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The very last item in the Vaughn Index the CIA submitted to Judge Hellerstein in an attempt to keep all this information secret is a photograph of Abu Zubaydah dated October 11, 2002.

A photograph.

We can't have that either, the CIA says, because it'll expose sources and methods. More specifically, they say we can't have it because of:

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A picture, apparently taken two months after the waterboarding, and they won't release it because, they say, it'll reveal sources and methods.

What was apparent in a photo of Abu Zubaydah from October 2002 that it would reveal sources and methods?