

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

<p>IN RE: GUANTANAMO BAY DETAINEE LITIGATION</p> <hr/> <p>AHMED ISLAM SAID KUMAN,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Petitioner,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">v.</p> <p>GEORGE W. BUSH, et al.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Respondents.</p>	<p>Misc. No. 08-MC-442 (TFH)</p> <p>Civil Action No. 08-CV-1235 (JDB)</p>
<p>AL HAMANDY,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Petitioner,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">v.</p> <p>GEORGE W. BUSH, et al.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Respondents.</p>	<p>Civil Action No. 05-CV-2385 (RMU)</p>
<p>HAMOUD ABDULLAH HAMOUD HASSAN AL WADY,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Petitioner,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">v.</p> <p>GEORGE W. BUSH, et al.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Respondents.</p>	<p>Civil Action No. 08-CV-1237 (RMC)</p>

**JOINT NOTICE OF AGREEMENT REGARDING PETITIONERS' MOTION FOR  
DIRECT CONTACT**

The parties hereby inform the Court that, after mediation facilitated by Magistrate Judge Alan Kay, they have agreed to certain accommodations to facilitate Petitioners' attorneys' upcoming visit to Guantanamo Bay. Petitioners Ahmed Islam Said Kuman and Hamoud Abdullah Hamoud Hassan al Wady, therefore, withdraw their Motions for Direct Contact (08-CV-1235 dkt. no. 52 and 08-CV-1237 dkt no. 47, respectively) without prejudice

and with the right to bring such a motion in the future. Respondents do not object to  
Petitioners' withdrawal of these motions.

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