

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
WESTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)

Plaintiff,)

v.)

████████████████████,)

Defendant.)

INDICTMENT NO.: CR-00-B-0322-W

TRANSCRIPT OF EXCERPT OF SENTENCING
BEFORE THE HONORABLE SHARON LOVELACE BLACKBURN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

For the United States:

Bill Barnett, AUSA
Robert S. Vance Courthouse
Birmingham, Alabama 35203

For The Defendant:

Howard Weintraub

PROCEEDINGS

(Excerpt of sentencing hearing)

THE COURT: On the other hand, I can't go along with the government's recommendation. I mean, I know you had a little misunderstanding with Mr. Weintraub early on, but he's one of the best defense lawyers I've ever had come into my courtroom. He's made every single argument. He's been right there for you. He knows the Guidelines. He knows the implications for you. You could not have had better representation, and I think by now you know that.

(End of Excerpt)