

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

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL BOHMAN,

Defendant.  
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ORDER

04-CR-0193-C

Defendant Michael Bohman has filed an “Emergency Motion for Interruption of Sentence” to enable him to leave the Federal Correctional Camp at Oxford, Wisconsin for a week so that he can visit his ill child in Wausau, Wisconsin. The motion will be denied.

It is not at all clear that this court has the authority to issue an order for interruption of a sentence. Even if it does, however, this is not the situation in which such an order should be issued.

Defendant asserts that his sixteen-year-old daughter is near death but the letter from the Marshfield Clinic that he has attached to his motion is dated August 23, 2006. It does say that Danielle Pophal is “extremely” ill and her medical course is unpredictable.

In response to defendant’s motion, the probation officer on duty talked with

employees of the camp, who advised him that defendant had never spoken to them about visiting his daughter. According to the unit manager, defendant might qualify for an escorted furlough. In that instance, defendant would have to pay mileage but, so long as he kept his furlough to eight hours, he would not have to pay for the cost of the guards. Eight hours would be long enough for defendant to be driven from Oxford to Wausau and back and still spend four hours with his daughter. The probation officer's attempt to confirm the present condition of defendant's daughter uncovered no reason to believe that death was imminent.

Defendant's past record does not give me confidence that he could be trusted to be away from the institution for a week without an escort. He was released prior to trial to the custody of his aunt, walked away and was not reported missing.

#### ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that defendant Michael Bohman's "Emergency Motion for Interruption of Sentence" is DENIED.

Entered this 27th day of October, 2006.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

BARBARA B. CRABB

District Judge

