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1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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4 HONORABLE A. HOWARD MATZ, JUDGE PRESIDING

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7 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)

8 PLAINTIFF,)

9) CASE NO.

10 VS.

) CR 02-350(A)-AHM

11 STEVEN WILLIAM SUTCLIFFE,)

12 DEFENDANT.)

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16 REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

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1 client or for other reasons. Are you prepared to proceed with
2 that understanding?

3 MR. REED: Well, that I'm not absolutely certain
4 about. If the case is not too complex, then I certainly can
5 be. There's one month to go before that date approximately
6 and I intend on studying the case, analyzing it. I would
7 like, of course, to speak with Mr. Sutcliffe.

8 THE COURT: And I was going to order that the marshals
9 make him available to meet with you today if that's something
10 that you could do and he chooses to do. Are you available
11 today here in the courthouse?

12 MR. REED: Yes, I am. Very much like to talk to him.

13 THE COURT: Mr. Brennan, did you get any parts of the
14 file thus far from Mr. Nicolaysen?

15 THE DEFENDANT: Neither have I, Your Honor. I have
16 received nothing even though I believe the Court ordered that
17 he was to provide it by Friday once again, which is par for
18 the course. He has ignored the Court's order.

19 THE COURT: Not sure what has happened, if anything.

20 MS. DUARTE: If I may, Your Honor?

21 THE COURT: Yes.

22 MS. DUARTE: I don't know the specifics. I did let
23 Mr. Nicolaysen know the matter was back on Tuesday just
24 because he called me about a different matter and we were
25 discussing it. He was aware that it was back on for possible