UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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v. : CRIMINAL NO. PJM-22-209

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NICHOLAS JOHN ROSKE,

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Defendant.

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GOVERNMENT'S STATUS REPORT

The United States of America, by its undersigned attorneys, hereby submits this status report in the above-referenced matter, and states as follows:

- 1. On June 8, 2022, the defendant was arrested and made his initial appearance on a Criminal Complaint charging him with a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 115(a)(1)(A)(Attempt to Murder United States Judge). ECF 1. At the initial appearance, the defendant consented to pretrial detention and he remains in custody to date. ECF 6.
- 2. On June 15, 2022, the grand jury returned a one count Indictment against the defendant, charging him with attempted assassination of a United States Supreme Court Justice in violation of 18 U.S. C. § 351(c). ECF 10. The defendant made his initial appearance and was arraigned on the Indictment on June 22, 2022. ECF 12.
- 3. On July 12, 2022, the defendant filed a Motion to Suppress Statements and a Motion for Leave to File Additional Pretrial Motions. ECF 17 and 18. On July 24, 2022, the Court

issued a Speedy Trial Order, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(1)(D), excluding the period of time

between the filing of those defense motions and the conclusion of any hearing or other final

disposition as to those motions for purposes of calculating the time under the Speedy Trial Act in

which the defendant must be tried. ECF 23. Because those defense motions remain pending, only

twenty days have passed under the Speedy Trial Act. ECF 20.

4. Since late 2022, defense counsel, without objection from the government, has

reported regularly to the Court regarding the status of its investigation into the allegations set forth

in the Indictment, its investigation of potential mitigation factors, the fact that the parties were

engaged in ongoing discussions regarding a potential pretrial resolution of this case, and requesting

additional periods of time in which to complete those efforts.

5. As of this date, the parties have not been able to agree upon the terms for a pretrial

resolution of this case.

6. Accordingly, the government requests a scheduling conference to set in dates for

pretrial motions and trial. Counsel for the defendant has advised that he joins in this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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