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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	Case No. 11-00223-03/04,07/08-CR-W-ODS
)	
NKOSI GRAY,)	
BILLY RAY HALL,)	
DARRYL E. LARKINS, and)	
ROBERT E. MORRIS,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

<u>ORDER</u>

Pending before the Court are the following <u>pro</u> <u>se</u> pleadings:

- 1. Letter challenging jurisdiction [filed by defendant Gray] (doc #34);
- 2. Notice of Denial to Abandon Beneficiary Position [filed by defendant Hall] (doc #135);
- 3. Notice of Decline Indictment; Notice of Mistake [filed by defendant Hall] (doc #144);
- 4. Filing returning indictment and wishing no contract [filed by defendant Larkins] (doc #76);
- 5. Filing requesting 90-day abatement of proceedings [filed by defendant Larkins] (doc #77);
- 6. Filing stating that matter is settled and closed [filed by defendant Larkins] (doc #78);
- 7. Notice of Taking for Value of Public Offer for Discharge [filed by defendant Larkins] (doc #101);
- 8. Notice of Fault in Dishonor and Opportunity to Cure [filed by defendant Larkins] (doc #103); and
- 9. Filing returning indictment and wishing no contract [filed by defendant Morris] (doc #35).

Each of these defendants is represented by counsel in this action. The Court will only consider defense motions which are prepared by defendant's counsel. See Abdullah v. United States, 240 F.3d 683, 686 (8th Cir. 2001)("A district court has no obligation to entertain pro se motions filed by a represented party.")

Given the foregoing, it is

ORDERED that defendant Gray's <u>pro</u> se pleading (doc #34) is denied. It is further

ORDERED that defendant Hall's <u>pro</u> <u>se</u> pleadings (docs #135 and #144) are denied. It is further

ORDERED that defendant Larkins' <u>pro se</u> pleadings (docs #76, #77, #78, #101 and #103) are denied. It is further

ORDERED that defendant Morris' pro se pleading (doc #35) is denied.

/s/ Sarah W. Hays
SARAH W. HAYS
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE