

A photograph of the White House in Washington, D.C., with an American flag flying on top. In the foreground, there is a green lawn, a hedge, and a fountain on the right. A large orange starburst graphic is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing text. The text '188.-USA' is written in large white letters across the top of the starburst. Below it, smaller white text reads: '188 PEOPLE ARE DETAINED AT GUANTÁNAMO BECAUSE THEY AT SOME TIME WERE SUSPECTED OF CONNECTIONS TO TERRORISM. NONE OF THEM HAS EVER BEEN SENTENCED OR EVEN RECEIVED A FAIR TRIAL. IN SPITE OF PRESIDENT OBAMA'S PROMISES, HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS ARE CONTINUING.'

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**Dear Rear Admiral,**

I am deeply concerned about the continued detention without charge or trial of Saifullah Paracha at Guantánamo. I appeal to you to release him unless he is charged and tried in accordance with international standards of fairness in an ordinary court – not a military commission.

Furthermore, I ask you to make sure he is given appropriate medical care and that independent medical experts be allowed to visit him in Guantánamo to assess his health.

I also call on you to ensure that Saifullah Paracha's family is being kept fully informed of his status, health and well-being, and that he has adequate communication with his family.

Finally I call on the US authorities to close the detention facility at Guantánamo Bay and either release the detainees held there or charge and try them in ordinary civilian courts in full accordance with international standards, without recourse to the death penalty.

Sincerely yours,

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_



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