IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 10-40014-JTM

RITO VASQUEZ-GARCIA,

Defendant.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

Before the court is defendant Rito Vasquez-Garcia's *pro se* Motion for Evidentiary Hearing (Dkt. 203). Defendant requests an evidentiary hearing pursuant to specific Federal Rules of Evidence pertaining to the admissibility of character evidence.

"[W]hen defendants have the assistance of counsel, courts need not consider any filings made *pro se.*" *United States v. Sandoval-De Lao*, 283 F. App'x 621, 625 (10th Cir. 2008); *accord United States v. Bennett*, 539 F.2d 45, 49 (10th Cir. 1976). Defendant is represented by counsel and his *pro se* motion is unintelligible. Therefore, the court will not consider the motion.

IT IS ACCORDINGLY ORDERED this 5th day of March, 2015, that defendant's Motion (Dkt. 203) is DENIED.

s\ <u>J. Thomas Marten</u>
J. THOMAS MARTEN, JUDGE