UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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v. : Case No. 22-mj-237 (MAU)

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RAYMUND JOSEPH CHOLOD, a/k/a "Raymond Cholod,"

:

Defendant.

ORDER

Based upon the representations in the Joint Motion to Continue and to Exclude Time Under the Speedy Trial Act, and upon consideration of the entire record, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Motion is **GRANTED**; it is further

ORDERED that the currently scheduled preliminary hearing on January 31, 2023 be continued for good cause for sixty days to March 30, 2023 at 1 p.m.; and it is further

ORDERED that the time between January 31, 2023 and March 30, 2023 shall be excluded from calculation under the Speedy Trial Act, *see* 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A). The Court finds that the ends of justice served by the granting of such a continuance outweighs the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial, as a continuance will provide the parties additional time to continue negotiating a potential pretrial resolution and additional time to review discovery.

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THE HONORABLE ZIA M. FARUQUI UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE