United States Court of Appeals

FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

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Robert Simon, et al.,

Appellants

v.

Republic of Iraq, et al.,

Appellees

Consolidated with 06-7178

BEFORE: Sentelle, Chief Judge, and Ginsburg and Brown, Circuit Judges

JUDGMENT

It is **ORDERED**, on the court's own motion, that in light of the Supreme Court's opinion in <u>Republic of Iraq v. Simon</u>, ___ U.S. ___, 129 S.Ct. 2183 (2009), this court's judgment filed June 24, 2008, be vacated. It is

FURTHER ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the judgment of the District Court, dismissing these complaints as untimely, be affirmed because "the District Court lost jurisdiction over [the] suits when the President exercised his authority to make § 1605(a)(7) inapplicable with respect to Iraq." <u>See Iraq v. Simon</u>, 129 S.Ct. at 2194.

The Clerk is directed to issue the mandate forthwith.

Per Curiam

FOR THE COURT: Mark J. Langer, Clerk

BY: /s/

Michael C. McGrail Deputy Clerk