IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) CR. NO. 11-00952 DAE
Plaintiff,)
vs.))
CHICO MARTINES, (02))
Defendant.)
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COURT'S JURY INSTRUCTIONS

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Court District of Hawaii
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EXHIBIT_!

Rastafarianism is a recognized religion and marijuana operates as a sacrament and plays a necessary and central role in the practice of Rastafarianism.

A Rastafarian's personal possession and use of marijuana is a valid religious defense to possession of marijuana. The defendant has presented evidence that he is a practicing Rastafarian and that in accordance with his religious beliefs, he possessed marijuana for sacramental use. It is solely for you to determine whether a defendant's religious beliefs are sincerely held.

A Rastafarian's personal possession of marijuana for use in his religion is not a defense to the crime of possession of marijuana with intent to distribute. It is not a defense to the crime of conspiracy to manufacture (cultivate) marijuana plants with intent to distribute.