



The second day's extension is requested because, despite Respondent's delivery of these unclassified returns to the Clerk's office during its business hours on December 10, the Clerk's office rejected the filings due to their requirements for Guantanamo habeas filings that Respondents' counsel were not previously aware of, and the government was unable to correct the filings in time to submit them again before the Clerk's office closed that afternoon. Government counsel have conferred by telephone this morning, December 11, with representatives of the Clerk's office to clarify the requirements for filing Guantanamo habeas papers under seal. The Government has made the necessary arrangements for this filing and will make the necessary arrangements for subsequent filings under seal of unclassified returns in other Guantanamo cases. Undersigned counsel sought consent from Petitioner's counsel in *Hamlily v. Bush*, Civ. No. 05-0763 (JDB) via e-mail on December 10, 2008, to file the unclassified return a second day out of time, and was informed that Petitioner's counsel does not oppose that additional extension.

NOTICE ALSO IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the protective order entered herein by the Court's Order of September 11, 2008, respondents are filing herewith under seal an unclassified factual return for Petitioner Adel Hamlily which Respondents seek to have designated as "protected information." In accordance with paragraph 49 of the protective order, the submission was filed under seal pursuant to Local Civil Rule 5.1(j). As required by the protective order, Respondents have disclosed the protected information to Petitioners' counsel and are conferring with counsel in an attempt to reach an agreement regarding the designation of the information prior to filing a motion with the Court; following the outcome of that conferral, respondents will file an

appropriate motion with the Court to have the information designated as “protected.” Respondents, however, do not object to Petitioner's counsel sharing the submission with the Petitioner-detainee in this case. Undersigned counsel notified Petitioner’s counsel in *Hamlily v. Bush*, Civ. No. 05-0763 (JDB) via e-mail on December 9, 2008, that Respondents would be seeking to designate this unclassified return as protected information, and was informed that counsel for Petitioner Hamlily objects to that designation.

Dated: December 11, 2008

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**Misc. No. 08-442 (TFH)**  
**Civil Action No. 05-CV-0763 (JDB)**

**ORDER**

For good cause shown, Respondents' Motion to File Unclassified Return Out of Time is hereby granted.

So Ordered, this \_\_\_\_ day of December, 2008.

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John D. Bates  
United States District Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 11, 2008, I caused the foregoing *Motion to File Unclassified Return Out of Time and Notice of Filing Protected Information*, without the attached unclassified factual return for Petitioner Adel Hamlily, to be served on counsel for Petitioner Adel Hamlily by electronic means through the Court's Case Management/Electronic Case File system.

I also hereby certify that on December 9, 2008, I caused the unclassified factual return for Petitioner Adel Hamlily attached to the foregoing *Motion to File Unclassified Return Out of Time and Notice of Filing Protected Information* to be served on counsel for Petitioner Adel Hamlily via e-mail.

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