

**United States District Court  
For The District of Columbia**

United States of America,

v.

Samuel H. Powell,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:94-cr-00316 (ESH)

**AMENDED ORDER**

Before the Court is the defendant's unopposed motion for Compassionate Release pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(1)(A) because of the COVID-19 global pandemic. (Mot. for Compassionate Release, ECF No. 96.)

"Defendant is 55-years-old, suffers from several respiratory problems (including sleep apnea and asthma), and has only 3 months remaining on his 262-month sentence." (Mot. at 1.) The government does not oppose the relief sought. In addition, the Court finds that requiring defendant to first seek relief through the Bureau of Prisons' administrative process would be futile because defendant has an open misdemeanor case in Superior Court which the Bureau of Prisons has advised defense counsel renders defendant ineligible for home confinement.

Accordingly, for the reasons stated above and for the reasons set forth in defendant's motion, it is hereby

**ORDERED** that the motion is **GRANTED**; and it is further

**ORDERED** that the Defendant's previously imposed sentence of imprisonment of 262 months is reduced to time-served. It is further

**ORDERED** that the Defendant be immediately released from custody on his sentence in this case. It is further

**ORDERED** that the Defendant abide by the standard supervised release conditions. It is further

**ORDERED** that the Defendant abide by the additional supervised release conditions:

- 1) Within 72 hours of release, the Defendant shall contact the U.S. Probation Office at 202-565-1300 for specific reporting instructions.
- 2) The Defendant shall reside at his mother's residence, Sandra Powell, in Washington, DC.
- 3) Until June 16, 2020, the Defendant shall be (1)restricted to your residence at all times except for employment; education; religious services; medical, substance abuse, or mental health treatment; attorney visits; court appearances; court-ordered obligations; or other activities as pre-approved by the Probation Officer.



*Ellen S. Huvelle*  
ELLEN S. HUVELLE  
United States District Judge

Date: March 28, 2020