by the Tribunal Members

- Q. Aziz, what was your job when you went into Kashmir?
- I was helping my Muslim brothers.
- Q. How were you doing that?
- A. What do you mean by that, sir?
- Q. You were injured disarming a mine?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you plant mines as well?
- A. No.
- Q. Did you do any other actions besides disarming the mines?
- A. Because I was being tortured here, I had to say I was planting mines. I had no experience planting mines. I stayed in Kashmir for four and a half months, which was not enough time to be well trained; I spent most of my time playing sports. I was tired of sitting in Harim for more than a year, that's why I went to Kashmir to do some P.T. If I had training from one of the experienced guys this would not have happened to me. I have come across injuries before but nothing like this. That is all I have for you.
- Q. Where you a member Lashkar-e-Tayyiba?
- A. No. Because of my experience with the Algerian Army, it was hard for myself and other officers to join. A person must be a Sunni to join that group. They must have full trust before they can get in. It was difficult for me to get in.
- Q. Do you have any other evidence or statements you would like to present to this tribunal?

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- I was accused of planting mines that day. I had a difficult time when I first A. got here to Cuba. I prefer to speak here because it is ruled by procedures. I was tortured and made to say things against myself. When transferred by a truck, my brothers and I were beaten to death and I don't know why. Because of the treatment, I couldn't speak with the interrogators about the mines issue. I have waited until now to tell you I had nothing to do with the mines or planting mines.
- Who beat him? Q.
- Our faces were covered. I was injured and couldn't endure all the torture. A. The interrogators forced me to say these things, because I was scared to be punished. It is impossible for a person like me to get involved in the minefields. It may take two years to get experience in that field, I was there for four months.

AUTHENTICATION

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

Tribunal President

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