

# APPENDIX

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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

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**No. 19-4083  
(3:18-cr-00051-GMG-RWT-1)**

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

THOMAS EDWARD WRIGHT,

Defendant - Appellant.

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**O R D E R**

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Thomas Edward Wright seeks to appeal his conviction and 103-month sentence. The Government has moved to dismiss the appeal as barred by Wright's waiver of the right to appeal included in the plea agreement. Upon review of the plea agreement and the transcript of the Fed. R. Crim. P. 11 hearing, we conclude that Wright knowingly and voluntarily waived his right to appeal and that the issues Wright seeks to raise on appeal

fall squarely within the compass of his waiver of appellate rights.\* Accordingly, we grant the Government's motion to dismiss.

Entered at the direction of the panel: Judge King, Judge Richardson, and Senior Judge Shedd.

For the Court

/s/ Patricia S. Connor, Clerk

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\* Wright's claim of ineffective assistance of counsel is not cognizable on direct appeal because his plea counsel's alleged ineffectiveness does not "conclusively appear[] on the face of the record." *United States v. Faulls*, 821 F.3d 502, 507 (4th Cir. 2016). Thus, this "claim should be raised, if at all, in a 28 U.S.C. § 2255 [(2012)] motion." *Id.* at 508.

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JUDGMENT

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In accordance with the decision of this court, this appeal is dismissed.

This judgment shall take effect upon issuance of this court's mandate in accordance with Fed. R. App. P. 41.

/s/ PATRICIA S. CONNOR, CLERK

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	<b>JUDGMENT IN A CRIMINAL CASE</b>
	)	
v.	)	
THOMAS EDWARD WRIGHT	)	Case Number: 3:18CR51
	)	USM Number: 12669-087
	)	Aaron D. Moss
	)	Defendant's Attorney

**THE DEFENDANT:**

pleaded guilty to count(s) One (1)

pleaded nolo contendere to count(s) \_\_\_\_\_ which was accepted by the court.

was found guilty on count(s) \_\_\_\_\_ after a plea of not guilty.

The defendant is adjudicated guilty of these offenses:

<u>Title &amp; Section</u>	<u>Nature of Offense</u>	<u>Offense Ended</u>	<u>Count</u>
18 U.S.C. §§ 922(j)	Possession of a Stolen Firearm	02/09/2016	One
and 924(a)(2)			

See additional count(s) on page 2

The defendant is sentenced as provided in pages 2 through 7 of this judgment. The sentence is imposed pursuant to the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984.

The defendant has been found not guilty on count(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Count(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are dismissed on the motion of the United States.

It is ordered that the defendant must notify the United States attorney for this district within 30 days of any change of name, residence, or mailing address until all fines, restitution, costs, and special assessments imposed by this judgment are fully paid. If ordered to pay restitution, the defendant must notify the court and United States attorney of material changes in economic circumstances.

January 22, 2019

Date of Imposition of Judgment

  
Signature of Judge

Honorable Gina M. Groh, Chief United States District Judge

Name and Title of Judge

January 25, 2019

Date

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## IMPRISONMENT

The defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the Federal Bureau of Prisons to be imprisoned for a total term of: One Hundred Three (103) months. The term of imprisonment imposed by this judgment shall run concurrent with any parole revocation sentence imposed in Mineral County Circuit Court in Docket Numbers 16-F-56, 57, or 59; and consecutive to any other anticipated sentence of imprisonment.

The court makes the following recommendations to the Bureau of Prisons:

That the defendant be incarcerated at an FCI or a facility as close to Keyser, West Virginia, as possible;  
 and at a facility where the defendant can participate in substance abuse treatment, as determined by the Bureau of Prisons;  
 including the 500-Hour Residential Drug Abuse Treatment Program.

That the defendant be incarcerated at FCI Cumberland or a facility as close to his home in Keyser, West Virginia, as possible;  
 and at a facility where the defendant can participate in substance abuse treatment, as determined by the Bureau of Prisons;  
 including the 500-Hour Residential Drug Abuse Treatment Program.

That the defendant receive credit for time served from October 9, 2018, to the present.

That the defendant be allowed to participate in any educational or vocational opportunities while incarcerated, as determined by the Bureau of Prisons.

Pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 14135A, the defendant shall submit to DNA collection while incarcerated in the Bureau of Prisons, or at the direction of the Probation Officer.

The defendant is remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal.

The defendant shall surrender to the United States Marshal for this district:

at \_\_\_\_\_  a.m.  p.m. on \_\_\_\_\_.  
 as notified by the United States Marshal.

The defendant shall surrender for service of sentence at the institution designated by the Bureau of Prisons:

before 12:00 pm (noon) on \_\_\_\_\_.  
 as notified by the United States Marshal.  
 as notified by the Probation or Pretrial Services Office.  
 on \_\_\_\_\_, as directed by the United States Marshals Service.

## RETURN

I have executed this judgment as follows:

Defendant delivered on \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_, with a certified copy of this judgment.

\_\_\_\_\_  
UNITED STATES MARSHAL

By \_\_\_\_\_  
DEPUTY UNITED STATES MARSHAL

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### **SUPERVISED RELEASE**

Upon release from imprisonment, you will be on supervised release for a term of: **Three (3) years**

### **MANDATORY CONDITIONS**

1. You must not commit another federal, state or local crime.
2. You must not unlawfully possess a controlled substance.
3. You must refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance. You must submit to one drug test within 15 days of release from imprisonment and at least two periodic drug tests thereafter, as determined by the court.
  - The above drug testing condition is suspended, based on the court's determination that you pose a low risk of future substance abuse. *(check if applicable)*
4.  You must make restitution in accordance with 18 U.S.C. §§ 3663 and 3663A or any other statute authorizing a sentence of restitution. *(check if applicable)*
5.  You must cooperate in the collection of DNA as directed by the probation officer. *(check if applicable)*
6.  You must comply with the requirements of the Sex Offender Registration and Notification Act (34 U.S.C. § 20901, *et seq.*) as directed by the probation officer, the Bureau of Prisons, or any state sex offender registration agency in the location where you reside, work, are a student, or were convicted of a qualifying offense. *(check if applicable)*
7.  You must participate in an approved program for domestic violence. *(check if applicable)*

You must comply with the standard conditions that have been adopted by this court as well as with any other conditions on the attached page.

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### STANDARD CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISION

As part of your supervised release, you must comply with the following standard conditions of supervision. These conditions are imposed because they establish the basic expectations for your behavior while on supervision and identify the minimum tools needed by probation officers to keep informed, report to the court about, and bring about improvements in your conduct and condition.

1. You must report to the probation office in the federal judicial district where you are authorized to reside within 72 hours of your release from imprisonment, unless the probation officer instructs you to report to a different probation office or within a different time frame.
2. After initially reporting to the probation office, you will receive instructions from the court or the probation officer about how and when you must report to the probation officer, and you must report to the probation officer as instructed.
3. You shall not commit another federal, state or local crime.
4. You shall not unlawfully possess a controlled substance. You shall refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance. You shall submit to one drug test within 15 days of release from imprisonment and at least two periodic drug tests thereafter, as determined by the probation officer.
5. You must not knowingly leave the federal judicial district where you are authorized to reside without first getting permission from the court or the probation officer.
6. You must answer truthfully the questions asked by your probation officer.
7. You must live at a place approved by the probation officer. If you plan to change where you live or anything about your living arrangements (such as the people you live with), you must notify the probation officer at least 10 days before the change. If notifying the probation officer in advance is not possible due to unanticipated circumstances, you must notify the probation officer within 72 hours of becoming aware of a change or expected change.
8. You must allow the probation officer to visit you at any time at your home or elsewhere, and you must permit the probation officer to take any items prohibited by the conditions of your supervision that he or she observes in plain view.
9. You must work full time (at least 30 hours per week) at a lawful type of employment, unless the probation officer excuses you from doing so. If you do not have full-time employment you must try to find full-time employment, unless the probation officer excuses you from doing so. If you plan to change where you work or anything about your work (such as your position or your job responsibilities), you must notify the probation officer at least 10 days before the change. If notifying the probation officer at least 10 days in advance is not possible due to unanticipated circumstances, you must notify the probation officer within 72 hours of becoming aware of a change or expected change.
10. You must not communicate or interact with someone you know is engaged in criminal activity. If you know someone has been convicted of a felony, you must not knowingly communicate or interact with that person without first getting the permission of the probation officer.
11. If you are arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer, you must notify the probation officer within 72 hours.
12. You must not own, possess, or have access to a firearm, ammunition, destructive device, or dangerous weapon (i.e., anything that was designed, or was modified for, the specific purpose of causing bodily injury or death to another person such as nunchakus or tasers).
13. You must not act or make any agreement with a law enforcement agency to act as a confidential human source or informant without first getting the permission of the court.
14. If the probation officer determines that you pose a risk to another person (including an organization), the probation officer may require you to notify the person about the risk and you must comply with that instruction. The probation officer may contact the person and confirm that you have notified the person about the risk.
15. You shall not purchase, possess or consume any organic or synthetic intoxicants, including bath salts, synthetic cannabinoids or other designer stimulants.
16. You shall not frequent places that sell or distribute synthetic cannabinoids or other designer stimulants.
17. Upon reasonable suspicion by the probation officer, you shall submit your person, property, house, residence, vehicle, papers, computers, or other electronic communications or data storage devices or media, or office, to a search conducted by a United States Probation Officer. Failure to submit to a search may be grounds for revocation of release. You shall warn any other occupants that the premises may be subject to searches pursuant to this condition.
18. You are prohibited from possessing a potentially vicious or dangerous animal or residing with anyone who possess a potentially vicious or dangerous animal. The probation officer has sole authority to determine what animals are considered to be potentially vicious or dangerous.
19. You must follow the instructions of the probation officer related to the conditions of supervision.

### U.S. Probation Office Use Only

A U.S. probation officer has instructed me on the conditions specified by the court and has provided me with a written copy of this judgment containing these conditions. For further information regarding these conditions, see *Overview of Probation and Supervised Release Conditions*, available at: [www.uscourts.gov](http://www.uscourts.gov).

Defendant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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### SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISION

1. You must participate in an outpatient substance abuse treatment program. The probation officer will supervise your participation in the program (provider, location, modality, duration, intensity, etc.).
2. You must submit to substance abuse testing to determine if you have used a prohibited substance. You must not attempt to obstruct or tamper with the testing methods.
3. You must not use or possess any controlled substances without a valid prescription. If you do have a valid prescription, you must disclose the prescription information to the probation officer and follow the instructions on the prescription.
4. You must not use or possess alcohol.
5. You must comply with the Northern District of West Virginia Offender Employment Program which may include participation in training, counseling, and/or daily job search as directed by the probation officer. Unless excused for legitimate reasons, if not in compliance with the condition of supervision requiring full-time employment at a lawful occupation, you may be required to perform up to 20 hours of community service per week until employed, as approved by the probation officer.



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## SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS

Having assessed the defendant's ability to pay, payment of the total criminal monetary penalties is due as follows:

A  Lump sum payment of \$ 100 due immediately, balance due  
 not later than \_\_\_\_\_, or  
 in accordance with  C  D,  E,  F, or  G below); or

B  Payment to begin immediately (may be combined with  C,  D,  F, or  G below); or

C  Payment in equal \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g., weekly, monthly, quarterly*) installments of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ over a period of \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g., months or years*), to commence \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g., 30 or 60 days*) after the date of this judgment; or

D  Payment in equal \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g., weekly, monthly, quarterly*) installments of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ over a period of \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g., months or years*), to commence \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g., 30 or 60 days*) after release from imprisonment to a term of supervision; or

E  Payment during the term of supervised release will commence within \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g., 30 or 60 days*) after release from imprisonment. The court will set the payment plan based on an assessment of the defendant's ability to pay at that time; or

F  Special instructions regarding the payment of criminal monetary penalties: \*\*\*Special Assessment Fee has been paid\*\*\*

G  Special instructions regarding the payment of criminal monetary penalties:

The defendant shall immediately begin making restitution and/or fine payments of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month, due on the first of each month. These payments shall be made during incarceration, and if necessary, during supervised release.

Unless the court has expressly ordered otherwise, if this judgment imposes imprisonment, payment of criminal monetary penalties is due during the period of imprisonment. All criminal monetary penalties, except those payments made through the Federal Bureau of Prisons' Inmate Financial Responsibility Program, are made to Clerk, U. S. District Court, Northern District of West Virginia, P.O. Box 1518, Elkins, WV 26241.

The defendant shall receive credit for all payments previously made toward any criminal monetary penalties imposed.

Joint and Several

Defendant and Co-Defendant Names and Case Numbers (*including defendant number*), Total Amount, Joint and Several Amount, and corresponding payee, if appropriate.

The defendant shall pay the cost of prosecution.

The defendant shall pay the following court cost(s):

The defendant shall forfeit the defendant's interest in the following property to the United States:

Payments shall be applied in the following order: (1) assessment, (2) restitution principal, (3) restitution interest, (4) fine principal, (5) fine interest, (6) community restitution, (7) JVTA assessment, (8) penalties, and (9) costs, including cost of prosecution and court costs.

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The court denies the petition for rehearing and rehearing en banc. No judge requested a poll under Fed. R. App. P. 35 on the petition for rehearing en banc.

Entered at the direction of the panel: Judge King, Judge Richardson, and Senior Judge Shedd.

For the Court

/s/ Patricia S. Connor, Clerk