

UNITED STATES ARMY COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

Before
KERN, YOB, and COOK
Appellate Military Judges

**CENTER FOR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS, GLENN GREENWALD,
JEREMY SCAHILL, *THE NATION*, AMY GOODMAN, *DEMOCRACY NOW!*,
CHASE MADAR, KEVIN GOSTOLA, JULIAN ASSANGE, AND WIKILEAKS,
Petitioners**

v.

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and
Colonel DENISE LIND,
Respondents**

ARMY MISC 20120514

ORDER

WHEREAS:

On 24 May 2012, this court received a Petition for Extraordinary Relief in the nature of Writs of Mandamus and Prohibition pertaining to the ongoing General Court-Martial case, *United States v. Manning*, taking place at Fort Meade, Maryland. Petitioners request in their petition, *inter alia*, that this court compel the military judge in the *Manning* case to grant public access to all documents pertaining to the case and to require conferences in the case held under Rule for Courts-Martial 802, Uniform Code of Military Justice, be made part of the record in their entirety.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. The Petitioners' request to appear pro hac vice for the limited purpose of litigating their petition is GRANTED.
2. That counsel for respondent file a brief with this Court in response to the following Petitioners' request:

A WRIT OF MANDAMUS AND PROHIBITION TO COMPEL THE TRIAL COURT TO GRANT PUBLIC ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS FILED IN UNITED STATES V. MANNING, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION (A) ALL PAPERS AND PLEADINGS FILED BY THE PARTIES, INCLUDING PARTICULARLY THE GOVERNMENT'S MOTION PAPERS AND RESPONSES TO DEFENSE MOTIONS, (B) COURT ORDERS, AND (C) TRANSCRIPTS OF ALL PROCEEDINGS, AND THAT ANY FURTHER

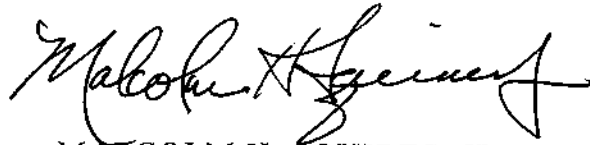
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RESTRICTIONS ON PUBLIC ACCESS TO THE PROCEEDINGS OR DOCUMENTS THEREIN ONLY OCCUR FOLLOWING NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC OF ANY CONTEMPLATED RESTRICTIONS, AN OPPORTUNITY FOR INTERESTED PARTIES TO BE HEARD, AND CASE-BY-CASE SPECIFIC FINDINGS OF NECESSITY AFTER CONSIDERATION OF LESS-RESTRICTIVE ALTERNATIVES.

Respondent will file a brief on the specified issues no later than 8 June 2012. Petitioner will file an answer no later than seven (7) days after the filing of appellant's brief.

DATE: 30 May 2012

FOR THE COURT:



MALCOLM H. SQUIRES, JR.
Clerk of Court

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Panel Assignment

UP Art 66(a), UCMJ, the following change in USACCA panel assignments is directed:

Detailed to Panel 2: COL THOMAS D. COOK

Purpose: Serve as Appellate Military Judge vice COL JAN E. ALDYKIEWICZ, for adjudication of the following case: CENTER FOR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS v LIND, ARMY MISC 20120514.

Panel Composition for adjudication of this case:
KERN, COOK, YOB

Effective date: 30 May 2012

FOR THE CHIEF JUDGE:


MALCOLM H. SQUIRES, JR.
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