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Re: Associated Press v. United States Department of Defense,
05 Civ. 5468 (JSR)

Dear Mr. Schulz:

Attached with this letter are documents Bates-stamped 00279 - 00384. These documents are responsive to request number 5 of plaintiff's January 18, 2005 FOIA request, which sought "[d]etails and explanations of the decisions made to release or transfer detainees, including the reason why the decision was made." The documents have been redacted pursuant to FOIA Exemptions 1, 5, 6, and 7(A) and (E). The bases for particular redactions are written on the documents. No responsive documents have been withheld in full. Please note that the designation "SECRET//NOFORN" in the header on each page has been crossed out (not redacted) because the documents, in the form produced here, are no longer classified.

The enclosed documents constitute the entire universe of documents responsive to request number 5 of plaintiff's January 2005 FOIA request that DOD located as of the date of its search, June 8, 2005.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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