IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

ORDER

Plaintiff,

06-cr-3-bbc

v.

QUINTON LOMACK,

Defendant.

Defendant Quinton Lomack has filed a motion pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582, seeking a reduction of the sentence entered on March 17, 2009. The motion will be granted.

When defendant was sentenced in 2009, his term of imprisonment was 120 months, which was slightly below the midpoint of the sentencing guideline range of 110 to 137 months. Under the amended guidelines, defendant has an advisory guideline range of 63 to 78 months.

Defendant has asked for a sentence of 63 months, at the bottom of the amended sentencing range. The government argues for a decrease to slightly below the midpoint of the amended range, or 68 months.

I am persuaded that a sentence slightly below the midpoint of the amended guideline range is reasonable and sufficient to protect the community, provide defendant the opportunity for substance abuse counseling and other rehabilitative programs, including vocational training, and achieve parity with the sentences of similarly situated offenders.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the judgment and commitment order entered on March 17, 2009 is AMENDED to provide that the sentence imposed on defendant Quinton Lomack is reduced to 68 months. In all other respects, the judgment and commitment order remains as entered on March 17, 2009.

Entered this 23d day of November, 2011.

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