

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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA §
 §
VS. § CR. NO. 4:08-CR-00026
 §
TROY R. SOLOMON §
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DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO RECONSIDER
CONTINUANCE AND TRANSFER

TO THE HONORABLE SARAH HAYS UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI, WESTERN DIVISION:

COMES NOW TROY R. SOLOMON, DEFENDANT, and respectfully requests
reconsideration of the Court's Order denying both continuance and transfer of this case based on
the following:

1. Trial is set to commence in this cause on June 21, 2010.
2. The docket control order on the Houston case requires Mr. Solomon's appearance for
the final pre-trial conference on June 21, 2010. The trial of that cause is set to begin
on June 28, 2010. (Please see Exhibit One.)
3. Given the financial drain caused by simultaneously defending against two federal
criminal conspiracy indictments, Mr. Solomon lacks the resources to pay for his
travel to, lodging or minimal living expenses while in Kansas City. Further, Mr.
Solomon cannot afford to pay for his witnesses to travel to Kansas City. To illustrate
this fact, Mr. Solomon will voluntarily execute a financial affidavit illustrating his
current financial situation.

Failure to continue this case and transfer the case to the Southern District of Texas (Houston Division) will result in the denial of Mr. Solomon's constitutional right to a fair trial by denying him the opportunity to present a defense.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Mr. Solomon respectfully requests that this case be continued and transferred to the Southern District of Texas.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion has been forward via electronic filing to Mr. Rhodes, Assistant United State's Attorney, on this the 24th day of May 2010.

/s/ Chip Lewis

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On May 24, 2010, counsel for Defendants conferred with Assistant United States Attorney, Rudolph Rhodes concerning his position on Defendant's Motion for Reconsideration and Mr. Rhodes advised that he is opposed to this Motion.

/s/ Chip Lewis

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