United States Court of Appeals

FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

No. 04-1176

September Term, 2003

Keith Ellis, Filed

On: September 1, 2004 [845818]
Petitioner

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Drug Enforcement Administration,
Respondent

ON PETITION FOR REVIEW OF AN ORDER OF THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION

BEFORE: Ginsburg, Chief Judge, and Sentelle and Garland,

Circuit Judges

JUDGMENT

Upon consideration of the petition for review, it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the petition for review be denied. Setting aside that petitioner's argument concerning the invalidity of the criminal statutes under which he was convicted is completely meritless, the DEA is not authorized to provide the relief that petitioner seeks, and he must challenge his convictions through a motion to vacate his sentence filed in the sentencing court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255.

Pursuant to D.C. Circuit Rule 36, this disposition will not be published. The Clerk is directed to withhold issuance of the mandate herein until seven days after resolution of any timely petition for rehearing or petition for rehearing en banc. <u>See</u> Fed. R. App. P. 41(b); D.C. Cir. Rule 41.

Per Curiam