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In The
Supreme Court of the United States

KENNETH MALIK WISE,
Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent.

ON PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

**APPENDIX TO
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI**

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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

**No. 23-4398
(1:22-cr-00075-TDS-6)**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

KENNETH MALIK WISE, a/k/a KG, a/k/a Kenny, a/k/a Big Psyxho,

Defendant - Appellant.

O R D E R

Kenneth Malik Wise seeks to appeal the 240-month sentence imposed following his guilty plea, pursuant to a written plea agreement, to Racketeer Influenced Corrupt Organization (RICO) conspiracy, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1962(d). The Government has moved to dismiss the appeal as barred by Wise's waiver of the right to appeal included in the plea agreement. Upon review of the record, we conclude that Wise knowingly and voluntarily waived his right to appeal

and that the issue Wise seeks to raise on appeal falls squarely within the scope of his waiver of appellate rights. Accordingly, we grant the Government's motion to dismiss.

Entered at the direction of the panel: Judge Gregory, Judge Rushing, and Senior Judge Motz.

For the Court

/s/ Nwamaka Anowi, Clerk