

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

Alexandria Division

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 1:10cv765
)	
ISHMAEL JONES,)	
<i>a pen name</i>)	
)	
Defendant.)	
_____)	

ORDER

Upon consideration of the government’s motion for a protective order (no. 51) and the briefs and arguments of counsel, the court finds that the arguments advanced by the government are correct in the circumstances of this case, including the unavailability of the unclean hands doctrine against the government in the circumstances presented.

The motion is accordingly GRANTED.

All discovery demands heretofore served by defendant are QUASHED, and defendant is prohibited from serving other discovery demands.

The government’s proposed discovery plan (no. 47) shall govern discovery unless hereafter modified by the court.

ENTERED this 4th day of November, 2011.

/s/
Thomas Rawles Jones, Jr.
United States Magistrate Judge

Alexandria, Virginia