

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
ORLANDO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CASE NO. 6:22-cr-00201-WWB-LHP

EVAN EDWARDS

NOTICE REGARDING COMPETENCY PROCEEDINGS

The United States of America, by Roger B. Handberg, United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida, in accordance with this Court's Order (Doc. 50) (the "Order") hereby notifies the Court of its proposal regarding competency:

1. On January 16, 2023, Dr. Ryan C.W. Hall, M.D., P.A., submitted his Competency Evaluation Report (the "Competency Report") for defendant, Evan Edwards. On January 17, 2023, the Competency Report was submitted to the Court. A copy of the Competency Report has been filed under seal.

2. The United States agrees with the findings and recommendations contained within the Competency Report.

3. Further, the United States requests that a hearing be set to address competency. Ultimately, the United States submits that, as a result of such hearing, the Court should enter an Order under 18 U.S.C. § 4241(d), finding the defendant mentally incompetent and committing the defendant to the custody of the Attorney General for treatment.

WHEREFORE, the United States complies with this Court's order and submits notice of its agreement with the Competency Report and request for a hearing to address competency.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that undersigned counsel electronically filed the foregoing Notice with the Clerk of Court on January 19, 2023, by using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of electronic filing to counsel of record:

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