

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
DIVISION OF ST. THOMAS AND ST. JOHN**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 3:25-cr-0025
	)	
LAWRENCE POWELL, JR.,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	
	)	

ORDER

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge dated September 10, 2025, ECF No. 62, recommending that the Defendant's plea of guilty to Count One of the Indictment, Distribution of a Controlled Substance, a violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(C), be accepted, and the defendant be adjudged guilty. After careful consideration and review, and there being no objection, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation, ECF No. 62, is **ADOPTED**; it is further

ORDERED that Defendant Lawrence Powell, Jr.'s plea of guilty as to Count One of the Indictment is **ACCEPTED**, and that Lawrence Powell, Jr. is adjudged **GUILTY** on that count; it is further

ORDERED that, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32(c)(1)(A), the U.S. Probation Office shall conduct a presentence investigation for the preparation of a presentence report; it is further

ORDERED that the U.S. Probation Office shall disclose the preliminary presentence report to the parties no later than **November 6, 2025**; it is further

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ORDERED that the parties shall submit any objections or corrections to the preliminary presentence report to the U.S. Probation Office no later than **November 20, 2025**; it is further

ORDERED that the U.S. Probation Office shall disclose the final presentence report to the parties and the Court no later than **December 4, 2025**; it is further

ORDERED that the parties shall file their sentencing memoranda no later than **December 18, 2025**; and it is further

ORDERED that a sentencing hearing shall be held on **January 8, 2026, at 9:30 A.M.** in STT Courtroom No. 1.

Dated: September 25, 2025

/s/ Robert A. Molloy
ROBERT A. MOLLOY
Chief Judge