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The Honorable Margo K. Brodie  
United States District Judge  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: In re Order Requiring Apple Inc. to  
Assist in the Execution of a Search Warrant  
Docket Nos. 15-MC-1902, 14-CR-387

Dear Judge Brodie:

The government respectfully submits this letter to update the Court and the parties. Yesterday evening, an individual provided the passcode to the iPhone at issue in this case. Late last night, the government used that passcode by hand and gained access to the iPhone. Accordingly, the government no longer needs Apple's assistance to unlock the iPhone, and withdraws its application.

Respectfully submitted,

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