

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

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<b>MOURAD BENCHALLALI, et al.,</b>	)	
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<b>Petitioners,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	<b>Civil Action No. 04-CV-1142 (RJL)</b>
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<b>GEORGE W. BUSH,</b>	)	
<b>President of the United States, et al.,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Respondents.</b>	)	

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<b>LAKHDAR BOUMEDIENE, et al.,</b>	)	
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<b>Petitioners,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	<b>Civil Action No. 04-CV-1166 (RJL)</b>
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<b>GEORGE W. BUSH,</b>	)	
<b>President of the United States, et al.,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Respondents.</b>	)	

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**ASSENTED TO MOTION TO RESCHEDULE STATUS CONFERENCE**

Petitioners for Boumediene, et al. submit this motion to request that the Status Conference presently scheduled for Friday, November 19, 2004 at 2:15 PM be rescheduled to either Thursday, November 18, 2004 or to the afternoon of Monday, November 22, 2004. Petitioners move to change the date of the Status Conference, because principal counsel for Boumediene, et al. must be out of state on November 19, 2004 at a commitment that cannot be changed. Counsel for all parties have indicated that they will be available to participate in a

Status Conference anytime on Thursday, November 18, 2004 or on the afternoon of November 22, 2004. Therefore, Petitioners ask the Court to issue the Proposed Order rescheduling the Status Conference for Thursday, November 18, 2004 or the afternoon of Monday, November 22, 2004.

This motion is assented to by counsel for Respondents and counsel for Petitioners  
Benchallali et al.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Dated: November 16, 2004

**CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE**

Pursuant to Local Rule 7(m), Robert Kirsch conferred by telephone with counsel for Respondents, Terry Henry, and counsel for Petitioners Benchallali et al., Wesley Powell, on November 15, 2004 to discuss the Motion to Reschedule Status Conference ("Motion"). Terry Henry and Wesley Powell indicated that they are available on either Thursday, November 18, 2004 or the afternoon of Monday, November 22, 2004 to participate in a rescheduled Status Conference, and both assented to the Motion.

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