

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

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<b>SAYF BIN ABDULLAH, et al.</b>		)
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	Petitioners,	)
		)
	v.	)
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<b>GEORGE W. BUSH, et al.,</b>		)
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	Respondents.	)
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Misc. No. 08-442 (TFH)

Civ. No. 05- 2386 (RBW)

**NOTICE OF FILING OF EMERGENCY MOTION FOR TEMPORARY  
RESTRAINING ORDER BARRING RESPONDENTS FROM  
TRANSFERRING PETITIONER TO TUNISIA**

Petitioner Sayf bin Abdullah (ISN 046), by his undersigned attorneys, hereby notifies the Court that on October 21, 2008, counsel filed with the Court Security Officer an *Emergency Motion for Temporary Restraining Order Barring Respondents from Transferring Petitioner to Tunisia*.

He has not requested that the pleading be sealed. The Court’s recent rulings on sealing have not specifically barred the government from sharing the contents of the underlying pleading—which specify his fears of persecution in Tunisia—with agents of the Tunisian government. As this obviates any benefit he stood to gain from sealing his motion, Petitioner prefers that the issues concerning, e.g., the prevalence of torture in Tunisia be aired in the open.

Respectfully submitted,

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