

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	INDICTMENT	CR 14-315 DWF/JSM
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Plaintiff,)	(18 U.S.C. § 1001)	
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v.)		
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MAHDI HUSSEIN FURREH,)		
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Defendant.)		

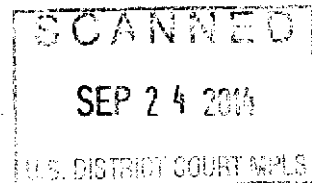
THE UNITED STATES GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT 1
(False Statement)

On or about January 10, 2014, in the State and District of Minnesota, in a matter within the jurisdiction of the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"), an agency of the United States, and in an offense involving international terrorism, the defendant,

MAHDI HUSSEIN FURREH,

did knowingly and willfully make a false, fraudulent, and fictitious material statement and representation to agents of the FBI, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1001(a)(2), that is, when asked about a contact named "Adaway" in the defendant's cellular telephone address book, the defendant stated (1) that he did not know anyone named "Adaway" or have any contact with an individual named "Adaway" in March and April 2013, and (2) that "Mardaadi", an individual to whom the defendant referred in a text



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message sent from the defendant's cellular telephone in March 2013 was an individual he met in a coffee shop in Nairobi, Kenya, in March 2013, when in fact the defendant then well knew that both "Adaway" and "Mardaadi" referred to Cabdulaahi Ahmed Faarax, a/k/a Adaki, a/k/a Mardaadi, an indicted fugitive from Minnesota, and that the defendant repeatedly contacted and attempted to contact Cabdulaahi Ahmed Faarax by telephone both before arriving in Nairobi, Kenya, and upon arriving in Nairobi, Kenya, in March 2013, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

A TRUE BILL

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

FOREPERSON