CRIMINAL DOCKET NO. 60,600

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3<sup>rd</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT

**VERSUS** 

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PARISH OF UNION

CHRIS HARPIN

Monet Frazier, Deputy Clerk Third Judicial District Court

STATE OF LOUISIANA

## JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

NOW INTO COURT, through the undersigned counsel, come the above-named defendant and the State of Louisiana, who pursuant to La.C.Cr.P. Art. 707 respectfully show(s):

1.

This matter is scheduled for trial on March 25, 2024. The parties wish to continue the trial date as (a) the State desires to try codefendant Cory York prior to Chris Harpin, (b) Cory York's case is not currently in a posture for trial due to writ applications pending with the Louisiana Supreme Court which could be dispositive of his case, and (c) defense counsel for Harpin has relied upon the State's representations relative to trying the York case first in delaying the expense of preparing for trial.

2.

Undersigned defense counsel does hereby specifically waive the presence of his client for purposes of this motion, consents to the signing of the accompanying order in open court or in chambers, and moves that this matter be set for pretrial hearings at 10 a.m. on October 25 2024, and jury trial on October 28, 2024.

3.

The undersigned District Attorney Ad Hoc, representing the State of Louisiana herein, interposes no objection to this motion and consents to the signing of the order as requested.

WHEREFORE, Appearers jointly request pretrial hearings on October 25, 2024 at 10 a.m. and jury trial on October 28, 2024.

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