



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

**CHAMBERS OF  
REBECCA R. PALLMEYER**

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January 9, 2023

Dear Friends and Colleagues:

One individual has tested positive for COVID-19. This individual was last in the building on January 5, 2023 on the 16th and 27th floors. Appropriate individuals have been notified.

I think it was Billy Wilder who said, "If you're going to tell people the truth, be funny or they'll kill you." This is a frightening thought, because the truth is that COVID, RSV, and the flu are hanging around, and that's not funny. Have courage, team! And please do wash your hands, mask up in public settings, and get a booster. Continue to do your best. That's all we can ask.

Yours truly,

Rebecca R. Pallmeyer  
Chief District Judge  
Chair, Dirksen Courthouse Building Security  
Committee