

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
WESTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA]	
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vs.]	7:08-cr-245-LSC
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LARRY P. LANGFORD,]	
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Defendant.]	

ORDER

Before this Court is the motion filed by Defendant Langford to extend his reporting date. [Doc. #239.] Langford asserts that he should be permitted an extra seven days to report as his father-in-law is scheduled to undergo surgery to remove a mass from his thyroid. Langford maintains that his wife and father-in-law will need his emotional support during these difficult times.

The United States has filed an objection to the request. [Doc. #240.]

It is not unusual for a defendant to request extensions of his or her report date based upon the needs of family members. Perhaps everyone who has reached his or her report date would be able to find some family need

upon which to rest a request for an extension. This Court has granted some of those requests, however the request must be supported by extenuating circumstances.

Langford's father-in-law will have his surgery this Friday, April 2 and Langford is presently scheduled to report Monday, April 5 at 12 noon. His designated facility is nine hours driving time from Birmingham. The fact that the surgery is set on Good Friday and his wife would have to leave her father to take Langford to the facility on Easter Sunday would understandably cause greater stress on Mrs. Langford than needed.

This Court will therefore extend Langford's report date until four p.m. on Wednesday, April 7, 2010, so that his wife may assist her father and then accompany her husband to the facility. No further extensions will be granted.

Done this 1st day of April 2010.



L. SCOTT COOGLER
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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