UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 10-20458 Hon. Nancy G. Edmunds

Nithal Aoun, D-1, Mohamad Aoun, D-2, Wissam Aoun, D–3, Hassan Aoun, D-4, Ghassan Aoun, D-5, John Taylor, D-6, Carlos Evans, D-8,

Defendants.

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ORDER SETTING DATES

This matter came before the Court at an April 27, 2011 pretrial conference. With

the agreement of Defendants' counsel and the government, the Court schedules the

following dates:

1. Discovery cut off:	<u>July 15, 2011</u>
2. Motion cut off:	<u>August 12, 2011.</u>
3. Status Conference:	<u>September 27, 2011 at 2:00 p.m.</u>
4. Plea cut off:	<u>December 16, 2011</u>
5. Pretrial Conference:	January 5, 2012 at 2:00 p.m.
6. Trial date:	<u>January 9, 2012 at 9:00 a.m.</u>

The Court finds that the period of delay is excludable under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 USC § 3161(h)(7) in that during the April 27, 2011 conference, Defendant's counsel agreed they needed additional time in order to review discovery and to prepare the appropriate pretrial motions. Accordingly, the period of time between April 27, 2011 through January 9, 2012, is deemed excludable in that the ends of justice served by the continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the Defendants in a speedy trial.

SO ORDERED.

<u>s/Nancy G. Edmunds</u> Nancy G. Edmunds United States District Judge

Dated: April 29, 2011

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served upon counsel of record on April 29, 2011, by electronic and/or ordinary mail.

> <u>s/Carol A. Hemeyer</u> Case Manager