UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA WEST PALM BEACH DIVISION

CASE NO. 23-80101-CR-CANNON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

DONALD J. TRUMP and WALTINE NAUTA,

Defendants.

ORDER GRANTING UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR PRETRIAL CONFERENCE PURSUANT TO SECTION 2 OF THE CLASSIFIED INFORMATION PROCEDURES ACT

THIS CAUSE comes before the Court upon the Government's Motion for a Pretrial Conference Pursuant to the Classified Information Procedures Act (the "Motion") [ECF No. 32], filed on June 23, 2023. The Motion requests that the Court schedule a "pretrial conference to consider matters relating to classified information that may arise in connection with the prosecution" pursuant to Section 2 of the Classified Information Procedures Act ("CIPA") [ECF No. 32 p. 2 (quoting 18 U.S.C. app. 3 § 2)]. The Motion also requests the appointment of a Classified Information Security Officer ("CISO"), to be designated in a sealed order, "to assist the Court, Court personnel, and the defense in the handling of any motions and orders pursuant to CIPA" [ECF No. 32 p. 2]. Defendants do not oppose the relief requested [ECF No. 32 p. 2 n.1]. Following review, the Court **GRANTS** the Government's request for a Section 2 CIPA hearing and for the appointment of a CISO as indicated below. The Court expresses no view on the other matters addressed in the Government's Motion.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED and ADJUDGED** as follows:

- The Government's Motion for a Pretrial Conference Pursuant to the Classified Information Procedures Act [ECF No. 32] is GRANTED.
- A pretrial conference pursuant to Section 2 of the CIPA is scheduled for July 14, 2023,
 10:00 A.M. in the Fort Pierce Division. Defendants are not required to be present.
- The Government's additional request to appoint a CISO is GRANTED, with a CISO to be designated by separate sealed order.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers in Fort Pierce, Florida, this 26th day of June 2023.

AILEEN M. CANNON UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

cc: counsel of record