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THE LETTER

[Your name]

[Your address]

[Date] [Name and address]

Subject : Guantanamo detainee held without legal rights

Dear Mr [or Mrs] [Name],

I write regarding the continued indefinite detention and imprisonment without charge of Mustafa Hamlily ISN 705 in Guantanamo Bay. It has been many years since he was initially detained.

All detainees without exception who have been released from Guantanamo have complained of enduring beatings, sleep deprivation, prolonged constraint in uncomfortable positions, prolonged hooding, sexual and cultural humiliation, forced injections, and other physical and psychological mistreatment.

Amnesty International recently described the detention facility as the "gulag of our times".

Lawyers for the detainees have reported that the men's mental health is rapidly deteriorating. It is shocking and horrific that men are held under such inhuman conditions, without formal committal for trial by a State which says it is the champion of Freedom and Democracy in the World.

I understand that Mr. Hamlily has been cleared for release. Yet he's still imprisoned. His wife and children are anxiously waiting for the homecoming of their father.

I also urge you to acknowledge receipt of this mail so that no one cannot manage to affirm that the representatives of the USA are not interested in *desiderata* of the citizens of the States they represent.

Thanking you in advance for your help,

Yours Sincerely

[Your signature]

[Your name]