UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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Pretrial Services was implemented in this district in November of 1986. Since that time, only selected cases were processed by the Probation Office and prebail reports prepared. Effective May 16, 1988 the program is being expanded to include all defendants in all cases. Previously established procedures for the referral of defendants to Pretrial Services shall remain in place.

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All arrested defendants shall be produced promptly and without undue delay to the probation officer to undergo pretrial interview.

In non-arrest cases where defendants are given advance notice of a scheduled hearing date, either by the U.S. Attorney or the U.S. Magistrate, the probation office shall be so notified at least two working days in advance of the hearing date.

Pursuant to Title 18, USC, Section 3154(1) judicial officers shall schedule initial appearances and arraignments in such a manner as to insure that a written prebail summary report is available to the court and all authorized parties prior to the pretrial release hearing.

To obtain uniformity and in order to comply with the spirit of the Act, judicial officers shall utilize AO forms 199 A, B, C (Order Setting Conditions of Release) as revised August 1985.

The Probation Department shall fulfill all duties and responsibilities as promulgated in Title 18, USC, Section 3154.

SO ORDERED.

JOHN T. CURTIN Chief U.S. District Judge

Dated: April /8 ,1988

Buffalo, New York