Obama will not get Guantanamo closed by deadline

News Alert
05:33 AM EST Wednesday, November 18, 2009

Obama admits Guantanamo won't close by Jan. deadline

President Obama directly acknowledged for the first time on Wednesday that the prison facility at Guantanamo Bay will not close by the January deadline he set, but he said he hoped to still achieve that goal sometime next year. Obama refused, however, to set a new deadline.

For more information, visit washingtonpost.com - http://link.email.washingtonpost.com/r/PSLW3N/UJT88/BWGP1Q/SGFTD4/Z01NN/B7/t

"Guantanamo close" 286, but half were from earlier than November 18

"Obama Guantanamo" 1091 half pre-November 18

"Obama Guantanamo close" 168 virtually all about November 18 announcement

Obama Guantanamo (close OR deadline) 254 but almost all from November 18

Obama Guantanamo (close OR deadline OR delay) 363 and almost all from November 18 at 9:30 a.m.

The search stopped at 11:59 p.m. December 5, 2009. A total of 1098 messages had been found.

This is a remarkable single peaked distribution -- one day and it was over.

The .txt file that can be read by Excel is available as obama Guantanamo close or deadline.txt

December 15, 2009 and the transfer from Guantanamo is back in the news.

News Alert
11:44 PM EST Monday, December 14, 2009
Ill. prison to get some Guantanamo Bay detainees

The White House plans to announce that a rural Illinois prison will be acquired by the federal government to become the new home for a limited number of detainees, the Associated Press reports.

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Here is The Washington Post story about the transfer. I will see if a spike in messaging occurs.

More breaking news about closing Guantanamo.

News Alert
05:16 AM EST Friday, December 18, 2009

Breaking News: Six Yemeni detainees at Guantanamo Bay to be repatriated

The Obama administration is planning to repatriate six Yemenis held at the U.S. military prison at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, a transfer that could be a prelude to the release of dozens more detainees to Yemen, according to sources with independent knowledge of the matter.

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