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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff-Appellee, v. MICHAEL LACEY; et al., Defendants-Appellants.	No. 22-10000 D.C. Nos. 2:18-cr-00422-DJH-1 2:18-cr-00422-DJH-2 2:18-cr-00422-SMB-3 2:18-cr-00422-SMB-4 2:18-cr-00422-SMB-6 2:18-cr-00422-SMB-7 2:18-cr-00422-SMB District of Arizona, Phoenix ORDER

Before: CANBY, BERZON, and BENNETT, Circuit Judges.

Appellee's motion to dismiss or summarily affirm this appeal (Docket Entry No. 2) is denied without prejudice to renewal of the motion for summary affirmance following the submission of appellants' opening brief.

Appellee's motion to expedite the briefing schedule is granted in part. Appellants' opening brief and excerpts of record are due March 14, 2022; appellee's answering brief is due April 13, 2022; and the optional reply brief is due within 21 days after service of the answering brief.

No streamlined extensions of time will be approved. *See* 9th Cir. R. 31-2.2(a)(1). No written motions for extensions of time under Ninth Circuit Rule 31-2.2(b) will be granted absent extraordinary and compelling circumstances.

This appeal will be placed on the next available calendar after the completion of briefing.