UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

In re Guantanamo Detainee Cases)	Civil Action Nos.
)	02-CV-0299 (CKK), 02-CV-0828 (CKK),
)	02-CV-1130 (CKK), 04-CV-1135 (ESH),
)	04-CV-1136 (JDB), 04-CV-1137 (RMC),
)	04-CV-1144 (RWR), 04-CV-1164 (RBW)
)	04-CV-1194 (HHK), 04-CV-1227 (RBW)
)	04-CV-1254 (HHK)
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ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENTS LEAVE TO SUBMIT CONSOLIDATED REPLY BRIEF EXCEEDING PAGE LIMIT

Before the Court is Respondents' Unopposed Motion for Leave to Submit Consolidated Reply Brief Exceeding Page Limit. Upon consideration of the Motion, as well as the entire record in this case, and it appearing that good cause exists for granting the Motion, it is hereby

ORDERED that Respondents' Unopposed Motion for Leave to Submit Consolidated Reply Brief Exceeding Page Limit is GRANTED. It is further

ORDERED that respondents shall submit a single combined memorandum in reply to both the petitioners' global opposition and the supplemental opposition filed by petitioners in El-Banna v. Bush, 04-CV-1144 (RWR). The reply memorandum shall not exceed 45 pages.

IT IS SO ORDERED.	
November 15, 2004	/s/
	JOYCE HENS GREEN
	United States District Judge

Respondents' motion requested permission to include arguments in their reply specifically addressing the supplemental opposition filed in <u>Boumediene v. Bush</u>, 04-CV-1166 (RJL). Although the respondents may include a response to the <u>Boumediene</u> supplemental opposition in the reply brief filed before this Judge in the above-captioned cases, the Court notes that <u>Boumediene</u> and another Guantanamo case, originally captioned <u>Benchellali v. Bush</u> and currently styled <u>Khalid v. Bush</u>, 04-1142 (RJL), have been transferred back to Judge Richard J. Leon, who will be ruling on the motions to dismiss in those two cases.