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The Honorable G. Wix Unthank
United States District Court
Post Office 1139
Pikeville, Kentucky 41501

RE: United States of America v. Gobel Bartley, et al.,
C.A. No. 84-148

Dear Judge Unthank:

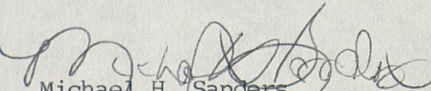
In response to your recent order requiring parties to report on the status of the case in writing, please allow this letter to serve as the required report.

Briefly, the parties have come to terms and the proposed Agreed Order has been executed by the attorney for the defendant, Gary Hibbits, and is presently in the hands of the defendant, Gobel Bartley. The Order was to be executed and returned to this office before it was forwarded for the Court's examination and approval. However, in a conversation I had today with Mr. Bartley I learned that he forwarded the Order directly to the Clerk. The Clerk has informed me that the Order would be held until this letter arrives and both would then be delivered to you.

If the proposed Agreed Order meets with your approval, please execute the same and cause a copy to be forwarded to the undersigned.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter, I am

Very truly yours,


Michael H. Sanders
Staff Attorney