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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

ORDER OF DETENTION PENDING TRIAL

v.

08-cr-16-bbc

PAUL MITCHELL,

Defendant.

At the February 21, 2008 arraignment the government moved pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3142(f) to detain defendant Paul Mitchell pending his trial in this prison contraband case arising out of FCI Oxford. Because defendant already is in federal custody, he does not wish to contest the government's motion at this time but he has reserved his right to a substantive release hearing in the future. Based on this and based on the currently unchallenged facts set forth in case file and the pretrial service report, I find that the defendant is a danger to the community.

It is ORDERED that the defendant is committed to the custody of the United States Marshals Service for confinement at a proximate secure facility. The defendant shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity for private consultation with his attorney. On order of this court or on request of an attorney for the Government, the facility shall deliver the defendant to the Marshals Service for the purpose of an appearance in this case.

Dated: February 21, 2008

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER Magistrate Judge