## STATEMENT OF MUSTAFA MOHAMMED ABDUL JALIL, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL TRANSITIONAL COUNCIL

- I, Mustafa Mohammed Abdul Jalil, Chairman of the National Transitional Council and formerly
  Minister of Justice during the Gaddafi Regime swear to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but
  the truth herein.
- I make this statement on behalf of the families of Pan Am 103/Lockerbie victims regarding the
  planting of an explosive device upon a U.S. flagged aircraft that resulted in the explosion and crash of
  Pan Am 103 on December 21<sup>st</sup>, 1988 over Lockerbie, Scotland.
- 3. I am the former Justice Minister that made statements to the media regarding Muammer Gaddafi ("Gaddafi") ordering the bombing of Pan Am 103/Lockerbie. I can confirm that the following article recorded accurately what I said: February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2011 Mail Online by Gerri Peev,: "Gaddafi personally gave the order for Lockerbie bombing and I have proof, claims dictator's former justice minister". I repeat herein that "I have information that is one hundred percent sure, that Gaddafi is behind the tragedy at Lockerbie" as is accurately reported in: Swedish interview dated February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2011, Minister: Jag såg djävulen I Khadaffi, Expressen (Minister: I saw the devil in Gaddafi) by Kassem Hamadé.
- 4. I have personally seen official documents of the Gaddafi regime that directly implicate Gaddafi in the ordering, sanctioning and implementation of the Lockerbie terrorist incident and its subsequent cover up. In due course, I will provide all such evidence to the proper investigating authorities and representatives charged with carrying out investigations in order that the victim may discover the truth about how Gaddafi directly murdered their loved ones.
- It was common knowledge within the closed circles of the regime that Gaddafi ordered the act of terrorism that occurred at Lockerbie.
- 6. I can confirm that through his conduct Gaddafi demonstrated his personal culpability to me.
- 7. I am aware that on 1/31/2001, Abdelbaset Mohmed Ali al-Megrahi was convicted by the Scottish Court that examined the evidence of 270 counts of murder for the bombing of PanAm 103. I am aware from my former position that Megrahi was involved in this act of terrorism. It was common knowledge within the Gaddafi regime.
- 8. I am also aware that Gaddafi paid money to Megrahi for carrying out his orders to commit the act of terrorism and to cover up that act. Subsequent to his arrest, and later to his release, Gaddafi provided payments to Megrahi to ensure that he did not publicly implicate Gaddafi personally in the act of terrorism.
- 9. I provide this short statement as our people are engaged in a battle for survival against the Gaddafi regime. I do so in compassion for the victims suffering and in a desire to demonstrate how the new Libya is different to the old regime and sincerely desires democracy, social justice and wealth share for all our people. To that extent it is the new Libyan National Transitional Government's and my sincere desire to provide a more detailed statement of evidence in dues course. The NTC has agreed to further liaise with the victims' representative to facilitate this within a reasonable timeframe that acknowledges the difficult situation currently on the ground in Libya.
- 10. The free people of Libya feel great compassion and sorrow towards those victims that have suffered at the hands of the Gaddafi Regime and wish to offer a hand of friendship to ease their pain.
- 11. The contents of this statement are accurate and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated 2011 . 4 . 5

Signed By Mustafa Mohammed Abdul Jalil,