# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	*
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vs.	*
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ESTHER SCHWEMMER,	*
Defendant	*
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Case No. 1:21-cr-00364-DLF-1

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### SECOND CONSENT MOTION TO CONTINUE HEARING

Esther Schwemmer, by her undersigned counsel, hereby respectfully moves to continue the hearing to September 28, 2021 to provide additional time for her to consider the plea agreement offered by the United States and resolve some concerns. Both counsel are available on that date. Despite due diligence a short continuance is necessary to resolve some issues that remain. The additional time is likely to result in a non-trial resolution of the case, which will preserve judicial resources and further the interests of Ms. Schwemmer and the public. Accordingly, the "ends of justice outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial" in order to allow the defendant additional time to consider the plea agreement. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), (B)(iv).

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Carmen D\_Hernandez</u>

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the instant notice was served on all counsel of record this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021 on all counsel of record via ECF.

<u>|s| Carmen D. Hernandez</u> Carmen D. Hernandez

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## ORDER

Upon consideration of the Second Consent Motion to Continue Hearing filed by Esther Schwemmer, good cause having been shown and for the reasons stated in the Motion, it is this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021, by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia,

## **ORDERED:**

1) that the hearing is hereby **CONTINUED** to September 28, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.; and

2) that the time from September 20, 2021 to September 28, 2021 is hereby **EXCLUDED** to allow defendant additional time to consider the plea agreement and resolve pending issues and for such reasons, the "ends of justice outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial." 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(A), (B)(iv).

HONORABLE DABNEY L. FRIEDRICH United States District Judge