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**U.S. District Court  
Western District of Pennsylvania (Pittsburgh)  
CRIMINAL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:01-cr-00269-DWA-1**

Case title: USA v. EL ZAATARI  
Magistrate judge case number: 2:01-mj-00370

Date Filed: 11/01/2001  
Date Terminated: 12/12/2001

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Assigned to: Chief Judge Donetta  
W. Ambrose

**Defendant (1)**

**SALAM IBRAHIM EL  
ZAATARI**  
*TERMINATED: 12/13/2001*

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**Pending Counts**

49:46505(b)(1) ATTEMPTING TO  
BOARD AN AIRCRAFT WITH A  
CONCEALED DANGEROUS  
WEAPON  
(1)

**Disposition**

Time served

**Highest Offense Level (Opening)**

Felony

**Terminated Counts**

None

**Disposition**

**Highest Offense Level  
(Terminated)**

None

**Complaints**

None

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**Disposition**

**Plaintiff**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
10/30/2001	1	COMPLAINT [ 2:01-m -370 ] (dgg) (Entered: 10/31/2001)
10/30/2001		ARREST WARRANT issued as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI [ 2:01-m -370 ] (dgg) (Entered: 10/31/2001)
11/01/2001	2	INDICTMENT as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1) count(s) 1 (tt) (Entered: 11/01/2001)
11/01/2001	3	Indictment Memorandum as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (tt) (Entered: 11/01/2001)
11/01/2001	4	Initial appearance as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI held on 11/1/01 before Mag. Judge Ila J. Sensenich ; Arraignment set for 9:30 11/5/01 for SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI ; Detention Hearing set for 9:30 11/5/01 for SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (Defendant informed of rights.) (tt) (Entered: 11/01/2001)
11/01/2001	5	NOTICE of Appearance for SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI by Attorney Anthony M. Mariani (tt) (Entered: 11/01/2001)
11/01/2001	6	Request for Detention as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (tt) (Entered: 11/01/2001)
11/05/2001	7	TRANSCRIPT of Detention Hearing as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI for date of November 5, 2001 [ Reporter: Patricia Sherman ] (tt) (Entered: 11/05/2001)
11/05/2001	8	MOTION by SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI for Revocation of Order of Detention (Appeal from Order of Magistrate Judge) , with Proposed Order. (tt) (Entered: 11/05/2001)
11/06/2001		Arraignment as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI held on 11/5/01 before Mag. Judge Ila J. Sensenich [ Reporter: none ] Defendant pleads not guilty. ( with Document # 2 ) (aen) (Entered: 11/06/2001)
11/06/2001	9	Detention hearing as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI held on 11/5/01 before Mag. Judge Ila J. Sensenich [ Reporter: Patricia Sherman ] (aen) (Entered: 11/06/2001)
11/06/2001	10	ORDER OF DETENTION pending Trial as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (signed by Mag. Judge Ila J. Sensenich on 11/5/01) CM all parties of record. (aen) (Entered: 11/06/2001)
11/07/2001	11	RESPONSE by USA as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI to deft's Motion for Bond Pending Trial. (tt) (Entered: 11/07/2001)
11/08/2001	12	Detention hearing as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI set for 1:30 11/9/01 before Judge Donetta W. Ambrose (tt) (Entered: 11/08/2001)
11/13/2001	13	MOTION by SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1st) to Dismiss , (2nd) to Dismiss , (1st) to Suppress Statements of Salam Ibrahim el Zaatari , (2nd) to Suppress Evidence (Language) , for Additional Discovery , to Compel Govt to Provide Deft with written statement of uncharges misconduct evidence and/or Federal Rule of Evidence 404(b) evidence and for pretrial production of such evidence , for Disclosure of Brady Material , to Require Retention of Rough Notes and to Preserve Other Evidence , for Disclosure of Govt's Position with Respect to Sentencing Factors , for Early Disclosure of Jencks Material , for Leave to File Supplemental Motions , with Proposed Orders. (tt) (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/13/2001	14	BRIEF by SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI in support of [13-1] motion (1st) to Dismiss, [13-2] motion (2nd) to Dismiss, [13-3] motion (1st) to Suppress Statements of Salam Ibrahim el Zaatari, [13-4] motion (2nd) to Suppress Evidence (Language), [13-5] motion for Additional Discovery, [13-6] motion to compel govt to provide deft with written statement of uncharged misconduct evidence and/or Federal Rule of Evidence 404(b) evidence and for pretrial production of such evidence, [13-7] motion for disclosure of brady material, [13-8] motion to

		require retention of rough notes and to preserve other evidence, [13-9] motion for disclosure of govt's position with respect to sentencing factors, [13-10] motion for Early Disclosure of Jencks Material and [13-11] motion for leave to file supplemental motions. (tt) (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/13/2001	15	MOTION by SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI for Reconsideration of [10-1] detention order and for Expedited Trial , with Proposed Order. (tt) (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/13/2001	16	Detention hearing as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI held on 11/9/01 before Judge Donetta W. Ambrose [ Reporter: Shirley Hall ] ; Motion to be released from detention - denied. (Exhibit List attached) (tt) Modified on 11/14/2001 (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/13/2001	17	Status conference as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI set at 9:00 11/19/01 before Judge Donetta W. Ambrose (tt) (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/20/2001	18	Status conference as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI held on 11/19/01 before Judge Donetta W. Ambrose [ Reporter: none ] (tt) (Entered: 11/20/2001)
11/20/2001		Deadline updated as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI: Govt's Response to Pretrial Motion set to 11/28/01 ; Motion Hearing set for 10:00 12/12/01 as to: SALAM EL ZAATARI, re: (13-1), (13-2), (13-3), (13-4), (13-5), (13-6), (13-7), (13-8), (13-9), (13-10), (13-11), (15-1) and (15-2) motions (tt) (Entered: 11/20/2001)
11/27/2001	19	MOTION by SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI to Extend Time within which to file pretrial motions with Proposed Order. (aen) (Entered: 11/27/2001)
11/28/2001	20	ORDER as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI; set Pretrial Hearing for 10:00 12/12/01 for SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI . (signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 11/28/01) CM all parties of record. (tt) (Entered: 11/28/2001)
11/28/2001		ORDER upon motion granting Govt's [19-1] motion to Extend Time within which to file responses to deft's pretrial motions. Govt's Response to Motions reset to 12/3/01 for deft's pretrial motions . (signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 11/28/01) CM all parties of record. (tt) (Entered: 11/28/2001)
12/03/2001	21	COMBINED RESPONSE by USA as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI re [13-1] motion (1st) to Dismiss, [13-2] motion (2nd) to Dismiss, [13-3] motion (1st) to Suppress Statements of Salam Ibrahim el Zaatari, [13-4] motion (2nd) to Suppress Evidence (Language), [13-5] motion for Additional Discovery, [13-6] motion for notice pursuant to Rule 404(b), F.R.Evid., [13-7] motion for disclosure of brady material, [13-8] motion to reserve rough notes, [13-9] motion for disclosure of the govt's position with respect to sentencing factors and [13-10] motion for early disclosure of Jencks Act Statements (tt) (Entered: 12/03/2001)
12/06/2001	22	MOTION by David Weekly and Huntleigh USA Corp. as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI to Quash Subpoena . (tt) (Entered: 12/07/2001)
12/11/2001	23	MOTION by USA as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI SEALED MOTION . (tt) (Entered: 12/11/2001)
12/11/2001	24	MOTION by Custodian of Records for Allegheny County Police as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI to Quash Subpoena directed to Custodian of Records Allegheny County Police, Airport Detail, Pittsburgh International Airport , with Proposed Order. (tt) (Entered: 12/11/2001)
12/13/2001	25	Change of Plea Hearing as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI held on 12/12/01 before Judge Donetta W. Ambrose [ Reporter: Patricia Sherman ] (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/13/2001		Plea Agreement as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (with doc. #25) (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/13/2001		CHANGE OF PLEA from Not Guilty to Guilty: SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1) count(s) 1 Terminated motions [23-1] motion SEALED MOTION as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1) on 12/12/01 before Judge Donetta W. Ambrose (with doc. #2) (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)

12/13/2001		ORDER upon motion that deft's [13-1] thru [13-11] pretrial motions are denied as moot. (signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 12/12/01) CM all parties of record. (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/13/2001		ORDER upon motion that deft's [15-1] motion for Reconsideration of [10-1] detention order and [15-2] motion for Expedited Trial are denied as moot. (signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 12/12/01) CM all parties of record. (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/13/2001		ORDER upon motion that the [22-1] motion to Quash Subpoena as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1) is denied as moot. (signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 12/12/01) CM all parties of record. (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/13/2001		ORDER upon motion that the [24-1] motion to Quash Subpoena directed to Custodian of Records Allegheny County Police, Airport Detail, Pittsburgh International Airport as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1) is dismissed as moot, deft having entered a plea of guilty. (signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 12/12/01) CM all parties of record. (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/13/2001		Sentencing Hearing held on 12/12/01 before Judge Donetta W. Ambrose [ Reporter: Patricia Sherman ] re: SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1) count(s) 1 (with doc. #25) (tt) (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/13/2001	26	JUDGMENT as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (1) count(s) 1. Deft sentenced to Time served and is remanded to the custody of the INS. No Fine. \$100.00 Special Assessment. (signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 12/12/01) (tt) Modified on 12/13/2001 (Entered: 12/13/2001)
12/19/2001	27	Satisfaction of Judgment as to Assessment by SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI (tt) (Entered: 12/19/2001)
10/23/2002	28	TRANSCRIPT of Plea as to SALAM IBRAHIM EL ZAATARI for date of Dec. 13, 2001 ; Reporter: Patricia Sherman (tt) (Entered: 10/23/2002)
08/30/2006	<u>29</u>	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the pleading impounded in the Office of the Clerk of Court be returned to the closed filing system of the Clerk's Office. The pleading is to remain sealed with a copy of this Order attached to the envelope and to the file folder. Anyone desiring to view the impounded pleading shall file a request with the Clerk with notification to all parties. Document: 23. Signed by Judge Donetta W. Ambrose on 8/14/06. (jlh ) (Entered: 08/30/2006)