

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

TE DORA BROWN, and  
CHRISTOPHER SCOTT

Case No. 23 CR 97

Judge Elaine E. Bucklo

**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

The UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, by MORRIS PASQUAL, Acting United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, Victor P. Henderson, counsel for defendant Te Dora Brown, and Joshua B. Adams, counsel for defendant Christopher Scott, hereby provide this joint status report to the Court:

On February 15, 2023, the grand jury returned an indictment charging defendant Brown with 13 counts of wire fraud, and defendant Scott with 9 counts of wire fraud, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1343. (R.1). Defendants self-surrendered on March 1, 2023 and the Court held initial appearances and arraignments for the defendants on that day. (R.8, 9). Defendants are currently on bond. (R.13, 14, 21).

The government has produced all discovery to defense counsel and obtained a protective order for that discovery (R.27). Defense counsel have been reviewing discovery and conferring with their clients. Counsel conferred on September 1, 2023, and are set for a meeting on September 20, 2023, after which the parties will have a better understanding of how the case will proceed. Accordingly, the parties respectfully request that the Court set a deadline for status report in approximately

90 days, on or about December 4, 2023, or on a date at the Court's discretion, and move the Court to exclude time through the date of the next status report pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h).

Dated: September 5, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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