

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
for the  
District of Columbia

AMENDED

United States of America  
v.  
Thomas Sibick

Case No. 21-cr-291-ABJ - 01

Defendant

MODIFIED ORDER SETTING CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

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Clerk, U.S. District & Bankruptcy  
Courts for the District of Columbia

IT IS ORDERED that the defendant's release is subject to these conditions:

- (1) The defendant must not violate federal, state, or local law while on release.
- (2) The defendant must cooperate in the collection of a DNA sample if it is authorized by 34 U.S.C. § 40702.
- (3) The defendant must advise the court or the pretrial services office or supervising officer in writing before making any change of residence or telephone number.
- (4) The defendant must appear in court as required and, if convicted, must surrender as directed to serve a sentence that the court may impose.

The defendant must appear at: US District Court: 333 Constitution Ave NW Washington DC 20001

Place

for a status hearing before Amy Berman Jackson by videoconference

on 11/29/2021 2:00 pm

Date and Time

If blank, defendant will be notified of next appearance.

- (5) The defendant must sign an Appearance Bond, if ordered.

**ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS OF RELEASE**

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(c)(1)(B), the court may impose the following least restrictive condition(s) only as necessary to reasonably assure the appearance of the person as required and the safety of any other person and the community.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the defendant's release is subject to the conditions marked below:

- (6) The defendant is placed in the custody of:  
 Person or organization Dr. Eugene Michael Sibick  
 Address (only if above is an organization) \_\_\_\_\_  
 City and state Williamsville, New York Tel. No. (716) 472-4246

who agrees to (a) supervise the defendant, (b) use every effort to assure the defendant's appearance at all court proceedings, and (c) notify the court immediately if the defendant violates a condition of release or is no longer in the custodian's custody.

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Custodian Date

- (7) The defendant must:
  - (a) submit to supervision by and report for supervision to the US Probation & Pretrial Office for the Western District of New York and report as directed, telephone number (716) 551-4241, no later than \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (b) continue or actively seek employment.
  - (c) continue or start an education program.
  - (d) surrender any passport to: Clerk of the Court for the Western District of New York
  - (e) not obtain a passport or other international travel document.
  - (f) abide by the following restrictions on personal association, residence, or travel: Slay out of DC except for Court/ Pretrial business and meetings with attorney US Probation & Pretrial Office for the WDNY to approve any travel outside the WDNY. All other travel to be approved by the Court. Defendant to reside at 34 Wk Street Williamsville, NY 14221 and notify the US Probation & Pretrial Office for the WDNY in writing of any change in address.
  - (g) avoid all contact, directly or indirectly, with any person who is or may be a victim or witness in the investigation or prosecution, including: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (h) get medical or psychiatric treatment: Obtain mental health treatment and execute any releases necessary to ensure compliance with that condition
  - (i) return to custody each \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock after being released at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock for employment, schooling, or the following purposes: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (j) maintain residence at a halfway house or community corrections center, as the pretrial services office or supervising officer considers necessary.
  - (k) not possess a firearm, destructive device, or other weapon.
  - (l) not use alcohol (  ) at all (  ) excessively.
  - (m) not use or unlawfully possess a narcotic drug or other controlled substances defined in 21 U.S.C. § 802, unless prescribed by a licensed medical practitioner.
  - (n) submit to testing for a prohibited substance if required by the pretrial services office or supervising officer. Testing may be used with random frequency and may include urine testing, the wearing of a sweat patch, a remote alcohol testing system, and/or any form of prohibited substance screening or testing. The defendant must not obstruct, attempt to obstruct, or tamper with the efficiency and accuracy of prohibited substance screening or testing.
  - (o) participate in a program of inpatient or outpatient substance abuse therapy and counseling if directed by the pretrial services office or supervising officer.
  - (p) participate in one of the following location restriction programs and comply with its requirements as directed.
    - (i) **Curfew.** You are restricted to your residence every day (  ) from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, or (  ) as directed by the pretrial services office or supervising officer; or
    - (ii) **Home Detention.** You are restricted to your residence at all times except for employment; education; religious services; medical, substance abuse, or mental health treatment; attorney visits; court appearances; court-ordered obligations; or other activities approved in advance by the pretrial services office or supervising officer; or
    - (iii) **Home Incarceration.** You are restricted to 24-hour-a-day lock-down at your residence except for medical necessities and court appearances or other activities specifically approved by the court; or
    - (iv) **Stand Alone Monitoring.** You have no residential curfew, home detention, or home incarceration restrictions. However, you must comply with the location or travel restrictions as imposed by the court.  
**Note:** Stand Alone Monitoring should be used in conjunction with global positioning system (GPS) technology.

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- (q) submit to the following location monitoring technology and comply with its requirements as directed:
- (i) Location monitoring technology as directed by the pretrial services or supervising officer; or
  - (ii) Voice Recognition; or
  - (iii) Radio Frequency; or
  - (iv) GPS.
- (r) pay all or part of the cost of location monitoring based upon your ability to pay as determined by the pretrial services or supervising officer.
- (s) report as soon as possible, to the pretrial services or supervising officer, every contact with law enforcement personnel, including arrests, questioning, or traffic stops.
- (t) Defendant shall receive and comply with courtesy supervision of the US Probation & Pretrial Office for the Western District of New York. Location monitoring technology may also include the use of SmartLINK.  
The U.S Probation & Pretrial Services Office for the Western District of New York is permitted to return the defendant's smartphone to him for that purpose if that district elects to utilize SmartLINK.

Defendant may go outside of the house to access any porch or patio or the yard as long as he remains entirely within the boundaries of the property. He also has the permission of the Court to shovel snow on any walkway or driveway on the property, but those activities may not extend into a public street or sidewalk or onto any adjacent property.

At its discretion, U.S Probation & Pretrial Services Office for the Western District of New York may direct that the defendant provide advance notice of any activities, such as raking leaves or shoveling the driveway, that will take him beyond the immediate periphery of the house and that he must contact them upon return.

Defendant may attend religious services with his parents once a week.

US Probation & Pretrial Office for the Western District of New York may also, with advance notice, permit the defendant to leave the residence for verified mental health appointments with a licensed mental health professional.

Defendant may not use any social media--including, but not limited to, Parler, Gab, Reddit, Facebook, Instagram, Discord, Twitter, SnapChat, TikTok, and any similar platform--on any electronic device (e.g, phone, table, computer, laptop).

Defendant is not to watch any news programs or political programs or talk shows and may not attend any political rallies.

**ADVICE OF PENALTIES AND SANCTIONS**

TO THE DEFENDANT:

YOU ARE ADVISED OF THE FOLLOWING PENALTIES AND SANCTIONS:

Violating any of the foregoing conditions of release may result in the immediate issuance of a warrant for your arrest, a revocation of your release, an order of detention, a forfeiture of any bond, and a prosecution for contempt of court and could result in imprisonment, a fine, or both.

While on release, if you commit a federal felony offense the punishment is an additional prison term of not more than ten years and for a federal misdemeanor offense the punishment is an additional prison term of not more than one year. This sentence will be consecutive (*i.e.*, in addition to) to any other sentence you receive.

It is a crime punishable by up to ten years in prison, and a \$250,000 fine, or both, to: obstruct a criminal investigation; tamper with a witness, victim, or informant; retaliate or attempt to retaliate against a witness, victim, or informant; or intimidate or attempt to intimidate a witness, victim, juror, informant, or officer of the court. The penalties for tampering, retaliation, or intimidation are significantly more serious if they involve a killing or attempted killing.

If, after release, you knowingly fail to appear as the conditions of release require, or to surrender to serve a sentence, you may be prosecuted for failing to appear or surrender and additional punishment may be imposed. If you are convicted of:

- (1) an offense punishable by death, life imprisonment, or imprisonment for a term of fifteen years or more – you will be fined not more than \$250,000 or imprisoned for not more than 10 years, or both;
- (2) an offense punishable by imprisonment for a term of five years or more, but less than fifteen years – you will be fined not more than \$250,000 or imprisoned for not more than five years, or both;
- (3) any other felony – you will be fined not more than \$250,000 or imprisoned not more than two years, or both;
- (4) a misdemeanor – you will be fined not more than \$100,000 or imprisoned not more than one year, or both.

A term of imprisonment imposed for failure to appear or surrender will be consecutive to any other sentence you receive. In addition, a failure to appear or surrender may result in the forfeiture of any bond posted.

**Acknowledgment of the Defendant**

I acknowledge that I am the defendant in this case and that I am aware of the conditions of release. I promise to obey all conditions of release, to appear as directed, and surrender to serve any sentence imposed. I am aware of the penalties and sanctions set forth above.

**UNABLE TO SIGN DUE TO COVID-19 AND LOCATION***Defendant's Signature**City and State***Directions to the United States Marshal**

- ( ) The defendant is ORDERED released after processing.
- ( ) The United States marshal is ORDERED to keep the defendant in custody until notified by the clerk or judge that the defendant has posted bond and/or complied with all other conditions for release. If still in custody, the defendant must be produced before the appropriate judge at the time and place specified.

Date: 11/2/2021

  
*Judicial Officer's Signature*

Amy Berman Jackson, United States District Judge

*Printed name and title*