

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

CHARLES SWIFT, as next friend for
SALIM AHMED HAMDAN,

Petitioner,

v.

DONALD H. RUMSFELD, *et al.*,

Respondents.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:04-cv-01519-JR

DECLARATION OF NEAL KATYAL

I, NEAL KATYAL ("Applicant"), declare as follows:

1. Request for Admission: Applicant is a Professor of Law at Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, D.C. Applicant requests permission to participate in this action as counsel for Petitioner Lt. Commander Charles Swift, as next friend to Salim Ahmed Hamdan.
2. Name and Address of Applicant's Law Firm / Institution:
Georgetown University Law Center
600 New Jersey Ave.
Washington, D.C. 20001
Tel: 202-662-9000
3. Bar Admission(s): Applicant is a member of the Bar of the District of Columbia and is also registered to practice before the United States Supreme Court, the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, and the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit.
4. Certification of Good Standing: Applicant certifies that he has not been disbarred, censured, or disciplined by any court of record or state bar association. There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against Applicant.

5. Previous Appearances in this Court: Applicant has not been admitted *pro hac vice* in this Court within the last two years.

6. Certification of Representation of Indigent for No Fee: Applicant requests permission to appear and practice in this case pursuant to Local Rule 83.2(g), and pursuant to that rule, hereby certifies that in doing so he will be providing legal services on behalf of an indigent, Mr. Salim Ahmed Hamdan, the real party in interest herein, and that Applicant will be providing such services for no compensation.

7. Certification of Familiarity with Local Rules: Applicant certifies that he is personally familiar with the local rules of this Court.

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE FOREGOING IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

DATED this 9 day of September, 2004.



Neal Katyal