IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	
	:	
v.	:	CRIMINAL NO. 07-cr-131-02
	:	
TROY PONTON	:	

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

Fullam, Sr. J. September 20, 2007

The defendant, Troy Ponton, was scheduled for trial on September 10, 2007, but because his new CJA counsel (appointed on August 7, 2007, after defendant and his original counsel parted ways) needed more time to review the file and prepare for trial, defendant's unopposed motion for a continuance was granted, and the trial rescheduled for November 26, 2007. On September 7, 2007, the defendant filed a lengthy *pro se* motion to dismiss the indictment, "for prosecutorial misconduct before the grand jury, and lying in court to a federal judge, hiding records of material facts, using falsely made court history, continuance use of known perjured testimony."

Since defendant is represented by counsel, his *pro se* motion will be stricken from the record, without prejudice to defendant's right, through counsel, to file any further motion which counsel deems appropriate.

An Order follows.

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ORDER

AND NOW, this 20th day of September 2007, IT IS ORDERED:

The *pro se* "Motion to Dismiss Indictment" filed by the defendant on September 7, 2007, is STRICKEN from the record, without prejudice to the defendant's right to file, through counsel, any motion which counsel deems appropriate.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ John P. Fullam
John P. Fullam, Sr. J.