

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
SAVANNAH DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

BERNARD OKOJIE

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CR: 422-084

MOTION TO WITHDRAW

Now comes the United States of America, by and through David H. Estes, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Georgia, and respectfully requests to terminate the appearance of AUSA Patrick Schwedler. AUSA Schwedler will soon be leaving the United States Attorney's Office for private practice and will no longer be able to represent the United States going forward. AUSA Jonathan Porter will remain as lead counsel for the United States. AUSA Schwedler therefore respectfully requests to be removed as counsel for the United States. A proposed order is attached for the Court's convenience.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of June 2022.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I have on this day served all the parties in this case in accordance with the notice of electronic filing (“NEF”) which was generated as a result of electronic filing in this Court.

This 30th day of June, 2022.

/s/ Patrick J. Schwedler
Assistant United States Attorney

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ORDER

Based upon the motion of the United States, and for good cause shown therein, it is hereby, ORDERED that AUSA Schwedler's Motion to Withdraw is Granted and AUSA Patrick Schwedler is hereby terminated as counsel for the United States.

Dated: _____

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