

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

CLIFFORD ACREE, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK,
33 Liberty Street
New York, NY 10045

and

JOHN W. SNOW,
Secretary of the Treasury,
1500 Pennsylvania Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20501

Defendants.

Civ. Action No.: 03-1549 (RWR)

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TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

Pursuant to Rule 65 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and upon consideration of Plaintiffs' Motion for a Preliminary Injunction and Temporary Restraining Order it is, hereby, ORDERED that Defendant, John W. Snow, Secretary of the Treasury, cease and desist from transferring out of the account held by the Department of Treasury at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York entitled "U.S. Treasury Special Purpose Account" any amount of Iraqi assets that have been confiscated or vested by the United States pursuant to the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. § 1701 *et seq.*, that would result in the balance of said account being less than the amount of \$653,070,000.00

This order shall remain in effect until ten (10) days, computed according to Rule 6 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, or until earlier ordered by this Court.

SO ORDERED



Richard W. Roberts
United States District Court Judge

DATED: 7/18/03
effective 6:14 p.m.