

DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA
CRIMINAL NO. 11-228 (MJD/JJK)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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 Plaintiff,)
 v.)
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 2. GERALD JOSEPH DURAND,)
 a/k/a Jerry Durand,)
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 Defendant.)

**GOVERNMENT’S MOTION FOR AN
EVIDENTIARY HEARING
REGARDING DURAND**

The United States respectfully moves the Court to convene an evidentiary hearing on January 3, 2013, at which the United States will prove by the preponderance of the evidence that, in December of 2009, Mr. Durand proposed to Mr. Pettengill that they arrange for the murder of Jason Bo-Alan Beckman in order to collect and split the proceeds of a life insurance policy on Beckman’s life.

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