

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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GUANTANAMO BAY DETAINEE LITIGATION)	Misc. No. 08-442 (TFH)
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HANI SALEH RASHID ABDULLAH, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
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<i>Petitioners,</i>)	
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v.)	No. 05-0023 (RWR)
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GEORGE W. BUSH, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
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<i>Respondents.</i>)	
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**MOTION FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION
AND TO SHORTEN TIME TO RESPOND**

On November 26, 2008, Petitioner filed a motion for leave to take certain discovery, and requested that the discovery be provided on an expedited basis, for reasons explained in the motion. See Docket Entry No. 158 (in 05-0023).

For those same reasons, Petitioner requests that Respondents be directed to respond to the motion for leave to take discovery by Friday, December 5, 2008.

Counsel for Petitioner consulted with counsel for Respondents.

Respondents oppose the motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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