

1 CRIMINAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
 2 COUNTY OF QUEENS: AR3

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4 THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

5 - against -

DOCKET No.:
 CR-042168-24QN

6 HAROLD THOMAS,

7 Defendant.

8 - - - - -X ARRAIGNMENT

9 125-01 Queens Boulevard
 10 Kew Gardens, New York 11415
 11 December 7, 2024

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13 B E F O R E:

14 THE HONORABLE EDWARD DANIELS
 15 Presiding Judge.

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18 A P P E A R A N C E S:

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20 FOR THE PEOPLE:
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 22 DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF QUEENS COUNTY
 23 125-01 Queens Boulevard
 24 Kew Gardens, New York 11415
 25 BY: JOHN ROQUE, ESQ.
 ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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27 FOR THE DEFENDANT:
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 29 120-46 Queens Boulevard
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 31 BY: RANDY L. T. JACOBS, ESQ.

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34 ALEXANDRA BOUREKAS
 35 Official Court Reporter

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1 COURT OFFICER: CR docket ending 168, Harold
2 Thomas. Defendant is charged with penal law 195.05 and
3 other charges. Counsel, waive the reading of the rights
4 and charges but not the rights thereunder?

5 MR. JACOBS: So waived. Legal Aid Society by
6 Randy L. T. Jacobs.

7 THE COURT: People, is there an offer of
8 recommendation on this case?

9 MR. ROQUE: Judge, we're serving Vienna Convention
10 Notice and moving for an ACD.

11 MR. JACOBS: We join in the application with a
12 three-month seal.

13 THE COURT: Mr. Thomas, your lawyer tells me that
14 you're interested in an adjournment in contemplation of
15 dismissal. If you don't get arrested for the next six
16 months, this case will automatically be dismissed and
17 sealed.

18 MR. JACOBS: Three months.

19 THE COURT: Three months?

20 MR. JACOBS: Yes.

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THE COURT: Is that correct, People?

MR. ROQUE: That's correct.

THE COURT: So, if you don't get arrested for the next three months, with the consent of the People, this matter will be dismissed and sealed. ACD, 170.55, granted.

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Certified to be a true and accurate transcript of the above proceedings.



ALEXANDRA BOUREKAS

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