STATE OF MINNESOTA

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

| State of Minnesota, |) |
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| Plaintiff, |)) STATE'S OBJECTION TO DEFENSE) SUBMISSION OF EVIDENCE BY EMAIL |
| VS. |) |
| MOHAMED MOHAMED NOOR, |) |
| Defendant. |)) MNCIS No: 27-CR-18-6859 |
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TO: THE HONORABLE KATHRYN QUAINTANCE, HENNEPIN COUNTY DISTRICT COURT JUDGE; COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT; AND DEFENDANT.

OBJECTION

The State Minnesota objects to defendant's submission of evidence to the court by email on March 15, 2019. The defense's emailed evidence comes outside the parameters of the court's amended scheduling orders with no notice to the State and no opportunity to be heard in open court. The court previously ordered that email communications in this case were to be limited to matters of logistics and scheduling. In any case, it is improper for the court to receive and consider evidence off the record unless the parties agree or by court order. None of those circumstances are present with respect to the defense's email submission today. The State has twice requested to be heard on the record to raise additional objections: on March 5, 2019 and March 11, 2019. These requests were unaddressed by the court. Since then, the defense has raised numerous motions, all of which could, and should, have been raised before the February 15th filing deadline, and has selectively submitted evidence to the court by email. The State objects to the court's review of any evidence that has not been received either in open court or by the parties' previous agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

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