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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	Criminal Action No.
v.	)	10-00320-16-CR-W-DGK
	)	
FRANK ALVAREZ,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

ORDER

On April 20, 2011, defendant filed a pro se motion for appointment of substitute counsel. I held hearings on April 28, 2011, and May 3, 2011. During the hearings, defendant knowingly and voluntarily waived his Sixth Amendment right to assistance of counsel and requested leave to proceed pro se. Therefore, it is

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

ORDERED that Dana Altieri is relieved of representation in this case and instead is appointed to act as stand-by counsel. It is further

ORDERED that the Clerk of Court list defendant Frank Alvarez as pro se counsel with an address of CCA, 100 Highway Terrace, Leavenworth, KS 66048.

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

Kansas City, Missouri
May 3, 2011