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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF OREGON PORTLAND DIVISION

AYMAN LATIF, et al.,

Case No.: 10-cv-750 (BR)

Plaintiffs,

V.

ERIC H. HOLDER, JR., et al.,

Defendants.

DECLARATION OF
MOHAMED SHEIKH
ABDIRAHMAN KARIYE IN
SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS'
CROSS-MOTION FOR PARTIAL
SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND IN
OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANTS'
MOTION FOR PARTIAL
SUMMARY JUDGMENT

- I, Mohamed Kariye, hereby declare and state as follows pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746:
- 1. I submit this declaration based on my personal knowledge in support of Plaintiffs' cross-motion for partial summary judgment and in opposition to Defendants' motion for partial summary judgment in the above-captioned case.
- 2. I am a U.S. citizen and live with my wife and three of my children in Portland, Oregon.
- 3. I am the imam, or religious leader, of Masjid As-Saber, also known as The Islamic Center of Portland.
  - 4. Prior to March 8, 2010, I flew for years without any problems.
- 5. In early 2010, I sought to visit my daughter, who at the time was a high school student in Dubai. I booked tickets to travel by plane from Portland to Dubai, via Amsterdam.
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- 6. On March 8, 2010, I was denied boarding on my flight to Amsterdam at the Portland International Airport. An airline employee told me that I could not fly because I am on a government watch list. When she told me this, five government officials, including a police officer, detective, U.S. Marshal and two FBI agents were surrounding me.
- 7. I felt humiliated that everyone near me in the airport, including government and airline officials and other travelers, could see that I was denied boarding on my flight. I felt like I was being treated like a suspected terrorist.
- 8. My placement on the No Fly List has prevented me from traveling from my home in Portland to other parts of the United States and to other countries. I have no practical means of traveling to these locations without flying.
- 9. Because I am on the No Fly List, I could not travel from Portland to Dubai to be with my daughter, and presently cannot travel from Portland to Saudi Arabia to accompany my mother on the *hajj* pilgrimage, an Islamic religious obligation. I cannot make the 6,500-mile journey from Portland to Dubai or Saudi Arabia without flying because travel over land and by ship is prohibitively expensive, time consuming, and dangerous. A one-way journey to either destination would take weeks, and possibly more than a month to complete. I also fear interrogation and detention in any countries through which I would need to transit.
- 10. I have no idea why the government has put me on the No Fly List. I have never been charged, indicted, or convicted of a terrorism crime in a U.S. or foreign court. No government official has ever told me why I was denied boarding or why I would be included in the No Fly List. Because of this, I simply do not know how to explain that I should not be on the No Fly List, or what information I should provide in my defense.

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- 11. I do not pose a threat to civil aviation or national security. I would be willing to undergo any suitable screening procedures in order to be permitted to board planes.
- 12. I declare and state under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Executed on March 21, 2013

MOHAMED KARIYE