

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

WESLEY W. HANSON,

Defendant.

ORDER

02-CR-0090-C

Defendant Wesley W. Hanson has written to the court to ask for a change in his sentence. He argues he should not have been sentenced as a career offender. Unfortunately, it is too late for defendant to seek a change in his sentence. Once a judge imposes a sentence, that sentence cannot be altered unless the government moves for a reduction of sentence within a year of the sentencing or the court of appeals determines that the judge erred in determining the sentence and remands the case for re-sentencing.

Defendant never appealed his sentence and the government did not move within a year to reduce his sentence. His time for filing a post-conviction motion for a modification or reduction of his sentence expired in 2004, one year after his January 2003 conviction became final. There is no mechanism left by which defendant can obtain any modification

of his sentence. Defendant's avenues for obtaining any kind of review of his sentence are time-barred.

ORDER

Construing defendant Wesley Hanson's October 20, 2006 letter as a motion for modification of his sentence, the motion is DENIED.

Entered this 1st day of November, 2006.

BY THE COURT:
/s/
BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge