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ATTORNEYS THE UNITED STATES AND
GEORGE W. BUSH, RICHARD B. CHENEY,
CONDOLEEZZA RICE, COLIN POWELL,
DONALD RUMSFELD, AND PAUL WOLFOWITZ

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

SUNDUS SHAKER SALEH, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

GEORGE W. BUSH, et al.,


Defendants.

No. 3:13-cv-01124 JST

**CERTIFICATION OF
SCOPE OF EMPLOYMENT**

1 I, Rupa Bhattacharyya, Director, Torts Branch, Civil Division, United States Department
2 of Justice, acting by virtue of the authority vested in me by 28 C.F.R. §15.4, hereby certify that I
3 have read the complaint in this action. On the basis of the information now available with
4 respect to the claims set forth therein and pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 2679(d)(1), I
5 find that former President George W. Bush, former Vice-President Richard B. Cheney, former
6 Secretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld, former National Security Advisor Condoleezza Rice,
7 former Secretary of State Colin Powell, and former Deputy Secretary of Defense Paul Wolfowitz
8 were each acting within the scope of their federal office or employment at the time of the
9 incidents out of which Counts I and II of the Complaint in this matter arose.

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11 Dated: August 14, 2013

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