

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	
	:	
v.	:	Case No. 23-mj-00129
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RICHARD ZACHARY ACKERMAN,	:	
	:	
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 November 7, 2023 be continued for good cause for forty-four days; and it is further

ORDERED that the time between November 7, 2023 and December 21, 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.

THE HONORABLE ZIA M. FARUQUI
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE