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MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TAMPA, FLORIDA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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TAMPA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CASE NO: 8:03-Cr-77-T-30TBM

vs.

SAMI AL-ARIAN

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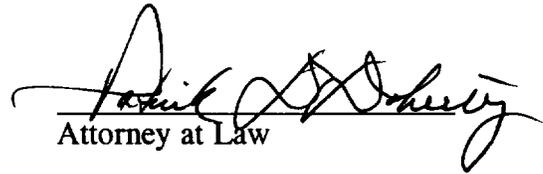
AFFIDAVIT OF PATRICK D. DOHERTY, ESQUIRE

Before me, personally appeared PATRICK D. DOHERTY, ESQUIRE, who after being duly sworn, deposed and said:

1. I am a member of the Florida Bar and have practiced in Pinellas County, Florida for twenty-nine (29) years;
2. I am employed with the law office of Jeffrey G. Brown, P.A., and am assisting Mr. Brown with his representation of the Defendant, Sami Al-Arian, pursuant to his appointment under the Criminal Justice Act;
3. I have substantial experience in the defense of criminal cases including cases similar in nature and charge to the charges in the above referenced case;
4. The associate warden of Coleman U.S.P., Mimi Potts, replied to the phone call referred to in the previous Affidavit on April 29, 2003.
5. The phone call left by Ms. Potts suggests that the delay in returning the call was caused by the fact that she had been out on annual leave.
6. Your Affiant had already visited with the Defendant in the interim. The delay is, however, instructive on the issue of whether the internal procedures of this facility are or are not compatible with the rights of a Pre-trial detainee and the duties of a lawyer preparing for trial.

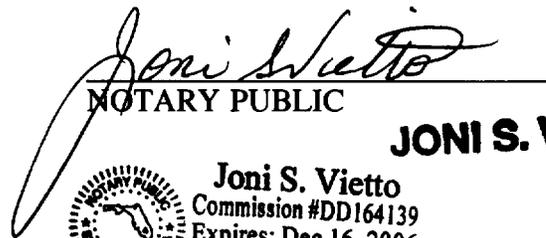
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Further Affiant sayeth not.


Attorney at Law

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing was acknowledged before me this 6th day of May, 2003, by
PATRICK D. DOHERTY, ESQUIRE, who is personally known to me ~~or who has produced~~
_____ as ~~identification~~ and who did take an oath.


NOTARY PUBLIC
JONI S. VIETTO

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