

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
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 v.)
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 DAVID BALL JR.)
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Criminal No. 1:23-cr-153-JDB

MOTION TO MODIFY CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

The defendant, David Ball Jr., by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully requests this Court modify his conditions of release to allow him to have access to his Remington .308 rifle for hunting purposes only.

In support of this Motion, Mr. Ball submits the following:

1. Mr. Ball is before this Court charged by Information with four (4) misdemeanors: 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 and Disruptive Conduct in a Capitol Building or Grounds, 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 4, 2023, Mr. Ball appeared for an initial hearing remotely and was released on his personal recognizance. *See* Dkt. No. 8.
3. The Court also set forth an Order detailing conditions of release. *Id.*
4. Among other general conditions, the Court ordered that Mr. Ball not possess a firearm, destructive device, or other weapon. *Id.*, at 7(k).
5. Mr. Ball requests that this condition be removed to allow him to utilize his Remington .308 rifle for hunting purposes only.
6. Mr. Ball has been an avid hunter for twenty (20) years, and it is not just for sport.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 22nd day of June 2023, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion to be delivered via CM/ECF to all parties in this matter.

_____/s/_____
David Benowitz