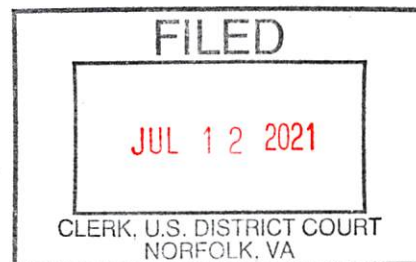


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

In the Matter of Court Operations Pursuant to
Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 5(f) and the
Due Process Protections Act



AMENDED STANDING ORDER

In accord with the Due Process Protections Act and Rule 5(f) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia CONFIRMS the United States' obligation to disclose to the defendant all exculpatory evidence, that is, evidence that favors the defendant or casts doubt on the United States' case, as required by *Brady v. Maryland*, 373 U.S. 83 (1963) and its progeny, and hereby ORDERS the United States to do so. Failure to disclose exculpatory evidence in a timely manner may result in serious consequences, including, but not limited to, exclusion of evidence, adverse jury instructions, dismissal of charges, contempt proceedings, disciplinary action, or sanctions by the Court.

The judge presiding over the first scheduled court date when both prosecutor and defense counsel are present shall give oral notice of the provisions in this Standing Order. The presiding judge, pursuant to the Due Process Protections Act, also shall issue a written order in compliance with this Standing Order.

This Order serves as the reminder of prosecutorial obligation and duties in accordance with Rule 5(f).

Let the Clerk send this Standing Order to all registered CM/ECF users in the Eastern District of Virginia.

Entered this 12th day of July, 2021.



Mark S. Davis
Chief Judge