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From: Dolan, JoAnn
Sent: Monday, June 03, 2002 2:11 PM
To: (DoD) Watt, Linda(Miami); 'CWG_PM-Coordinator'; 'Litt, David'; Blaschke, Brent E(S/WCI)
Cc: Hernandez, Priscilla G; Karagiannis, Alex(London); Dworken, Morton R(London); Leader, Damian R(London); CoalitionWG_PM; 'Eliana Davidson [Eliana_Davidson@nts.policy.osd.pentagon.smil.mil] (E-mail)'
Subject: RE: Cuba Detainee's Lawyer Request

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-----Original Message-----

From: CWG_PM-Coordinator [mailto:1TFQ@state.sgov.gov]
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2002 12:53 PM
To: (DoD) Watt, Linda; Litt, David; Blaschke, Brent E
Cc: Hernandez, Priscilla G(Main State); Karagiannis, Alex(London); Dworken, Morton R(London); Dolan, JoAnn(Main State Room 3637A); Leader, Damian R(London); CoalitionWG_PM
Subject: RE: Cuba Detainee's Lawyer Request

For your action.

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Classified by David Pierce, Director Coalition Working Group

Reasons: 1.5 (A), (B), (C), and (D)

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Leader, Damian R
> Sent: Friday, May 31, 2002 11:57 AM
> To: CoalitionWG_PM
> Cc: Hernandez, Priscilla G(Main State); Karagiannis, Alex; Dworken, Morton R; Dolan, JoAnn(Main State Room 3637A)
> Subject: Cuba Detainee's Lawyer Request
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> CWG-PM-
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> Our Ambassador received the following letter from the law firm
> representing [REDACTED] (currently detained in Cuba) and his mother.
> The operational parts are:

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE
REVIEW AUTHORITY: SHARON E AHMAD
DATE/CASE ID: 10 JAN 2005 200303827

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> "Our client is extremely concerned that she has recently recieved a
> message from her son, written in April, which indicates he is not
> receiving any of her letters. She has written more than thirty-two
> letters to him, most of which have been sent through the U.S.
Government,
> but it appears these are not being passed on to him.
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> Our client also continues to want her son to have access to a lawyer
and
> remains extremely concerned at his unlawful detention without being
given
> such access or due process or being charged with any offence or told
what
> will happen to him. This is all in gross violation of international
human
> rights law."
>
> The law firm, Christian Fisher, has also brought a case in the UK
courts
> concerning our handling of detainees.
>
> Embassy London would appreciate any information that can be included
in a
> written reply to the law firm specific to [REDACTED] letters, and also
more
> generally on the state of our plans for the detainees.
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> Thank you for your help,
>
> Damian Leader
> Embassy London

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