IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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IN RE:)	Misc. No. 08-442 (TFH)
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GUANTÁNAMO BAY)	Civil Action No. 04-1194 (HHK)
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DECLARATION OF DAROLD W. KILLMER

Darold W. Killmer declares as follows pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746:

- 1. I am an attorney licensed to practice law in the state of Colorado. I am a partner in the law firm of KILLMER, LANE & NEWMAN, LLP.
- 2. My client, Jalal Salim Bin Amer (ISN 564) is a prisoner in the prison maintained by the United States military at the U.S. Naval Base at Guantánamo Bay, Cuba. He has been imprisoned there without charge since late 2002.
- 3. My partner, Mari Newman, and I have had two separate meetings with Mr. Bin Amer at Guantánamo Bay beginning in August 2007. We have visited Mr. Bin Amer on separate trips to Guantánamo Bay in August 2007 and March 2008.
- 4. During our meetings with him, Mr. Bin Amer has conveyed to us his authority for me and my colleagues at KILLMER, LANE & NEWMAN, LLP and the Center for Constitutional Rights to represent him in connection with his imprisonment at Guantánamo Bay, including but not limited to prosecuting the petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* that was filed on his behalf in *Anam et al. v. Bush et al.*, No. 04-cv-01194-HHK. We (or predecessor counsel Mike Shaw) have also been provided authorization to prosecute his claims by members of his family.
- 5. During our next visit to the Base, which we anticipate will take place in early 2009, we intend to secure a signed authorization from Mr. Bin Amer memorializing his

representations and authority regarding our representation of him in this litigation, at which time we will file such authorization with this Court.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED this 29th day of September 2008.

Darold W. Killmer