

CASE NUMBER: 3:09-CR-294-M

TELEPHONE CALL DATE: AUGUST 25, 2009 @ 9:50 PM
FROM: 718-801-1020
(UNDERCOVER 3)
TO: 972-921-8157
(HOSAM SMADI)

LANGUAGE: ARABIC AND ENGLISH

LEGEND:

REGULAR FONT

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ORIGINALLY SPOKEN IN ARABIC

ORIGINALLY SPOKEN IN ENGLISH

UNINTELLIGIBLE

OVERLAPPING VOICES

NOISE/TRANSLATOR'S NOTE

ORIGINAL TEXT WAS READABLE BUT IN
INCORRECT FORM

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[Beginning of recording]

SUB: Good evening.

UCE: Peace be on you.

SUB: Peace be on you too.

UCE: You made me worry about you. What's your news?

SUB: By Allah, perfect, thank Allah--

UCE: Thank Allah--

SUB: --how are you doing?

UCE: --I tried to call you more than one time. Is everything going well and good, thank Allah?

SUB: By Allah, everything, er, was fine but my phone was... the battery was out of charge and I went out to buy some food. By Allah, I have not even broken my fast yet. Now, I want to have breakfast in a bit.

UCE: No. No, break your fast-- break your fast. I am here on the road. I am close, Allah willing! May Allah keep you! But is everything alright, thank Allah?! I was only worried about you.

SUB: No, everything is good, fine--

UCE: Alright, thank Allah.

SUB: --but I was a little, by Allah--

UCE: Break your fast--break your fast--

SUB: --tired during the day.

UCE: --thank Allah. I tell you, you...what are you, er, going to be doing tomorrow? What is your plan for tomorrow, Allah willing? I, er, want to see you.

SUB: I am, er, Allah willing, working tomorrow from nine until five.

UCE: Can you not do something at all about this thing? Must you work?

SUB: Er, by Allah, it's possible--it's possible, by Allah.

UCE: But I don't want to, er... I tell you something--

SUB: *Yeah.*

UCE: --if you could leave, er, er, a little early--

SUB: *Okay.*

UCE: --if you will, call me by telephone and I'll see. Because I have to... I will sit with you a little because you know, er... Allah willing, Allah willing, I mean, we have plenty of things to do. So, er, you are working until five. I mean, if you pass by me, it will be at, er, six o'clock, Allah willing, or something like that. If you could not leave early.

SUB: Allah willing. If I can't leave early, I will inform you, I mean in the morning, Allah willing.

[Coughing]

UCE: Alright then, fine. Call me on the phone, if you will.

SUB: Yes. Allah willing!

UCE: Alright then, fine. Have a good evening, and break your fast, and Allah willing, we will see you tomorrow, Allah willing!

SUB: Allah willing.

UCE: If we get to sit together tomorrow then we will break-fast together Allah willing! Allah willing!

SUB: Alright then, Allah willing!

UCE: Alright then, peace be on you-- peace be on you-- peace be on you.

SUB: Alright then, good-bye.

[End of Recording]