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Hand-Delivered September 18, 2007

The Honorable Gustave J. Di Bianco United States Magistrate Judge Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse P.O. Box 7346 Syracuse, NY 13261-7346

Re: Superseding Information in United States v. Murtari, 5:07-CR-387 (GJD)

Dear Judge DiBianco:

I have enclosed a courtesy copy of a first superseding information in the case of *United States v. Murtari*, Criminal Case No. 5:07-CR-387 (GJD). We government filed the superseding information today. It simply adds two new charges, violations of 41 CFR § 102-74.385 [failure to comply with lawful directives of an authorized official] for the incidents on August 30, 2007 and September 4, 2007. We believe that the Court need not set a special arraignment date for the superseding information. Rather, the defendant can be arraigned on the superseding information on October 3, 2007, the day of trial on these charges and the related contempt of court charges in Criminal Case No. 5:07-CR-406 (GJD).

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States Marshals, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 401(3).

GLENN T. SUDDABY

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By:

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

Plaintiff,

V

JOHN MURTARI,

Defendant.

Crim. No. 5:07-CR-387 (GJD)

41 CFR §102-74.380(b)
[Damage to Federal Property];
41 CFR § 102-74-385 [Failure
to Comply with Lawful
Directive]

FIRST SUPERSEDING INFORMATION

THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE

On or about August 30, 2007, in Onondaga County, in the Northern District of New York, the defendant,

JOHN MURTARI,

entered on to property that was under authority of the General Services

Administration and did willfully destroy or damage such property, to wit: the

defendant did write on the surface of the plaza outside the James M. Hanley Federal building there by defacing and damaging said property,

All in violation of 41 CFR 102-74 .380(b)

COUNT TWO

On or about August 30, 2007, in Onondaga County, in the Northern District of New York, the defendant,

JOHN MURTARI,

while on property that was under authority of the General Services

Administration, failed to comply with the lawful direction of Federal police

officers and other authorized individuals, to wit: after being told by an

authorized official to stop writing on the surface of the plaza outside the

James M. Hanley Federal building, the defendant returned and continued to

write on the plaza surface,

All in violation of 41 CFR 102-74 .385

COUNT THREE

On or about September 4, 2007, in Onondaga County, in the Northern District of New York, the defendant,

JOHN MURTARI,

entered on to property that was under authority of the General Services

Administration and did willfully destroy or damage such property, to wit: the

defendant did write on the surface of the plaza outside the James M. Hanley Federal building there by defacing and damaging said property,

All in violation of 41 CFR 102-74 .380(b)

COUNT FOUR

On or about September 4, 2007, in Onondaga County, in the Northern District of New York, the defendant,

JOHN MURTARI,

while on property that was under authority of the General Services

Administration, failed to comply with the lawful direction of Federal police

officers and other authorized individuals, to wit: after being told by an

authorized official on August 30, 2007 to stop writing on the surface of the

plaza outside the James M. Hanley Federal building, the defendant returned

and continued to write on the plaza surface,

All in violation of 41 CFR 102-74 .385

GLENN T. SUDDABY United States Attorney

Dated: September 18, 2007

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