

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,) Case No.
vs.)
)
_____) **DEFENDANT'S WAIVER OF ALL PRESENCE -**
Defendant.) **IN PERSON AND REMOTE**
_____)

I have been advised by my attorney that:

- (1) I have a constitutional right to be present at all critical stages of this case, including all hearings in this case, except those proceedings that involve only a question of law.
- (2) I can waive the right to be present, either physically or remotely, at a hearing, including the discovery management conference, trial setting conference, when a continuance is ordered, or when the Court takes any other action, before, during, or after trial, unless otherwise ordered to appear.
- (3) My attorney will always be present in court, either physically or remotely, and that my attorney will represent my interests at all times, just as if I were present in court.

I hereby knowingly, voluntarily, and intelligently waive my right to be present at the following hearings including a waiver of my right to participate remotely (by telephone at the hearing):

- ___ **The Discovery Management Conference**
- ___ **The Trial Setting Conference**
- ___ **Whenever a continuance is requested**

There may be a hearing for which the court will require my physical or remote presence. I agree to stay in contact with my attorney and that if my attorney notifies me that I am required to appear in court at a particular date and time, then I will do so. I understand that unless otherwise ordered, the Court will require my presence at the Final Pretrial Conference.

I understand that I can revoke this waiver at any time by notifying my attorney. If I am out of custody, I am free to attend any scheduled hearing. If I am in custody and I want to attend any scheduled hearing in person, I will contact my attorney in advance, and they will ensure that I am brought to the hearing.

Date: _____

Defendant's Signature

Signature of Defendant's Attorney

Printed Name of Defendant's Attorney