

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

<b>SHARICE C. VANN,</b>	)	
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<b>Petitioner/Defendant,</b>	)	
	)	<b>CIVIL NO. 08-cv-722-JPG</b>
<b>vs.</b>	)	
	)	<b>CRIMINAL NO. 06-cr-40029</b>
<b>UNITED STATES of AMERICA ,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Respondent/Plaintiff.</b>	)	

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

**GILBERT, District Judge:**

This matter is before the Court on Petitioner’s motion for relief pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255. On January 8, 2007, Petitioner pleaded guilty to one count of conspiracy to distribute 50 grams or more of cocaine base in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 846. No plea agreement was made. On April 17, 2007, Petitioner was sentenced to 204 months imprisonment, 5 years supervised release, a fine of \$200, and a special assessment of \$100. On October 15, 2007, Petitioner filed the instant motion under § 2255.

In his motion the Petitioner raises four grounds for relief: (1) ineffective assistance of counsel in failing to consult with Petitioner after sentencing with regard to possible grounds for appeal; (2) ineffective assistance of counsel relating to the plea; (3) incorrect calculation of base offense level in violation of due process of law ; and (4) improper calculation of base offense level in violation of due process of law

The Court **ORDERS** the Government to file a response to Petitioner’s motion within

**THIRTY (30) DAYS** of the date of this Order. The Government shall, as part of its response, attach all relevant portions of the record.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**Dated: November 14, 2008.**

**s/ J. Phil Gilbert**  
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**U. S. District Judge**