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VIA FACSIMILE AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

The Honorable Paul L. Friedman
U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia
E. Barrett Prettyman U.S. Courthouse
333 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20001

Re: United States v. Walter Anderson, CR 05-66 (PLF)

Dear Judge Friedman:

What occurred after our hearing and bench conference causes me to write in support of our pending motion to have our client released with conditions.

Your Honor specifically stated that Mr. Anderson would be moved from the Courthouse back to the CTF Facility for the reasons we all understood (e.g., access to counsel and records). We expected this transfer and made plans for it (e.g., sending materials for him there). It did not happen.

On Friday Mr. Anderson was not transferred and was kept at the D.C. Jail all weekend. Unfortunately, I did not learn this until I tried to see him where he was supposed to be. The materials we sent in advance were misdirected and did not make it. At the D.C. Jail, he is not free to be in common areas and our access to him is extremely limited. More time was lost and Mr. Anderson was made to suffer conditions that were not intended.

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Letter to Hon. Paul L. Friedman

March 11, 2005

As it is surely possible to fashion conditions of release that can assure his appearances, his further incarceration before trial and all of the problems that causes can be avoided.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Abbe David Lowell". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Abbe David Lowell

cc: Susan B. Menzer, Esq. (via facsimile)
Karen E. Kelly, Esq. (via facsimile)