



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

**CHAMBERS OF
REBECCA R. PALLMEYER**

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August 29, 2022

Dear Dirksen Courthouse Occupants:

COVID-19 news: Two individuals have tested positive for COVID-19. One was last here on Friday, August 26, on the 3rd floor, the other last here on Thursday, August 25, on the 5th floor. Persons who had direct contact with both individuals have been notified. The General Services Administration will clean the impacted areas.

I will continue to notify you when we learn of persons who have tested positive. The virus lives on, which is frustrating. But we are learning to live with it safely, thanks to the efforts all of you have made to keep things safe.

We have already made some changes in courthouse COVID protocols, and I am hopeful that I will be able to announce other changes soon, as well. Best wishes to all of us.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Rebecca R. Pallmeyer". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Rebecca R. Pallmeyer
Chief District Judge