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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
v.  
  
JAMES MASTERSON,  
  
Defendant.

CASE NO. 2:18-CR-00010-TLN  
  
STIPULATION REGARDING SCHEDULE  
FOR DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO REDUCE  
SENTENCE UNDER 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(1)(A);  
FINDINGS AND ORDER

**STIPULATION**

Plaintiff United States of America (the "government"), by and through its counsel of record, and the defendant, by and through his counsel of record, hereby stipulate as follows:

1. The defendant filed a motion for compassionate release on March 24, 2021. Docket No. 171. Pursuant to Local Rule, the government's response is due on March 31, 2021, with any reply from the defendant due on April 3, 2021.

2. Counsel for the government requests additional time to obtain relevant records and draft the government's response to the defendant's motion. The defendant does not oppose the government's request.

3. Accordingly, by this stipulation, the parties jointly request that the Court set the briefing schedule on the defendant's motion as follows:

a) The government's response to the defendant's motion to be filed on or before

1 April 9, 2021;

2 b) The defendant's reply to the government's response to be filed on or before April  
3 16, 2021.

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5 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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7 Dated: March 31, 2021

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9 /s/ JUSTIN L. LEE  
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12 Dated: March 31, 2021

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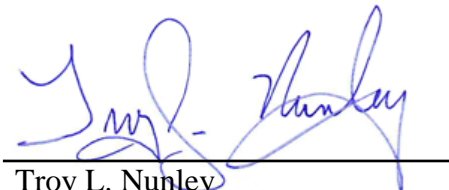
15 **ORDER**

16 Based upon the stipulation and representations of the parties, the Court adopts the following as a  
17 revised briefing schedule regarding the defendant's motion for sentence reduction:

18 a) The government's response to the defendant's motion, Docket No. 171, is due on or  
19 before April 9, 2021;

20 b) The defendant's reply to the government's response, if any, is due on April 16, 2021.

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22 IT IS SO FOUND AND ORDERED this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2021.  
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26 Troy L. Nunley  
27 United States District Judge  
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