

In the General Court of Justice District Court Division STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG	File No: _____ Additional File Notes: _____
STATE VERSUS	MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE
Name of Defendant	
Name of Co-Defendant(s), if any	

The undersigned attorney and/or self-represented defendant requests a continuance or extension of time in the above captioned matter and offer(s) the following information.

The EVENT is for:

- Track 1 Case
- Track 2 Case

The EVENT for which a continuance or extension of time is requested is:

- A Pretrial Readiness Conference (PTRC)
- A Case Management Conference (CMCR)
- A Trial

Date the above EVENT is Presently Calendared: _____

Previous Number of Continuances for this matter: _____

For Track 1 Trial:

This motion is made for GOOD CAUSE for the following reason(s):

- Reasonable scheduling conflicts for the defendant;
- Religious holidays for the defendant or necessary witnesses, with affidavit;
- Lack of notice to defendant within three days of an event, absent court documentation of notice being provided to counsel;
- Reasonable scheduling conflicts for counsel, except the DA and defense counsel shall be requested, when known in advance, to assign associate counsel for non-trial events, where required by the court, and for the associate counsel to meet the requirements for preparation for each non-trial event;
- Unavailability of a witness for trial or other dispositive event;
- Unavailability of a victim for trial or other event for which the victim has a right to be present and/or heard; and
- Any other good cause reason as determined by the presiding judge. _____

For Track 2 Trial:

This request is being made after the PTRC for GOOD CAUSE, 30 DAYS prior to TRIAL for the following reason(s):

- The party is absent, and counsel are present to substantiate a good cause for their absence, including, but not limited to, illness or injury;
- Absence or serious illness of counsel;
- Absence of witness more than 100 miles from the court;
- Party, leading attorney, or material witness in attendance is on active duty as a member of National Guard or component of armed forces of the United States, with or without motion of the parties.

The undersigned certifies the following efforts made to communicate with the opposing Party/Attorney regarding the continuance and has received the following response:

Requesting Party/Attorney - PRINT NAME / PHONE
ADA Defendant

Requesting Party/Attorney - SIGNATURE

Attention Opposing Party/Attorney: You must submit any response to this motion no later than two days after the date that the motion for continuance was submitted to the court.

Copy to (Note: Opposing Party/Attorney must be noticed prior to submission to the Court):

_____ By: FAX EMAIL HAND-DELIVERY US MAIL
ADA Defendant Date