

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

UNITED STATES :
 : **21-CR-48 (ABJ)**
 v. :
 :
DENNIS SIDORSKI :

DEFENDANT’S UNOPPOSED MOTION TO CONTINUE STATUS HEARING
& WAIVE SPEEDY TRIAL TIME

By and through undersigned counsel, Dennis Sidorski hereby waives his rights under the Speedy Trial Act between December 20, 2021, and the next date selected for a status hearing and, with the consent of the Government, hereby seeks a 30 day continuance of his currently scheduled status hearing. In support of this motion, counsel states the following:

1. Mr. Sidorski is before the Court charged in connection with the events of January 6, 2021, with knowingly entering or remaining in a restricted building; disorderly conduct in a restricted building, and violent entry and disorderly conduct on Capitol Grounds.
2. A status hearing is currently set in the matter for December 20, 2021.
3. However, the parties have conferred and need additional time to prepare, review, and execute the paperwork supporting a disposition upon which the parties have agreed in order to resolve the matter short of trial.
4. Even if it were to be possible in the week or so remaining prior to the scheduled status hearing, to prepare, review, and execute that paperwork, counsel is scheduled for an outpatient medical procedure on December 17, 2021, and is unsure how much recovery time will be needed following that procedure.

5. Assigned AUSA Jeffrey MacCarther represents that the government supports the instant motion.
6. In addition, Mr. Sidorski requests that the Speedy Trial Act be tolled between December 20, 2021, and the next scheduled status hearing date.
7. Further, both counsel are available on any of the following dates convenient to the Court, or, alternatively, are happy to coordinate a different date convenient to the Court:

1/19/22 – anytime
1/21/22 – 11am -5pm
1/24-26/22 – anytime

WHEREFORE, the defense respectfully requests that the currently scheduled status hearing be continued to any of the following dates: or, alternatively, to a different date convenient to all.

Respectfully submitted,

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