

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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

ORDER

v.

12-cr-75-wmc

DANIEL J. COURTNEY,

Defendant.

At a November 2, 2012 telephonic status conference, counsel for defendant Daniel Courtney reported that he has had Courtney examined by two mental health professionals who are in the process of writing reports opining that Courtney functions at a borderline (low elementary school) level of competency. Counsel will present these reports to the government and request a resolution of this case other than the government's pursuit of the current § 2252(a)(4)(B) charge against Courtney. The government responded that it is willing to review these reports and consider Courtney's request. The parties advised that this process should be completed by mid-December, 2102. The court agreed that this was a process worth pursuing.

Accordingly, it is ORDERED that:

- (1) The remainder of the current schedule is stricken;
- (2) The court will hold a telephonic status conference on December 18, 2012 at 9:30 a.m., with the government initiating the conference call to chambers; and
- (3) Time is excluded from computation on the speedy trial clock from October 30, 2012 until December 18, 2012 pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(1)(A) and 3161(h)(7)(A) because the ends of justice are best served by allowing the defendant to prepare his competency reports and present them to the government in order to attempt to negotiate a just, alternative resolution of this prosecution.

Entered this 2nd day of November, 2012.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER
Magistrate Judge