

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

CHELSEA ELIZABETH MANNING,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 1:14-cv-1609 (CKK)
)	
JAMES MATTIS, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
)	
Defendants.)	
_____)	

CONSENT MOTION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS

Plaintiff moves the Court to stay the proceedings in this case until May 22, 2017. In support of this motion, Plaintiff states the following:

1. On January 17, 2017, President Barack Obama commuted Plaintiff’s sentence to time served plus 120 days. See, Commutation Order, attached as Exhibit 1.

2. Pursuant to the President’s Commutation Order, the parties anticipate that Plaintiff will be released from custody on May 17, 2017. Upon Plaintiff’s release, the above-captioned matter will become moot.

3. Undersigned counsel for Plaintiff conferred with counsel for Defendants and Defendants consent to this motion.

For the reasons set forth above, Plaintiff requests that the Court enter the attached proposed order staying the proceedings until May 22, 2017 and directing the parties to file with the Court a joint status report and/or stipulation of dismissal on that day.

Dated: January 26, 2017

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

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ORDER

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In the general court-martial case of Private First Class Chelsea Elizabeth Manning, formerly known as Bradley E. Manning, [REDACTED], U.S. Army, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, U.S. Army Garrison, Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall, Fort Meyer, Virginia, 22211, pursuant to the authority vested in me as President of the United States by Article II, Section 2, Clause I of the Constitution, I hereby commute the sentence of 35 years' imprisonment adjudged on August 21, 2013, to time served plus 120 days, leaving intact all other conditions and components of the sentence. The commuted sentence shall be implemented under the orders of the Secretary of the Army.



THE WHITE HOUSE,

January 17, 2017.