

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

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Defendant.  
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**ORDER REGARDING USE OF VIDEO OR TELECONFERENCING FOR  
FELONY PLEAS AND/OR SENTENCINGS**

In accordance with the General Order issued on March 30, 2020, this Court finds:

\_\_\_\_\_ That the Defendant (or the Juvenile) has consented to the use of video teleconferencing/teleconferencing to conduct the proceeding(s) held today, after consultation with counsel; and

\_\_\_\_\_ That the proceeding(s) to be held today cannot be further delayed without serious harm to the interests of justice, for the following specific reasons:

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Accordingly, the proceeding(s) held on this date may be conducted by:

\_\_\_\_\_ Video Teleconferencing

\_\_\_\_\_ Teleconferencing, because video teleconferencing is not reasonably available for the following reason:

\_\_\_\_\_ The Defendant (or the Juvenile) is detained at a facility lacking video teleconferencing capability.

\_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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