UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

TELEPHONE STATUS CONFERENCE (Counsel Only)

RUBEN ORTIZ, JR., et al.

Case No. 19-CR-151

HONORABLE William C. Griesbach, presiding

Proceeding Held: February 10, 2021

Deputy Clerk: Lori

Time Called: 3:06 pm

Time Concluded: 3:14 pm

Tape: 021021

Appearances:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA by: William J. Roach

RUBEN ORTIZ, JR. by: John S. Schiro

ALEJANDRO LOPEZ by: Craig A Mastantuono

FRANCISCO MARTINEZ by: Edward J. Hunt (defendant pled on 1/11/2021)

HECTOR M. GOMEZ-SALAS by: Thomas J. Erickson

OSCAR ALONSO by: Christopher L. Hartley

GABRIEL Y. BONILLA by: John A. Birdsall

CEDRIC D. COHEN by: Craig S. Powell

TERRY A. JOHNSON by: Michelle L. Jacobs

RICHARD D. GUYETTE by: John Binder on behalf of Anthony Cotton

JAMES H. PARKINSON by: Jonathan C. Smith

Two defendants (Francisco Martinez and Stephanie Ortiz) have entered guilty pleas and are scheduled for sentencings in this action.

Mr. Roach updates the Court as to status of the case. New information arose involving a confidential informant that ceased further proceedings as to the filing of a superseding indictment and/or work on additional plea agreements. The government anticipates that law enforcement investigations in this matter should conclude within the next two weeks. The government requests to set the matter for counsel only Telephone Status Conference in 30-45 days.

There are no objections to this scheduling request.

The Court schedules a counsel only Telephone Status Conference for 3/17/2021 at 1:30 pm.

The Court excludes time in the interest of justice under the Speedy Trial Act from 3/1/21 - 3/17/21.

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