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for the

MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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PRESS RELEASE

Donald J. Trump for President, Inc., et al v. Boockvar, et al. 4:20-cv-2078

The Court will hear oral argument on **Tuesday, November 17, 2020 at 1:30 p.m.** in Courtroom No. 1, Fourth Floor, United States Courthouse and Federal Building, Williamsport, PA 17701.

Remote access to live audio of the hearing will be available. The call-in information will be posted to the court's website on Monday, November 16, 2020 at 3:00 P.M. Be advised there is a maximum of 4000 connections, access will begin at 1:00 P.M. The prohibition on recording or rebroadcast applies to telephone access to hearings as well as in-person.

Due to considerations regarding COVID-19, the main courtroom is limited to the attorneys of record.

There are enhanced entrance screening protocols because of COVID-19 that might slow down your entry. Please familiarize yourself with the Middle District of Pennsylvania's masking and other safety protocols.

<https://www.pamd.uscourts.gov/sites/pamd/files/general-ordes/2020-25.pdf>

Auxiliary locations have been set up in the courthouse for the convenience of the public to view the hearing via live stream. Again, seating in these locations is limited as to social distancing considerations.

The jury assembly room on the second floor has been designated as a press room. Members of the press who display credentials are invited to watch the live stream from this designated location. It is anticipated that 40 individuals can be accommodated within social distancing protocols. The use of personal devices in the media room is limited to cell phones, laptops, etc. Examples of allowable use would include phone calls and written communications such as notes, tweets, texts and emails. **ANY AUDIO OR VIDEO RECORDING IS BANNED FROM ANYWHERE, INCLUDING THE MEDIA ROOM. VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECT TO SANCTIONS.** Video and audio broadcast are also prohibited.

Interested parties are advised that the Williamsport courthouse does not have public Wi-Fi.

Personal devices are allowed in the Courthouse subject to the MDPA Electronic Device Policy. <https://www.pamd.uscourts.gov/sites/pamd/files/general-ordes/05-3.pdf>

The press and public alike are advised that the proceedings may not be recorded or otherwise broadcast for public dissemination.

All protocols previously set forth are subject to change by the Court, United States Marshal, and the Federal Protective Service.

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