

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

UNITED STATES,	:	
	:	CRIMINAL CASE NUMBER:
v.	:	
	:	3:14-cr-55 (VLB)
OSCAR VALENTIN, et al.,	:	
<i>Defendants.</i>	:	March 25, 2016

**MEMORANDUM OF DECISION**

On October 7, 2014, Pagan filed a pro se motion, alleging that: (1) the Government had not provided all the discovery evidence; (2) defense counsel told Pagan that he would not be released on bail unless he had a million dollars and a castle; and (3) Pagan wants an earlier trial date because the current date violates his speedy trial rights. ECF No. 37. The motion uses the word “sever,” but Pagan raises no arguments concerning severance. *Id.*

As an initial matter, individual defendants, even in criminal cases, may not file pro se motions when they are represented by counsel. *Mitchell v. Senkowski*, 489 F.Supp.2d 147, 149 (N.D.N.Y. 2006) (citing cases). The requests also lack an arguable basis in law or fact. As to discovery, Pagan does not identify the missing discovery, and the Government does not have a generalized obligation to disclose everything in its possession. See Fed. R. Crim. P. 16 (addressing discovery and inspection in criminal cases). As to bail, Pagan conceded detention, and Magistrate Judge Martinez granted the Government’s motion for detention. ECF Nos. 12 (Mot.); 14 (Min. Entry). Pagan has not subsequently contested detention for which there is a rebuttable presumption in cases where,

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**Dated at Hartford, Connecticut: March 25, 2016**