

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
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 Plaintiff, )  
 )  
 v. )  
 )  
 THOMAS WISHER, )  
 )  
 Defendant. )

Crim. No. 17-45-LPS-1

**ORDER**

At Wilmington this **18th** day of **May, 2020**:

Having reviewed Defendant Thomas Wisher’s April 14, 2020 letter regarding early release (D.I. 160), which the Court construes as a motion for release and in which Defendant states (among other things) “this coronavirus-covid-19 pandemic is the reason for this letter,” and having considered the government’s responsive letters of April 23 (D.I. 162) and May 1, 2020 (D.I. 165), IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Wisher’s motion (D.I. 160) is DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE to renew after exhausting his administrative remedies within the Bureau of Prisons. *See United States v. Raia*, 2020 WL 1647922, at \*2 (3d Cir. Apr. 2, 2020) (calling failure to meet exhaustion requirement of 18 U.S.C. Section 3582(c)(1)(A) a “glaring roadblock foreclosing compassionate release”).

  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE