

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

Defense counsel have filed a Motion for Protection of Defendant's Papers in which they propose a method for handling any writings the defendant sends to the Court. Before ruling on this motion, the Court needs to be sure the United States has no objection to proceeding as defense counsel request. Accordingly, it is hereby

ORDERED that the United States respond to this motion within ten (10) days.

The Clerk is directed to forward copies of this Order to counsel of record.

Entered this 25th day of November, 2003.

/s/

Leonie M. Brinkema
United States District Judge

Alexandria, Virginia