IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED	STATES	OF	AMERICA)			
)			
	v.)	Criminal	No.	08-028
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DERRICE	K STEVE	1 C.	LEMONS)			

ORDER OF COURT

Upon consideration of Defendant Derrick Steven Clemons'
Motion to Extend Time for Filing Pretrial Motions, it is hereby
ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the extension of time caused by this continuance (December 24, 2008 to January 26, 2009) is excludable delay under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161 et seq. Specifically, the Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting this continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the Defendant to a speedy trial, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A), since, for the reasons stated in Defendant's Motion, the failure to grant such continuance would unreasonably deny counsel for the Defendant reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any pretrial motions referred to in Local Criminal Rule 12.1 are due on or before January 26, 2009.

Date: 12-24-08

Arthur J. Schwab

United States District Judge

cc: Counsel of Record