

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

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UNITED STATES)	
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v.)	Crim. No. 1:21-cr-244-CKK-2
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ANTHONY ALFRED GRIFFITH, SR.)	
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Defendants.)	
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**MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINE FOR FILING
PROPOSED PRETRIAL SCHEDULING ORDER**

Defendant Anthony Alfred Griffith Sr., by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully moves this Court to extend the deadline for filing the Proposed Pretrial Scheduling Order from May 20, 2022, to May 25, 2022. In support of this motion, counsel states:

1. Mr. Griffith is before the Court charged by indictment with the following: 1) Entering and Remaining in a Restricted Building or Grounds, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1752(a)(1); 2) Disorderly and Disruptive Conduct in a Restricted Building or Grounds, in violation of 18 U.S.C. 1752(a)(2); 3) Disorderly Conduct in a Capitol Building, in violation of 40 U.S.C. § 5104(e)(2)(D); and 4) Parading, Demonstrating, or Picketing in a Capitol Building, in violation of 40 U.S.C. § 5104(e)(2)(G).

2. On April 21, 2022, this Court held a status hearing in which counsel represented that Mr. Griffith wishes to proceed to trial. *See* Minute Order dated 4/21/22.

3. In that Minute Order, the Court ordered the parties to submit a pretrial scheduling order on or before May 6, 2022. *Id.* That deadline was subsequently extended to May 20, 2022.

4. Counsel is still consulting with Mr. Griffith and the government regarding a potential pretrial resolution. Counsel had anticipated either completing an agreement in principle to resolve this matter or submitting the Proposed Pretrial Scheduling Order by May 20, 2022.

5. Unfortunately, counsel had a family emergency on May 20 that prevented the filing of this Motion.

WHEREFORE, counsel respectfully requests this Court extend the current deadline to submit a pretrial scheduling order of May 20, 2022, to May 25, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

____s/_____
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 21st day of May 2022, a true copy of the foregoing Defendant's Unopposed Motion was served via the CM/ECF system upon all parties in this matter.

____s/_____
David Benowitz