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## CIVILIAN CONTRACTOR ARRESTED FOR SOLICITING BRIBES WHILE WORKING AT CAMP ARIFJAN IN KUWAIT

WASHINGTON, D.C.— Alice S. Fisher, Assistant Attorney General for the Criminal Division, in conjunction with Thomas O. Barnett, Assistant Attorney General for the Antitrust Division of the U.S. Department of Justice, announced today that Terry Hall was arrested yesterday in Atlanta, Georgia for bribery.

Terry Hall, 41, a resident of Rex, Georgia, was charged by complaint with Bribery, a violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 201. According to the complaint, on two occasions in 2006, Hall paid an Army Major assigned to Camp Arifjan, an Army base in Kuwait. The complaint also indicates that Hall set up a bank account in the Philippines for the Army Major, and that Hall took these steps in return for the Army Major making "calls" on Blanket Purchase Agreements so that Hall would receive work from the Army. In total, Hall's companies received over \$20 million in contract awards from the Army in Kuwait.

Hall faces up fifteen years in prison, a fine of \$250,000, and supervised release for the charge of bribery.

Hall made his initial appearance today in Atlanta, Georgia.

This case is being prosecuted by trial attorneys from the Public Integrity Section, headed by Section Chief William Welch, of the Justice Department's Criminal Division, together with attorneys from the Antitrust Division, National Criminal Enforcement Section, headed by Section Chief Lisa Phelan. These cases are being investigated by Army Criminal Investigation Division and Defense Criminal Investigation Service, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Justice Department's Office of the Inspector General, the Special Inspector General for Iraqi Reconstruction and the IRS..

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