

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

<p>AHMAD MOHAMMAD AL DARBI,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Petitioner,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">v.</p> <p>BARACK OBAMA, <i>et al.</i>,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Respondents.</p>	<p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p>	<p>Misc. No. 08-442 (TFH)</p> <p>Civil Action No. 05-2371 (RCL)</p>
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NOTICE OF WRITTEN AUTHORIZATION BY AHMAD MOHAMMAD AL DARBI

Pursuant to this Court's July 29, 2008 Order (Misc. No. 08-0442, dkt. no. 210), and as a supplement to the notice of authorization filed on September 29, 2008 (Civ. No. 05-2371, dkt. no. 80), undersigned counsel submits the attached declaration by Petitioner Ahmad Mohammad Al Darbi (ISN 768) stating that he has directly authorized undersigned counsel to pursue this action.

Dated: May 6, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I today caused a true and accurate copy of the foregoing to be served electronically via the Court's Electronic Case Filing system.

Dated: May 6, 2009

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