

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
)
 v.) Criminal No. 01-455-A
)
 ZACARIAS MOUSSAOUI)
 a/k/a "Shaqil,")
 a/k/a "Abu Khalid)
 al Sahrawi,")
)
 Defendant.)

ORDER

Pursuant to our Order of September 27, 2002, the United States has advised the Court of its proposed redactions to ten pleadings filed by the pro se defendant.¹ Because we find that the proposed redactions strike the proper balance between the public's right to access records in criminal cases and the United States' legitimate concerns about the defendant's ability to use his pleadings inappropriately to communicate with the outside world, it is hereby

ORDERED that the defendant's pro se pleadings docketed as #s 467, 469, 470, 471, 472, 497, 498, 536, 570 and 577 be and are unsealed with the United States' proposed redactions; and it is further

ORDERED that consistent with our Order of October 3, 2002, the defendant's pro se pleadings docketed as #s 491 and 537 are to remain under total seal until further order of the Court.

¹ The United States requests that two pleadings, docketed as #s 491 and 537, remain under seal in their entirety.

The Clerk is directed to forward copies of this Order to the defendant, pro se; counsel for the United States; and standby defense counsel.

Entered this 9th day of October, 2002.

/s/

Leonie M. Brinkema
United States District Judge

Alexandria, Virginia