U.S. DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

Miscellaneous Order No. 26

Petition for Disclosure of Presentence or Probation Records

No confidential records of this Court maintained by the Probation Office, including presentence and probation supervision records, shall be sought by any applicant except by written petition to this Court establishing with particularity the need for specific information in the records.

When a demand for disclosure of presentence and probation records is made, by way of subpoena or other judicial process, to a probation officer of this Court, the probation officer may file a petition seeking instruction from the Court with respect to responding to the subpoena.

Whenever a probation officer is subpoenaed for such records, he shall petition this Court in writing for authority to release documentary records or produce testimony with respect to such confidential court information. In either event, no disclosure shall be made except upon an order issued by this Court.

These procedures shall not apply when a presentence report is to be furnished the defendant and his attorney prior to sentencing or re-sentencing, or prior to a hearing on motion to revoke probation or term of supervised release.

ENTERED this 1st day of June.

BAREFOOT SANDERS
Chief Judge
Northern District of Texas