UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION

1:20-cr-00296-JPB-AJB
USA v. Thomas et al
Honorable Alan J. Baverman

Minute Sheet for proceedings held In Open Court on 02/24/2021.

TIME COURT COMMENCED: 10:28 A.M.
TIME COURT CONCLUDED: 10:36 A.M. TAPE NUMBER: FTR Gold
TIME IN COURT: 00:08 DEPUTY CLERK: Lisa Enix
OFFICE LOCATION: Atlanta

DEFENDANT(S):	[1]Darrell Thomas NOT Present at proceedings [2]Andre Lee Gaines NOT Present at proceedings [4]Bern Benoit Present at proceedings [5]Carla Jackson NOT Present at proceedings
ATTORNEY(S) PRESENT:	Benjamin Alper representing Darrell Thomas Tal Chaiken representing USA Anthony Egbase representing Bern Benoit Nathan Kitchens representing USA David Marshall representing Carla Jackson Brian Mendelsohn representing Andre Lee Gaines
PROCEEDING CATEGORY:	Status Conference;
MOTIONS RULED ON:	DFT#1-[91]Motion for Extension of Time GRANTED DFT#4-[90]Motion for Extension of Time GRANTED DFT#5-[88]Motion for Extension of Time GRANTED DFT#5-[89]Motion to Continue GRANTED
MINUTE TEXT:	Oral Due Process Protection Act Given. The government has provided discovery. The only outstanding discovery are several devices retrieved from the search of Darrell Thomas' home. The FBI is processing these devices and the government shall file a status report within 14 days on when this discovery will be produced. The Court grants Defendants' motions for extension of time to file pretrial motions and to reschedule the pretrial conference. Pretrial motions are due on 3/29/2021 and the pretrial conference is scheduled on April 1, 2021 at 10:00 am. Defendant Gaines' oral motion for an extension of time to file motions and to reschedule the

	pretrial conference is GRANTED and the same dates of the co-defendants' deadlines apply to Defendant Gaines.
EXCLUDABLE DELAY:	The parties shall have until 03/29/2021 to file any additional motions. This extension is necessary for effective preparation despite diligence. The delay occasioned by this extension shall be considered a period of excludable delay pursuant to 18 U.S.C.§3161(h)(7)(A) because the court found it needed to allow reasonable time for preparation and also found that the ends of justice served thereby outweigh the interests of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial.
ADDL HEARING(S) SCHEDULED:	Pretrial Conference set for 4/1/2021 at 10:00 am in Courtroom No courtroom; call-in instructions to be provided.