

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

HANI SALEH RASHID ABDULLAH, *et al.*, )  
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 *Petitioners,* )  
 )  
 v. )  
 ) **CASE NO. 1:05-CV-00023 (RWR)**  
 GEORGE W. BUSH, *et al.*, )  
 )  
 *Respondents.* )  
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**ORDER SETTING BRIEFING SCHEDULE**

This case, having been transferred for coordination and management by this Judge, it is hereby

ORDERED that pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2243, respondents shall file with the Court and serve on petitioners' counsel on or before February 23, 2005 responsive pleadings, including motions to dismiss, should the respondents wish to file them, showing cause why writs of habeas corpus and the relief sought by the petitioners should not be granted. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that said returns shall not repeat arguments and legal positions ruled upon the Court in its decision of January 31, 2005, which decision is adopted herein for all purposes. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that respondents shall file factual returns for the detainees on or before February 23, 2005. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that should respondents file motions to dismiss on or before February 23, 2005, petitioners shall file their oppositions thereto on or before March 9, 2005. The respondents' reply briefs shall be due on or before March 16, 2005.

The amended protective order, including counsel access procedures, previously issued and supplemented in other Guantanamo Bay detainee cases, will apply to this case and will be docketed in a separate entry.

IT IS SO ORDERED

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JOYCE HENS GREEN  
United States District Judge

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