

FILED: February 2, 2009

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

No. 07-1893
(1:04-cv-01360-LBM)

BASHE ABDI YOUSUF; OFFICER JOHN DOE 1; JANE DOE 1; JOHN DOE 2;
JOHN DOE 3; JOHN DOE 4; AZIZ DERIA,

Plaintiffs - Appellants

v.

MOHAMED ALI SAMANTAR,

Defendant - Appellee

ALLARD K. LOWENSTEIN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS CLINIC, Yale Law School; AMERICAN FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE; BOSTON CENTER FOR REFUGEE HEALTH AND HUMAN RIGHTS; CONSISTENT LIFE; EARTHRIGHTS INTERNATIONAL; DOLLY FILARTIGA; FLORIDA CENTER FOR SURVIVORS OF TORTURE; GLOBAL LAWYERS AND PHYSICIANS; HUMAN RIGHTS FIRST; HUMAN RIGHTS WATCH; MARYKNOLL OFFICE OF GLOBAL CONCERNS; MUSLIM PUBLIC AFFAIRS COUNCIL; SISTER DIANNA ORTIZ; PROGRAM FOR SURVIVORS OF TORTURE AND SEVERE TRAUMA; PROGRAM FOR TORTURE VICTIMS; ROCKY MOUNTAIN SURVIVORS CENTER; SURVIVORS OF TORTURE, INTERNATIONAL; THE SHALOM CENTER; TORTURE ABOLITION AND SURVIVORS SUPPORT COALITION INTERNATIONAL; WORLD ORGANIZATION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS USA; INTERNATIONAL RIGHTS ADVOCATES; INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS CLINIC, Human Rights Program of Harvard Law School; UNITED STATES MEMBER OF CONGRESS AND LAW PROFESSORS,

Amici Supporting Appellant

O R D E R

The Court denies the petition for rehearing and rehearing en banc. No judge requested a poll under Fed. R. App. P. 35 on the petition for rehearing en banc.

Entered at the direction of the panel: Judge Traxler, Judge King and Judge Duncan.

For the Court

/s/ Patricia S. Connor, Clerk