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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.   Case No.   08-00297-07,11,14/15-CR-W-FJG

STEVEN M. SALAS
MARK WHITNEY JACKSON
GERALD D. WILLIAMS
JUDITH WILLIAMS

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AUSA: Linda Marshall
Defense Atty.: Susan Hunt - 07; John Jenab - 11; Mark Thornhill - 14; Lisa Nouri - 15

JUDGE	**Sarah W. Hays** United States Magistrate Judge	DATE AND TIME	**December 2, 2008** (10:00) 10:08 to 10:17 am
DEPUTY CLERK	Bonnie J. Rowland	TAPE/REPORTER	FTR B. Rowland
INTERPRETER	None	PRETRIAL/PROB:	

CLERK'S MINUTES

ARRAIGNMENT

(x)   Defendant Gerald Williams is advised that his appearance by telephone is not sufficient for arraignment in this matter.   The Court advises defendant that he can appear in person for arraignment or a written waiver can be filed if he chooses to not be present. Arraignment will be reset.

(x)   Defendant Salas charged in counts 1,13,14,26 & 34 of a 34 Count indictment.
Defendant Jackson charged in counts 1 & 12 of a 34 Count indictment.
Defendant Judith Williams charged in counts 1 & 7 of a 34 Count indictment.

(x)   Defendants Salas, Jackson and Judith Williams waived reading of the indictment.

(   )   The count(s) of the indictment applicable to the defendant was read to the defendant.

(x)   Defendants was informed of the maximum punishment for each applicable count of the indictment.

(x)   Defendants entered a plea of not guilty to each count of the indictment applicable to him/her.

ORDERS

(   )   Defendant ordered committed back to custody of U.S. Marshal.

(x)   Defendants ordered released on a continuing bail bond. The Court hereby adopts the bond issued in the Central District of California as to defendant Jackson with a modification to allow travel from California to the Western District of Missouri and within the metropolitan area of Kansas City. Order of modification will be issued.

(x)   Case ordered set for trial on the joint criminal jury trial docket which commences January 5, 2009.

(x)   Scheduling conference date will be determined by the Court.