

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :  
 :  
 v. : Cr. 05-09T  
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 RICHARD HATCH :

GOVERNMENT'S MOTION TO DISMISS INFORMATION

On January 6, 2005, the defendant, Richard Hatch ("Hatch"), signed a Plea Agreement in which he agreed to plead guilty to charges contained in an accompanying Criminal Information. On January 18, 2005, relying on the agreement made by Hatch, the United States filed Criminal Information No. 05-09T along with Hatch's signed plea agreement.


Under Rule 48(a) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure and by leave of court endorsed on the order attached hereto, the United States Attorney for the District of Rhode Island, hereby moves to dismiss Information No. 05-09T, charging violations of Title 26, United States Code, Section 7201, for the reason that Hatch, through his attorney, has indicated that he will not enter a plea of guilty to the Information. The Government intends to present this matter to the Grand Jury sitting in the District of Rhode Island for consideration of all possible charges.

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Moreover, in the event that an indictment is returned in this matter, the Government moves that the period of time from January 18, 2005, through March 2, 2005, be deemed excludable under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161 et. seq. Counsel for the Government has discussed this Speedy Trial issue with John E. MacDonald, Esq., counsel for the defendant, and he has stated that the defendant agrees that the period of time from January 18, 2005 through March 2, 2005 should be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act.

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