

1 **Jon B. Eisenberg, California Bar No. 88278** (jon@eandhlaw.com)
 2 **William N. Hancock, California Bar No. 104501** (bill@eandhlaw.com)
 3 **Eisenberg & Hancock LLP**
 4 1970 Broadway, Suite 1200 • Oakland, CA 94612
 510.452.2581 – Fax 510.452.3277

5 **Steven Goldberg, Oregon Bar No. 75134** (steven@stevengoldberglaw.com)
 6 River Park Center, Suite 300 • 205 SE Spokane St. • Portland, OR 97202
 503.445-4622 – Fax 503.238.7501

7 **Thomas H. Nelson, Oregon Bar No. 78315** (nelson@thnelson.com)
 8 P.O. Box 1211, 24525 E. Welches Road • Welches, OR 97067
 503.622.3123 - Fax: 503.622.1438

9 **Zaha S. Hassan, California Bar No. 184696** (zahahassan@comcast.net)
 10 8101 N.E. Parkway Drive, Suite F-2. • Vancouver, WA 98662
 11 360.213.9737 - Fax 866.399.5575

12 **J. Ashlee Albies, Oregon Bar No. 05184** (ashlee@sstcr.com)
 13 **Stenson, Schumann, Tewksbury, Creighton and Rose, PC**
 14 815 S.W. Second Ave., Suite 500 • Portland, OR 97204
 503.221.1792 – Fax 503.223.1516

15 **Lisa R. Jaskol, California Bar No. 138769** (ljaskol@earthlink.net)
 16 610 S. Ardmore Ave. • Los Angeles, CA 90005
 213.385.2977 – Fax 213.385.9089

17 **Attorneys for Plaintiffs Al-Haramain Islamic Foundation, Inc., Wendell Belew and Asim**
 18 **Ghafoor**

19 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 20 **FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

21 **IN RE NATIONAL SECURITY**) MDL Docket No. 06-1791 VRW
 22 **AGENCY TELECOMMUNICATIONS**)
 23 **RECORDS LITIGATION**) **DECLARATION OF ASIM GHAFOOR**
) **IN SUPPORT OF MOTION PURSUANT**
 24 This Document Relates Solely To:) **TO 50 U.S.C. § 1806(f) TO DISCOVER**
) **OR OBTAIN MATERIAL RELATING**
 25 *Al-Haramain Islamic Foundation, Inc., et*) **TO ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE**
 26 *al. v. Bush, et al. (C07-CV-0109-VRW)*)


26 **AL-HARAMAIN ISLAMIC**) Date: Tuesday, December 2, 2008
 27 **FOUNDATION, INC., et al.,**) Time: 10:00 a.m.
) Court: Courtroom 6, 17th Floor
 28) Honorable Vaughn R. Walker

1 Mohammad Jamal Khalifa, who was married to one of Osama bin-Laden's sisters. Two other names
2 al-Buthi mentioned were Safar al-Hawali and Salman al-Auda, clerics whom Osama bin-Laden
3 claimed had inspired him.

4 6. During those telephone conversations, al-Buthi and I also discussed issues relating to
5 payment of my legal fees as defense counsel in the *Burnett* lawsuit, including the following: who
6 would pay the fees; replenishment of my retainer; the possibility of using a credit card to pay the legal
7 fees; and a system for payment of the fees by check, whereby clients would make payments to al-Buthi,
8 who would deposit those payments in his personal bank account and then send cashier's checks to me.

9 Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and
10 correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

11 Executed this 13th day of September, 2008.


12 _____
13 Asim Ghafoor