

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

PETER HARDING,

Defendant.

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Case No. 21-MJ-00033

ORDER

Based upon the representations in the Consent Motion to Continue and to Exclude Time Under the Speedy Trial Act, and upon consideration of the entire record, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Motion is **GRANTED**; it is further

ORDERED that the currently scheduled status hearing on Tuesday, October 11, be continued for good cause to Tuesday, December 13, at 1 p.m.; and it is further

ORDERED that the time between Tuesday, October 11, 2022, and Tuesday, December 13, 2022, shall be excluded from calculation under the Speedy Trial Act, *see* 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

The Court finds that the ends of justice served by the granting of such a continuance outweighs the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial, as a continuance will provide the parties additional time to continue negotiating a potential pretrial resolution.

THE HONORABLE ZIA FARUQUI
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE