

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA )  
 )  
 v. ) CRIMINAL NO. 21-CR-223 (APM)  
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 MATTHEW MARK WOOD )

**Unopposed Motion for Continuance**

The defendant, Matthew Mark Wood, by his attorney, Kira Anne West, respectfully requests a continuance of the sentencing currently scheduled before Your Honor on September 23rd, at 2:00 p.m., and states the following in support:

1. As this Court knows, Mr. Wood pled guilty to the indictment in this case and one of those counts was a 1512 count, a felony.
2. As this Court also knows, the 1512 issue is currently before the D.C. Circuit. Undersigned counsel believes the D.C. Circuit’s decision will be important to the sentencing of Mr. Wood.
3. Undersigned counsel has spoken with Assistant United States Attorney Sean Murphy and the probation officer, Kelli Willit, and neither opposes this motion for continuance.
4. Undersigned counsel also has a plea in federal court in an under seal case at 2:30 on September 23<sup>rd</sup>. This plea is before Judge Moss.
5. This motion is not made for delay but so Mr. Wood’s counsel can make the best argument possible at sentencing.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
KIRA ANNE WEST



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                  v.                                    )     CRIMINAL NO. 21-CR-233(APM)  
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MATTHEW MARK WOOD                         )

**ORDER**

Pending before the Court is the unopposed motion of defendant, Matthew Mark Wood, seeking continuance of his sentencing. Finding the motion meritorious and unopposed, it is hereby ORDERED that this matter is continued until \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

SO ORDERED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

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Amit P. Mehta  
United States District Judge