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NOTICE OF ORAL ARGUMENT

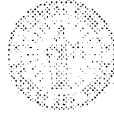
Dear Counsel:

Your case has been set for oral argument in the Supreme Court of New Mexico as reflected on the attached oral argument calendar. In the event of inclement weather, please check the local news outlets for notice of any delays or closures for the Supreme Court Building. If the building is closed, your argument will be rescheduled. If the Court is on a two-hour delay, morning arguments will begin ninety minutes later and afternoon arguments will remain on the original schedule.

Unless otherwise noted on the attached calendar or ordered by the Court, the time allotted to each side for oral argument will be in accordance with Rule 12-319(E) NMRA. Please note that there is room to seat up to four attorneys per side at counsel's tables. Only attorneys of record are permitted to sit at counsel's tables except in disciplinary cases and BBE matters. In those cases, the respondent may also sit at counsel's table. Nonparties and parties in all other cases are only permitted to sit at counsel's table at the discretion of the Clerk of Court. Members of the public may view oral arguments in the courtroom or at two video overflow sites in the Supreme Court Building. Additionally, all oral arguments are livestreamed through the Court's website.

The use of exhibits or other demonstrative aids is governed by Rule 12-319(F) NMRA. If you intend to file a motion under Rule 12-319(F), please do so well in advance of—and no later than five (5) business days ahead of—oral argument and indicate whether opposing counsel concurs in your use of the proposed material. If the Court grants your motion, any material that needs to be distributed to the Justices for oral argument must be provided directly to the Clerk's Office upon the granting of the motion. A copy must be given to opposing counsel, and our office will distribute the material to each Justice seated at the bench.

Because parking around the Supreme Court Building is limited, please plan to arrive early to find parking and go through security. On the day of your argument, you must check in at the Clerk's Office at least fifteen (15) minutes before the start of your argument.



Please confirm receipt of this notice at least two weeks before the date of your oral argument by sending an email to nmsupremecourtclerk@nmcourts.gov. At the same time, please also provide (1) the name(s) of the attorney(s) presenting argument for your side, (2) the names of any attorneys who intend to sit at counsel's table, and (3) information regarding how your side intends to split the time allocated for your oral argument (including any rebuttal time), if applicable.

Thank you for your cooperation, and please do not hesitate to contact our office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth A. Garcia
Chief Clerk of Court

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Chief Deputy Clerk of Court

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ORAL ARGUMENT CALENDAR
NOVEMBER 21, 2023

ORAL ARGUMENT WILL BE HEARD IN THE FOLLOWING CASE

CALL OF THE DOCKET FOR THE FOLLOWING CASE IS 9:30 A.M.
COUNSEL SHOULD CHECK IN WITH THE CLERK'S OFFICE BEFORE 9:30 A.M.

CERTIFICATION FROM NM COURT OF APPEALS:

NO. S-1-SC-40146

**REPUBLICAN PARTY OF NEW MEXICO,
DAVID GALLEGOS, TIMOTHY JENNINGS,
DINAH VARGAS, MANUEL GONZALES,
JR., BOBBY KIMBRO, DEANN DIMBRO,
and PEARL GARCIA,**

Plaintiffs-Appellants,

v.

**MAGGIE TOULOUSE OLIVER, in her
official capacity as New Mexico Secretary
of State, MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM, in
her official capacity as Governor of New
Mexico, HOWIE MORALES, in his official
capacity as New Mexico Lieutenant Governor
and President of New Mexico Senate, MIMI
STEWART, in her official capacity as President
Pro Tempore of the New Mexico Senate, and
JAVIER MARTINEZ, in his official capacity
as Speaker of the New Mexico House of
Representatives,**

Defendants-Appellees.

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