UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

V. * Case No. 1:21-CR-623-2 (CRC)

KIRSTYN NIEMELA

UNOPPOSED MOTION TO APPEAR REMOTELY FOR PRETRIAL

NOW COMES the Defendant, Kirstyn Niemela, by and through counsel, Richard Monteith and Paul Garrity, and moves this Court for authorization for the Defendant and counsels to appear remotely for the January 17, 2023 Pretrial Hearing.

In support thereof, Ms. Niemela states as follows:

- Ms. Niemela is scheduled for a Pretrial on January 17, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. in Courtroom 27A. Jury Trial is scheduled for January 23, 2023.
- An in-person Pretrial Hearing requires the Defendant and her counsel to fly down to Washington D.C. in order to appear in-person. The undersigned counsels are court appointed to represent Ms. Niemela, who is indigent.
- 3. The undersigned counsels assert that they are able to effectively represent Ms. Niemela and appear remotely for the schedule Pretrial Hearing. Furthermore, it would be cost efficient for all parties if the undersigned counsels and Ms. Niemela appear remotely for the January 17, 2023 Pretrial Hearing.
- The US Attorney's Office has been contacted and does not oppose the Court granting this
 motion.
- 5. Counsel submits that the requested relief would be in the interest of justice.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Richard F. Monteith and Paul J. Garrity, herein certify that on this 3rd day of January, 2023, a copy of the within was e-filed for all parties involved and mailed, postage pre-paid, to Kirstyn Niemela.

Date: January 4, 2023 /s/ Paul J. Garrity
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