

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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRUCE J. MEAGHER,

Defendant.

ORDER

02-CR-45-C

Defendant Bruce J. Meagher and the United States of America by Assistant United States Attorney Daniel Graber have made a joint request for permission to submit to the Office of Lawyer Regulation and the Supreme Court of Wisconsin a copy of the statement of reasons read at defendant's sentencing. The motion will be granted, with conditions.

The primary reason for withholding the statement of reasons is to protect inmates in the institution from the dissemination of private and personal information. Obviously, that same concern is not present when a copy of the reasons is submitted to the Office of Lawyer Regulation and the state supreme court.

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that the joint request of the United States and defendant to submit a copy of the statement of reasons to the Office of Lawyer Regulation and the Supreme Court of Wisconsin is GRANTED, on the condition that the Office of Lawyer Regulation and the Supreme Court

of Wisconsin make only such copies of the statement of reasons as are necessary to carry out their work and that all such copies be accounted for and returned to the United States Probation Office for the Western District of Wisconsin when a decision has been made on defendant Meagher's law license.

Entered this 20th day of September, 2002.

BY THE COURT:

BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge