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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES	*	
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V.	*	CRIM. NO. 19-877 (CCC) (04)
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JOSEPH FRANK ABEL	*	
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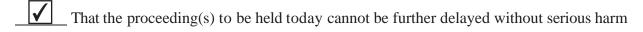
ORDER REGARDING USE OF VIDEO CONFERENCING/TELECONFERENCING FOR FELONY PLEAS AND/OR SENTENCINGS

In accordance with Standing Order 2020-06, this Court finds:

That the Defendant (or the Juvenile) has consented to the use of video

teleconferencing/teleconferencing to conduct the proceeding(s) held today, after consultation

with counsel; and



to the interests of justice, for the following specific reasons:

See Attachment A

Accordingly, the proceeding(s) held on this date may be conducted by:

____ Video Teleconferencing

_____ Teleconferencing, because video teleconferencing is not reasonably available for the

following reason:

_ The Defendant (or the Juvenile) is detained at a facility lacking video

teleconferencing capability.

Other:

Honorable Claire C. Cecchi United States District Judge

Date: 9/3/2020

ATTACHMENT A

Speedy resolution of the charges against Abel by permitting the guilty plea will help narrow the scope of the case, which will preserve the Court's and the parties' resources. These specific circumstances are such that this hearing cannot be further delayed without serious harm to the interests of justice.