

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

NEWARK

DATE: 3 January 2013

JUDGE: Dennis M. Cavanaugh

COURT REPORTER: Charles McGuire

DEPUTY CLERK: Scott P. Creegan

Title of Case:

Docket 2:9cr369-1

U.S.A. v. Paul Bergrin

Appearances:

AUSA John Gay, Joseph Minish 7 Steve Sanders

D Paul Bergrin, Pro Se

Stand By Larry Lustberg, Bruce Levy & Amanda Protes

Nature of proceedings: Pretrial Conference

Pretrial status conference conducted on the record

Hrg. On Govt's motion for Sequestration of Jury

ORDERED motion Denied

Court Ordered anonymous jury to be selected

Jury Questionnaire discussed, peremptory challenges 10/6 & 3/3 for alternates.

Govt's oral application not to designate alternates up front DENIED

Agreed neutral statement to read to jury to be provided by 1/4

Additional questions to add to be provided by 1/3

Court discussed length of trial-Govt. Estimates 3 months, Deft 3/4 months, Court will advise jury length is 10 to 12 weeks.

Start time is 9 am and end time is 4 pm (1 hr for lunch)

sitting Monday to Friday, with Monday stop time being 3:30

Authenticity issue heard from counsel, Court grants expert authority limited to issue of tampering only.

Deft. To provide court with appropriate paperwork

Hrg. On deft's oral application to continue and for In Camera review of reasoning.

Court Denied In Camera review and Adjournment request.

Deft. Requests Binders be used to organize extensive paperwork needed for trial. US Marshal to check with MDC Brooklyn on policy allowing metal into facility

Conference adj.

Jury selection set for 9:30 am January 7, 2013 in courtroom 4

Time Commenced 9:50

Time Adjourned 10:30

cc: chambers

Scott P. Creegan
Deputy Clerk