



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

**CHAMBERS OF  
REBECCA R. PALLMEYER**

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Dear Roszkowski Courthouse Occupants:

I have learned an employee/contractor who was last in the Roszkowski Courthouse on Tuesday, December 21, 2021 has tested positive for COVID-19. This individual was wearing a face covering and maintaining appropriate distancing while in the building. Other persons who had direct contact with this individual have been notified, and the General Services Administration will clean the impacted areas.

Please continue your efforts to stay healthy and safe by wearing masks, social distancing, hand-washing, vaccines, boosters. Note that persons who are fully vaccinated and have received the boosters can nevertheless contract COVID-19, as the Omicron variant is very easily transmitted—but fully-vaccinated individuals are experiencing milder and shorter infections. There is every reason to get vaccinated and get a booster if you have not done so already. And if you can, get tested before gathering with others.

Yours truly,

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