

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

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</b>	:	
	:	
<b>v.</b>	:	<b>Case No. 21-cr-367</b>
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<b>JALISE MIDDLETON, and</b>	:	
<b>MARK MIDDLETON,</b>	:	
	:	
<b>Defendants.</b>	:	

**AGREED JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE**

**TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:**

COME NOW Phillip Linder and James Lee Bright, Counsel for Jalise Middleton and Mark Middleton and enter this joint request for a Continuance. Undersigned counsel show the following:

**I.**

This case is currently set for March 24, 2022 for a change of plea hearing.

**II.**

Counsel for Defendants request a continuance of the change of plea hearing to April 11, 2022 at 11:00a.m. EST. Additionally, Defendants understand and waive their speedy trial right until April 11, 2022.

**III.**

This request for continuance is not for purposes of delay, but so that justice maybe done.

**IV.**

Counsel for the Defendants have conferred with the Assistant United States Attorney, who does not oppose the continuance.

**WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED,** Counsel for Defendants respectfully request that this Court grant this joint motion and continue this case to the date requested.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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**CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE**

I, Phillip Linder, hereby certify that on March 22, 2022, I conferred with AUSA Brian Kelly and James Lee Bright, Counsel on the above-referenced Motion for Continuance and they indicated they had no objection to the granting of this Joint Motion for Continuance.

s// PHILLIP LINDER  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that a true and correct copy of this document has been forwarded to all counsel via *ECF*, on this 22<sup>th</sup> day of March 2022.

S// PHILLIP LINDER  
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