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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

MAURICE SCOTT

Plaintiff,

vs.

KELLER ET AL.,

Defendant

2:07-CV-0184-KJD-PAL

**JUDGE KENT J. DAWSON'S
ORDER REGARDING TRIAL**

1. Attached hereto is a list of cases that are presently scheduled for trial before the Honorable Kent J. Dawson, United States District Judge at Sacramento, California, commencing on **MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2015** at 9:00 a.m. in Courtroom 4.

2. Counsel for all parties in the civil and criminal cases shall appear in Courtroom 4A on **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2015** at 9:00 a.m. for Calendar Call. Unless a party in a civil case or a defendant in a criminal case is appearing pro se, the individual parties in civil cases and the defendants in criminal cases will not be required to appear for Calendar Call unless the Court directs otherwise.

3. Counsel or their clients will be excused from Calendar Call if, prior to the scheduled calendar call, settlement papers have been filed in a civil case or a defendant's plea of guilty or *nolo contendere* has been accepted in a criminal case.

1 4. At the Calendar Call, all cases that remain to be tried will be ranked in order of trial.
2 Thereafter, the Court will not grant a continuance to any party absent a showing of good
3 cause. Unless the Court otherwise directs, the cases will be tried one after the other on
4 **TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS' NOTICE** from the Courtroom Administrator.

5 5. CHANGE OF PLEA HEARINGS. Changes of Plea will be taken at Calendar Call
6 unless alternate arrangements are made with the Courtroom Administrator prior to the week
7 of Calendar Call. It shall be the responsibility of counsel for the United States and for
8 Defendant(s) to ensure that the original or a copy of the plea agreement is provided to the
9 Courtroom Administrator no later than the preceding Thursday. If a copy is provided, the
10 original must be presented to the Courtroom Administrator prior to the commencement of the
11 Calendar Call.

12 6. STATUS HEARINGS. The Court may conduct a status conference prior to the
13 scheduled Calendar Call. If the Court is satisfied during the status conference that the case
14 is ready for trial, the Court may vacate the Calendar Call.

15 7. WITNESSES. Counsel shall immediately subpoena all witnesses for the time and
16 trial date as listed above. Inasmuch as the cases will be tried in a trailing fashion, the
17 subpoenas should contain a special instruction from counsel directing witnesses to contact the
18 office of counsel for further instructions prior to appearing for trial. Witnesses are not
19 required to be present at the Calendar Call, but must appear as subpoenaed.

20 8. EXHIBITS. At least three (3) court days prior to trial counsel shall supply the
21 Courtroom Administrator with the **original** and **one** copy of a complete exhibit list of all exhibits
22 that are intended to be used during the trial. At the same time, counsel shall serve upon
23 opposing counsel a copy of the same. Plaintiffs shall use numerals 1 through 499 and
24 defendants shall use numerals 500 through 999. If the total exhibits per side exceed 15, the
25 exhibits are to be placed in 3-ring binders with numbered dividers. The exhibits are to be listed
26 on the form provided by the Clerk's Office or obtained from the Court's website
27 www.nvd.uscourts.gov . The form may be computer-generated but must conform to the
28 requirements of the Court's form. Counsel shall retain possession of their exhibits until such

1 time as they are identified in open court; thereafter, the exhibits shall remain in the custody of
2 the Courtroom Administrator unless otherwise ordered.

3 9. MARKING EXHIBITS. During preparations for trial, counsel for all parties shall meet,
4 confer, pre-mark and exchange all trial exhibits. At least three (3) court days in advance of
5 trial, counsel in civil cases shall notify the Courtroom Administrator that the exhibits have been
6 pre-marked.

7 10. EVIDENCE DISPLAY EQUIPMENT. Counsel wishing to utilize the Court's
8 evidence display equipment must contact the Courtroom Administrator to determine its
9 availability and arrange for training. Counsel wishing to utilize their laptops, video recordings,
10 *et cetera*, must contact the Courtroom Administrator to arrange a time and date prior to trial
11 to test these to ensure they are compatible with the Court's systems/equipment.

12 11. TRIAL BRIEFS. Trial briefs, if any, shall be electronically filed **at least three (3)**
13 **Court days prior to the commencement of trial.**

14 12. PROPOSED VOIR DIRE QUESTIONS. All proposed *voir dire* questions which
15 Counsel request the Court to pose to prospective jurors at the time of jury selection shall be
16 filed electronically **at least three (3) Court days prior to the commencement of trial.**

17 13. JURY INSTRUCTIONS. Counsel are to comply with the Order Regarding Pretrial
18 Procedure in a Criminal Case or the Joint Pretrial Order in a civil case. At least five (5) days
19 prior to commencement of a criminal trial, or two (2) weeks prior to the commencement of the
20 trial of a civil case, Counsel or parties appearing pro se are required to meet and confer to
21 submit a set of agreed-upon jury instructions to the Court. **At least three (3) Court days** prior
22 to the commencement of a trial, **counsel are to electronically file the original set of**
23 **mutually acceptable jury instructions and a set of disputed instructions and submit**
24 **same to chambers (in WordPerfect format) on disc.**

25 14. TRIAL JUDGE. Although the cases that are listed on the attached trial calendar
26 are assigned to Judge Dawson, the cases may proceed to trial before another Nevada District
27 Judge or a visiting District Judge.

TRIAL CALENDAR OF THE HONORABLE KENT J. DAWSON, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE, AT LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, COMMENCING ON **MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2015 AT 9:00 A.M.**, WITH CALENDAR CALL SET FOR **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2015 AT 9:00 A.M.**, COURTROOM 4A.

1. 2:14-cr-0348-KJD-PAL

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

OSCAR GONZALEZ-SAMANIEGO

CUSTODY

Jury Trial (Estimated __ Day)

5-Count Criminal Indictment:

21 USC § 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(B)(viii)

21 USC § 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(C)

18 USC § 922(g)(5)(A) and 924(a)(2)

21 USC § 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(C) and 18 USC § 924(c)

For Plaintiff:

Amber Craig, *AUSA*

702-388-6336

For Defendant:

Paul Riddle, *AFPD*

702-388-6577

2. 2:15-cr-0019-KJD-GWF

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

LAFAYETTE G. BAIDA, II

BOND

Jury Trial (Estimated __ Day)

1-Count Criminal Indictment:

18 USC § 641

For Plaintiff:

Kathryn Newman, *AUSA*

702-388-6336

For Defendant:

Monique Kirtley, *AFPD*

702-388-6577

3. 2:15-cr-0284-KJD-PAL

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

GRAHAM THOMAS WILSON

CUSTODY

Jury Trial (Estimated __ Day)

1-Count Criminal Indictment:

18 USC § 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(2)

For Plaintiff:

Phillip Smith, *AUSA*

702-388-6336

For Defendant:

Heidi Ojeda, *AFPD*

702-388-6577

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4. 07-cv-184-KJD

MAURICE SCOTT
vs.
MTA KELLER ET AL.,

Jury Trial (Estimated __ Day)

Civil Complaint:
Civil Rights

For Plaintiff:

Maurice Scott, *Pro Se*

For Defendant:

Jaime Michelle Ganson
916-324-6421
Martha Ehlenbach
916-324-7553
Christian Barrett Green
916-857-2431

*Note: Counsel are directed to call the Meet-Me-Line at 702-868-4915, conference code:123456, no later than five (5) minutes prior to the start of the proceeding. Counsel is advised the use of mobile or speaker phone is prohibited.