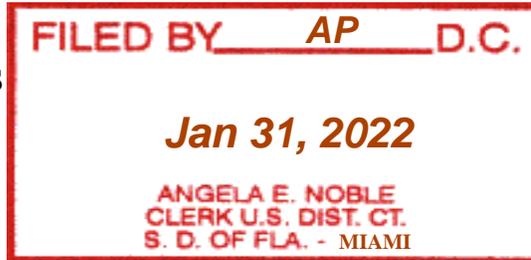


UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

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Case Style: USA v. Peter Sotis
District Court Docket No: 1:19-cr-20693-PAS-1

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Certificate of Interested Persons and Corporate Disclosure Statement ("CIP")

Every motion, petition, brief, answer, response, and reply must contain a CIP. See FRAP 26.1; 11th Cir. R. 26.1-1. In addition:

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Attorney Admissions

Attorneys who wish to participate in this appeal must be properly admitted either to the bar of this

court or for this particular proceeding, See 11th Cir. R. 46-1; 46-3; 46-4. In addition, all attorneys (except court-appointed attorneys) who wish to participate in this appeal must file an appearance form within fourteen (14) days after this letter's date. The [Application for Admission to the Bar](#) and [Appearance of Counsel Form](#) are available on the Court's website. **The clerk generally may not process filings from an attorney until that attorney files an appearance form.** See 11th Cir. R. 46-6(b).

Defaults

Pursuant to 11th Cir. R. 42-1(b), **this appeal will be dismissed after 14 days and without further notice** unless the following default(s) have been corrected:

Either (i) pay to the DISTRICT COURT clerk the docketing and filing fees, **or** (ii) request leave to proceed in forma pauperis on appeal in the district court. See FRAP 24(a). If the district court denies such leave, the appellant may file in this court a [Motion for Permission to Appeal In Forma Pauperis with Affidavit](#), which is available on the Court's website.

Transcript Information Form

Pursuant to FRAP 10(b), the appellant must, within 14 days, file a [Transcript Information Form](#), which is available on the Court's website. See FRAP 10(b)(1); 11th Cir. R. 10-1. See 11th Cir. R. 12-1 and 31-1.

Criminal Appeals - Sentencing Issue

In any criminal appeal raising a sentencing issue, the appellant must ensure that the record includes (a) the transcript of the sentencing proceeding, and (b) the presentence investigation report and addenda (under seal in a separate envelope). See 11th Cir. R. 30-1(a)(14).

Criminal Appeals - Validity of a Guilty Plea

In any criminal appeal raising the validity of a guilty plea, the appellant must ensure that the record includes the transcript of the guilty plea colloquy and any written plea agreement. See 11th Cir. R. 30-1(a)(13).

Obligation to Notify Court of Change of Addresses

Each pro se party and attorney has a continuing obligation to notify this court of any changes to the party's or attorney's addresses during the pendency of the case in which the party or attorney is participating. See 11th Cir. R. 25-7.

Sincerely,

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