

CHAMBERS OF REBECCA R. PALLMEYER

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

312-435-5600

November 9, 2022

Dear Dirksen Courthouse:

Three individuals have tested positive for COVID-19. Two individuals were last in the building on November 7, 2022. One individual visited the 4th floor and the other individual visited the 16th, 26th, 27th, and 28th floors. The third individual was last in the building on November 8, 2022, and visited the 2nd and 10th floors.

As you know, we are lifting some of our restrictions early in December. Whether that decision was a good one will depend, in part, on continued diligent efforts to combat this virus and other respiratory illnesses. If you haven't done so already and you're eligible, get your flu shot and a COVID-19 vaccine booster. The vaccines are still critically important. Wash your hands. Stay home if you have any symptoms and be cautious about public gatherings; consider testing before you have contact with vulnerable people. Thanks for all you are doing to stay healthy.

Yours truly,

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Rebecca R. Pallmeyer Chief District Judge