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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No.: 1:21-cr-00354 RCL

v.

**CONSENT MOTION TO CONTINUE  
MARCH 7, 2023, STATUS HEARING  
AND TO EXCLUDE TIME UNDER  
THE SPEEDY TRIAL ACT**

RICHARD SLAUGHTER and

CADEN PAUL GOTTFRIED,

Defendants.

COMES NOW, Richard Slaughter, Caden Paul Gottfried, through counsel, to respectfully move this Court for a 30 day continuance of the Status Conference set for March 7, 2023, and further to exclude the time within which the trial must commence under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161 et seq., on the basis that the ends of justice served by taking such actions outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial pursuant to the factors described in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), (B)(i), (ii), and (iv). In support of its motion, the Government states as follows:

1. The defendants are charged with offenses related to crimes that occurred at the United States Capitol on January 6, 2021.

2. A status conference was held in this matter on January 31, 2023, at which time the case was continued to March 7, 2023, to permit the government to complete discovery and permit plea negotiations.

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1           3. Counsel is still in the process of reviewing discovery with the  
2 defendants. Additionally, counsel has had difficulties accessing discovery on  
3 Evidence.com.  
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5           4. The defendants are considering the government's plea offer and  
6 require additional time to review the plea documents.  
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8           5. The government consents to this motion.  
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10          6. Accordingly, the parties respectfully request that this Court grant  
11 the motion to continue the Status Hearing set for March 7, 2023, for an additional  
12 30 days from the date this Court enters an Order on this motion through and  
13 including the date of the next hearing, and that the Court exclude the time within  
14 which the trial must commence under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161 et  
15 seq., on the basis that the ends of justice served by taking such actions outweigh the  
16 best interest of the public and Defendant in a speedy trial pursuant to the factors  
17 described in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), (B)(i), (ii), and (iv).  
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19           WHEREFORE counsel respectfully requests that this motion be  
20 granted.  
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22 Dated: February 24, 2023  
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