

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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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 Plaintiff,)
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 v.) Criminal Action No.
) 09-00112-01-CR-W-ODS
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CLIFTON TAYLOR,)
)
 Defendant.)

ORDER

On December 18, 2009, Chief Judge Fernando Gaitan, Jr., forwarded a letter to me that he had received from defendant Taylor. The letter once again requests appointment of substitute counsel on the ground that defense counsel has not filed the approximately 55 pretrial motions as directed by defendant.

The merits of defendant's proposed pretrial motions have already been discussed numerous times, as have his complaints about his current attorney. It is

ORDERED that defendant's pro se motion for appointment of substitute counsel is denied.

/s/ Robert E. Larsen
ROBERT E. LARSEN
United States Magistrate Judge

Kansas City, Missouri
December 18, 2009