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Bahraini Guantanamo Detainee Moved From Isolation

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MANAMA — Bahraini detainee, Juma Al Dossari, has been moved from isolation to Camp One in Guantanamo Bay prison, but his lawyers are sceptical about the next move of the US government in their client's case.

According to a letter sent by Joshua Colangelo-Bryan, whose New York-based firm Dorsey and Whitney is representing Bahraini detainees for the past two and half years on behalf of the now-defunct Bahrain Centre for Human Rights (BCHR), he received a letter dated December 15 and signed by Edward H. White from the US Department of Justice, highlighting the new favourable development.

The letter also said Al Dossari had tried to open the cut on his arm and also had cut his bicep on December 12. According to Colangelo-Bryan, his team had a hearing earlier for their request regarding the court order that Al Dossari be moved from isolation. The US government argued that the military had provided adequate care to Al Dossari even though he had tried to kill himself many times.

They also said that Al Dossari had no rights at all, the lawyer said referring to the court argument.