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THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CRIMINAL DIVISION

Russell F. Canan
Judge

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Knut Abraham
Consul General
Embassy of the Federal Republic
of Germany Washington
2300 M Street, NW
Washington, DC 20037

Re: United States v. Albrecht Muth
Criminal No. 2011 CF1 15683

Dear Consul General:

Thank you for your letter. I have distributed it to Mr. Muth's attorneys for whatever action they deem appropriate.

At this time, this Court is not in a position to find that defendant is an incapacitated person as required by law in District of Columbia Code § 21-2011 (11A), which states: "'Incapacitated individual for health-care decisions' means an adult individual who lacks sufficient mental capacity to: (A) Appreciate the nature and implications of a health-care decision; (B) Make a choice regarding the alternatives presented; or (C) Communicate that choice in an unambiguous manner." As such, the Court is not in a position to order the Department of Corrections, or any hospital, to stabilize Mr. Muth's health.

Sincerely,

Russell F. Canan

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