

September 30, 2013 - Dismissing Charges Against Mr. Donald Ball

The government has exercised its prosecutorial discretion in dismissing the charges against Mr. Ball based on its assessment of the admissible evidence against him. Today's action means that the government cannot bring these charges again against Mr. Ball arising out of his involvement in the shootings by Blackwater guards that occurred on September 16, 2007, in Nisur Square in Baghdad, Iraq. He is no longer a defendant in the case. Four defendants remain in the case.