

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

SALEH ABDALL AL OSHAN,

Petitioner/Plaintiff,

v.

GEORGE W. BUSH *et al.*,

Respondents/Defendants

Civil Action No. 05-0520 (RMU)

DECLARATION OF TERESA A. McPALMER

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, Commander Teresa A. McPalmer, Judge Advocate General's Corps, United States Navy, hereby state that to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the following is true, accurate and correct:

1. I am the Legal Advisor to the Office for the Administrative Review of the Detention of Enemy Combatants at U.S. Naval Base Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (OARDEC). In that capacity I am an advisor to the Director of the Combatant Status Review Tribunals.

2. I hereby certify that the document attached hereto is a true and accurate copy of the letter signed by the Director of Combatant Status Review Tribunals approving the Tribunal's determination regarding petitioner Saleh Abdall al Oshan. I redacted petitioner Saleh Abdall al Oshan's internment serial number because certain combinations of internment serial numbers

with other information relates to sensitive internal and intelligence operations that is not suitable for public release.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: 19 May 2005

Teresa A. McPalmer

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CDR, JAGC, USN



Department of Defense
Director, Combatant Status Review Tribunals

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From: Director, Combatant Status Review Tribunal

Subj: **REVIEW OF COMBATANT STATUS REVIEW TRIBUNAL FOR
DETAINEE ISN # [REDACTED]**

Ref: (a) Deputy Secretary of Defense Order of 7 July 2004
(b) Secretary of the Navy Order of 29 July 2004

1. The Combatant Status Review Tribunal's determination that Detainee ISN # [REDACTED] shall no longer be classified as an enemy combatant is approved.
2. In accordance with references (a) and (b) the written report of the Tribunal's decision will be forwarded to the Secretary of the Navy.

J. M. McGARRAH
RADM, CEC, USN

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