

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CRIMINAL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:21-cr-00302-CRC-1**

Case title: USA v. WILKERSON

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Assigned to: Judge Christopher R. Cooper

**Defendant (1)**

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**Pending Counts**

- 18:1752(a)(1); TEMPORARY RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT; Entering and Remaining in a Restricted Building  
(1)
- 18:1752(a)(2); TEMPORARY RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT; Disorderly and Disruptive Conduct in a Restricted Building  
(2)
- 40:5104(e)(2)(D); VIOLENT ENTRY AND DISORDERLY CONDUCT ON CAPITOL GROUNDS; Violent Entry and Disorderly Conduct in a Capitol Building  
(3)
- 40:5104(e)(2)(G); VIOLENT ENTRY AND DISORDERLY CONDUCT ON CAPITOL GROUNDS; Parading, Demonstrating, or Picketing in a Capitol Building  
(4)

**Disposition**

**Highest Offense Level (Opening)**

Misdemeanor

**Terminated Counts**

None

**Disposition**

**Highest Offense Level (Terminated)**

None

**Complaints**

COMPLAINT in VIOLATION of 18 U.S.C. §§ 1752(a)(1) and (2); 40 U.S.C. §§ 5104(e)(2)(D) and (G)

**Disposition**

**Plaintiff**

USA

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
03/12/2021	<a href="#">1</a>	SEALED COMPLAINT as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1). (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Statement of Facts) (zltp) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 03/15/2021)
03/12/2021	<a href="#">3</a>	MOTION to Seal Case by USA as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Text of Proposed Order)(zltp) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 03/15/2021)
03/12/2021	<a href="#">4</a>	ORDER granting <a href="#">3</a> Motion to Seal Case as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV (1). Signed by Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey on 3/12/2021. (zltp) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 03/15/2021)

04/06/2021		Case unsealed as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (bb) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/06/2021		Arrest of JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1) in District of Maryland. (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/07/2021	<a href="#">5</a>	Arrest Warrant Returned Executed on 4/6/2021 in Edgewood, Maryland as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV. (bb) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/07/2021		MINUTE ORDER as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1). As required by Rule 5(f), the United States is ordered to produce all exculpatory evidence to the defendant pursuant to Brady v. Maryland and its progeny. Not doing so in a timely manner may result in sanctions, including exclusion of evidence, adverse jury instructions, dismissal of charges and contempt proceedings. Signed by Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey on 4/7/2021. (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/07/2021		ORAL MOTION to Appoint Counsel by JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV. (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/07/2021		ORAL MOTION for Release from Custody by JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1). (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/07/2021		ORAL MOTION for Speedy Trial Waiver by USA as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1). (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/07/2021		Minute Entry for proceedings held before Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey: VTC Initial Appearance/Detention Hearing as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1) held on 4/7/2021. Oral Motion to Appoint Counsel by JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV (1) Heard and Granted. Oral Motion for Release from Custody by JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV (1) Heard and Granted. Government does not seek the Defendant's pretrial detention. Oral Motion by the Government for Speedy Trial Waiver as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV (1) Heard and Granted. Time between 4/7/2021 and 4/28/2021 (21 Days) shall be excluded from calculation under the Speedy Trial Act in the interest of justice X-T. Preliminary Hearing set for 4/28/2021 at 11:30 AM in Telephonic/VTC before Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey. Bond Status of Defendant: Defendant Released on Personal Recognizance/Release Order Issued; Court Reporter: FTR-Gold FTR Time Frame: CTRM 6 [2:30:43-2:57:52]; Defense Attorney: Ubong Akpan; US Attorney: Jacob Steiner for Robert Juman; Pretrial Officer: John Copes; (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/07/2021)
04/07/2021		MINUTE ORDER as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1). As required by Rule 5(f), the United States is ordered to produce all exculpatory evidence to the defendant pursuant to Brady v. Maryland and its progeny. Not doing so in a timely manner may result in sanctions, including exclusion of evidence, adverse jury instructions, dismissal of charges and contempt proceedings. Signed by Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey on 4/7/2021. (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/08/2021)
04/08/2021	<a href="#">7</a>	ORDER Setting Conditions of Release as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV (1) Personal Recognizance. Signed by Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey on 4/8/2021. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Appearance Bond) (zpt) [1:21-mj-00304-GMH] (Entered: 04/08/2021)
04/14/2021	<a href="#">8</a>	INFORMATION as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1) count(s) 1, 2, 3, 4. (zstd) (Entered: 04/14/2021)
04/28/2021		MINUTE ORDER as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (1). The hearing currently scheduled for April 28, 2021 before Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey is hereby VACATED, as the Defendant: has had an initial appearance in this jurisdiction; has had counsel appointed; has been released on conditions; and has been charged by Information. As such, there are no pending matters necessitating action by a magistrate judge. The parties are directed to contact the assigned District Judge to schedule a status hearing and arraignment, if one has not yet been set. The parties are instructed to address any requests to toll the Speedy Trial Act to the assigned District Judge. Signed by Magistrate Judge G. Michael Harvey on 4/28/2021. (zpt) (Entered: 04/28/2021)
05/04/2021	<a href="#">10</a>	NOTICE OF ATTORNEY APPEARANCE: Booth Marcus Ripke appearing for JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV (Ripke, Booth) (Entered: 05/04/2021)
05/06/2021		MINUTE ORDER as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV: The parties are to appear for Arraignment set for 5/11/2021 at 3:00 PM by VTC before Judge Christopher R. Cooper. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 5/6/2021. (lsj) (Entered: 05/06/2021)
05/06/2021	<a href="#">11</a>	Unopposed MOTION for Protective Order <i>Governing Discovery</i> by USA as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Text of Proposed Order)(Juman, Robert) (Entered: 05/06/2021)
05/10/2021	<a href="#">12</a>	Waiver of Arraignment by JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV. (Ripke, Booth) Modified to correct text on 5/12/2021 (zstd). (Entered: 05/10/2021)
05/10/2021	<a href="#">13</a>	ORDER granting <a href="#">11</a> Motion for Protective Order as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV (1). See full Order for details. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 5/10/2021. (lcrcr1) (Entered: 05/10/2021)
05/11/2021		MINUTE ORDER denying <a href="#">12</a> Motion for Waiver as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV. Although Fed. R. Crim. P. 10 contemplates waiver of a defendant's physical presence at the arraignment, it "does not permit the defendant to waive the arraignment itself," <i>id.</i> advisory committee's note to the 2002 amendment. Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the motion to waive the arraignment be DENIED. It is further ORDERED that, at the request of counsel, the arraignment currently scheduled for 3:00 PM today be continued to May 17, 2021, at 11:00 AM. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 5/11/2021. (lcrcr1) (Entered: 05/11/2021)
05/11/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines/Hearings as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV: Arraignment set for 5/17/2021 at 11:00 AM by VTC before Judge Christopher R. Cooper. (lcrcr1) (Entered: 05/11/2021)
05/17/2021		Minute Entry for video held before Judge Christopher R. Cooper as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV on 5/17/2021. Defendant enters a Plea of Not Guilty on counts 1-4 and waives the formal reading of the Information. Status Conference set for 7/15/2021 at 2:00 PM by VTC before Judge Christopher R. Cooper. The Court finds it in the interest of justice to toll the speedy trial clock from 5/17/2021 through 7/15/2021. It is hereby ORDERED: Pursuant to the Due Process Protections Act, the Court instructs government counsel to review and comply with its Brady disclosure obligations. Failure to comply could result in dismissal of the indictment or individual charges, exclusion of evidence, or any other remedy that is just under the circumstances. Bond Status of Defendant: personal recognizance. Court Reporter: Lisa Moreira; Defense Attorney: Booth Marcus Ripke; US Attorney: Robert Craig Juman. (lsj) (Entered: 05/17/2021)
07/13/2021	<a href="#">15</a>	Joint Unopposed Consent MOTION to Reschedule Status Conference Currently Set For July 15, 2021 by JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV. (Ripke, Booth) Modified text on 7/14/2021 (zstd). (Entered: 07/13/2021)
07/14/2021		MINUTE ORDER granting <a href="#">15</a> Motion to Continue as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON IV. It is hereby ORDERED that the status conference currently set for July 15, 2021, is vacated and reset for August 24, 2021, at 11:00 AM. It is further ORDERED that the intervening time be excluded from the speedy trial clock at the request of the parties and in the interests of justice. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 7/14/2021. (lcrcr1) (Entered: 07/14/2021)
07/14/2021		NOTICE OF AMENDED HEARING as to JOHN CLARENCE WILKERSON, IV: Status Conference set for 8/24/2021 at 2:00 PM by VTC before Judge Christopher R. Cooper. (lsj) (Entered: 07/14/2021)

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