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MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, United States Southern Command, 3511 NW 91st Avenue, Miami, FL 33172.

SUBJECT: (S//NF) Recommendation to Retain under DoD Control for Guantanamo Detainee, Mohammed Sayed, ISN: US9PK-000018DP

1. (S) **Personal Information:** Mohammed Sayed is a Pakistani national born in 1973 (age 30) in Khokar Mehra, Pakistan. He is in good health.
2. (S) **Detention Information:** Subject detainee left his home to join the Jihad in Afghanistan (AF) in October 2001. He had been influenced by religious teachings at his local mosque, Farooq Azam mosque. Detainee traveled from Abbotabad, Pakistan (PK) through Peshawar, PK and Gandau, PK, before arriving in Jalalabad, AF, where he stayed the night at the Darul Musson mosque. Detainee then traveled to Kabul, AF, where he stayed at the Darul Aman mosque before traveling my truck to Konduz, AF. Detainee was in Konduz, AF for approximately two months, during which time he received between one and three days of training on the AK, delivered water, chopped wood and worked in the kitchen. When the U.S. started bombing Konduz, AF, detainee fled towards Mazar-E-Sharif where he captured by the Northern Alliance and handed over to U.S. Forces. Detainee was subsequently transported to Guantanamo Bay Naval Base, Cuba on 14 January 2002 because of his knowledge of Arab fighters in Afghanistan from August 2001–December 2001.
3. (S) **Reasons for Detention:** During analysis it was determined that detainee is possibly a member of Harkat-Ul-Mujahadeen (HUM). Detainee stated that a man named 'Shamsher' was his boss and translator while in Afghanistan, there is a Shamshir who is in charge of the HUM in the Konduz area. Additionally, detainee stayed at the Darul Aman mosque for a few days which was run by HUM. Detainee has not been questioned on his possible connections to HUM. Furthermore, two detainees, ISN: US9PK-000015 and US9EY-000661 identified detainee has having stayed at a guesthouse used by David Hicks, ISN: US9AS-000002, that was located near Mazar-E-Sharif. ISN: US0EY-000661 also identified the detainee has having stayed at the "Abu Hamza" safehouse in Kabul, another location where David Hicks

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