



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
JOINT TASK FORCE GUANTANAMO
GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA
APO AE 09360

JTF GTMO-CG

29 November 2003

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, United States Southern Command, 3511 NW 91st Avenue, Miami, FL 33172.

SUBJECT: (S) Recommendation to Retain under DoD Control for Guantanamo Detainee, Monir Naseer, ISN: US9PK-000085DP.

1. (S) **Personal Information:** Monir Naseer is a Pakistani national, born on 27 February 1978 (age 25) in Karachi, Pakistan (PK). Detainee has been diagnosed with Gastro-Esophageal Reflux Disease and Anemia, but is otherwise in good health.
2. (S) **Detention Information:** Subject detainee claims that he worked for his older brothers running a computer store business in Karachi, Pakistan after attending the Welfare Student Computer Institute in Karachi, PK. Detainee admitted that he became upset when the Americans attacked Afghanistan and decided he would fight on behalf of the Taliban. Detainee admitted he joined the Jaish-e-Mohammed (JEM) terrorist organization and attended two weeks of military training at the Balakot training camp, in Kashmir, PK. Detainee further admitted that after training, he traveled to Konduz, Afghanistan (AF) where he joined the Taliban on the frontlines. Detainee returned to Konduz after the convoy he was traveling with was attacked. Detainee eventually turned himself over to Dostum's forces. Detainee was turned over to US forces and subsequently transported to Guantanamo Bay Naval Base, Cuba on 14 January 2002 because of his affiliation with the Taliban and his membership in JEM.
3. (S) **Reasons to Continued Detention at GTMO:** Detainee has been generally cooperative during his detention. He has freely admitted that he joined a known terrorist organization (JEM) for the explicit reason of fighting Jihad against the US-led Coalition in Afghanistan. Further analysis indicates that the detainee may be a British citizen and may possibly be the "fourth" individual that the Tipton 3 traveled with (ISNs US9UK-000086, US9UK-000087 and US9UK-000110). Detainee's travel patterns match that of the Tipton 3. Also a physical description given by ISN US9UK-000110 matches the detainee's. The detainee turned himself over to Dostum's forces after fleeing fighting in Konduz, AF just as the Tipton 3 did, and all four ended up in Mazar-e-Sharif. Detainee was transferred to

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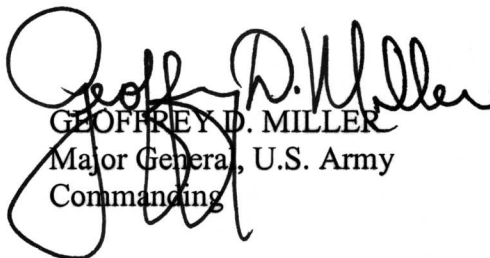
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Guantanamo Bay with US9UK-000086 and US9UK-000087. Lastly, it has been noted on many occasions by the Joint Detention Operations Group at Guantanamo Bay that the detainee speaks fluent English. Records indicate that he has translated between detainees, guards and medical staff. Lastly, detainee's correspondence has been written in English, indicating that he likely received formal education in English.

4. (S) **Assessment:** Based on information collected and available to Joint Task Force Guantanamo as of 19 November 2003, although detainee ISN: US9PK-000085DP is assessed as being a member of Jaish-e-Mohammed (JEM), a terrorist organization. Based on the detainee's folder, the knowledgeable brief, and subsequent interrogations by JTF Guantanamo, the detainee is of intelligence value to the United States. Based on the above, detainee poses a medium threat to the U.S., its interests or its allies.

5. (S) **Recommendation:** Retain under DoD control.

6. (C) **Coordination:** JTF Guantanamo notified the Criminal Investigative Task Force (CITF) of this recommendation on 25 November 2003. In the interest of national security and pursuant to an agreement between the CITF and JTF GTMO Commanders, CITF defers to JTF GTMO's assessment that the detainee poses a Medium Threat.


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