

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS 219 SOUTH DEARBORN STREET CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60604

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January 14, 2022

Dear Courthouse Occupants:

One individual who was recently in our Dirksen Courthouse has tested positive for COVID-19. This person was last in the courthouse on Thursday, January 13, and was on the 11th and 24th floors of the courthouse.

This individual was adhering to the masking and social distance requirements. Persons who had contact with them have been notified, and GSA has taken steps to clean the spaces.

I urge you, as always, to maintain social distance, wear a mask when in any public setting, wash your hands frequently, and sign up for a booster if you have not already done so. If you get symptoms, please do your best to get tested. Note that since Wednesday, and continuing on business days from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., SHIELD (saliva-based) testing is available to the public in our lobby. Here is a link to the SHIELD portal, should you want to sign up for a test. Thank you again.

Yours truly,

Rebecca R. Pallmeyer Chief District Judge

Chair, Dirksen Courthouse Building Security

Committee