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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff,

Case No. 10-CR-00320-18-CR-W-DGK

Vs.

MARGOT DAVIDSON.

Defendant.

MOTION REQUESTING CONTINUANCE OF THE JURY TRIAL

COMES NOW the Defendant, Margot Davidson, by and through his undersigned attorney, and moves the Court to grant a continuance of the jury trial to the August, 2013 docket.

IN SUPPORT of this Motion, Defendant states as follows:

- 1. This case is currently set for jury trial on April 22, 2013.
- 2. The defendant was scheduled to enter a change of plea on April 17, 2013.
 The defendant instead decided to pursue a trial. Counsel for both the government and the defendant are not prepared to begin a trial within the next few day.
- 3. AUSA Rhoades was contacted and he has no objection to this request.
- 4. This continuance is not sought for the purpose of delay, but is sought so that the defendant may be afforded due process of law under the Fifth Amendment and effective assistance of counsel under the Sixth Amendment to the United States Constitution. The aforementioned reasons for the continuance outweigh the interest of the public and defendant regarding speedy trial under 18 U.S.C. § 3161©(1).

WHEREFORE, Defendant prays that this Court grant the defendant's request for a continuance of the jury trial.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 17th day of April, 2013., a copy of the aforementioned Motion to Continue was sent via electronic filing to:

AUSA Bruce Rhoades

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