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## PERIODIC REVIEW BOARD FULL HEARING, 21 MAR 2017 SAIFULLAH ABDULLAH PARACHA, ISN 1094 DETAINEE STATEMENT

## Honorable Members of the Periodic review Board,

Thank you for hearing my case. I have given a very careful consideration of the Board's conclusion in my case from the my first board with the determination of 07 April 2016. I wish to address and answer the Board's concerns as I understand them, the Board members want to know, what I will do to avoid being deceived in the future by the terrorists.

First and foremost, after I am released, I will retire from my business, as soon as I can settle my legal and financial affairs. As I stated in my initial Board, I have some assets to discharge my liabilities. Some of my legal cases are on stay, because I am in U.S. custody.

Second, I deeply regret becoming involved with individuals, who turned out to be al-quida, it horrifies me to think that I may have helped to enable indirectly, unwittingly to carry out their terrorist attacks on the U.S, this will haunt me for the rest of my life.

As far as my future in concern, most important task is that my children settle down and start their family life. I look forward to playing with my grandchildren. Pakistan is a developing country, unemployment is very high, and there are no elderly benefits like welfare, social security, Medicare or Medicaid. None of these benefits exists in Pakistan at all. I will try my very best to secure my family financially and retire peacefully.

I was born on August 17, 1947, next year I will be seventy years old with some serious life threatening ailments, such as heart disease, diabetes, arthritis and high blood pressure. I am taking numerous medications for the previously stated ailments. I am living on several life saving medications, I don't know how much time I have in order to resolve my legal and financial affairs. I wish to give my family basic financial security that my family desperately needs. I will accept whatever required conditional stipulations the board suggest. If allowed I will seek employment to allow support only for my family, my education and experience will be helpful in getting a job in management or consulting.

I respectfully request the Board to know I will not have any contact with contacts that pose a threat to the U.S. My family needs me in their lives. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

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