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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR HARDIN COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,

PLAINTIFF,

vs.

DEAN EDWARD HILPIPRE ,

DEFENDANT.

Case No. 02421 FECR310703

ORDER

The defense filed an objection to expanded media coverage. Subsequently defense counsel advised the Court by e-mail message that the defense waives a hearing on the objection. The State has filed pleadings indicating it waives a hearing and takes no position on the request for expanded media coverage.

The Court shares the concerns raised by defense counsel in his objection. However, the Court believes that the Hardin County Sheriff has made suitable arrangements to prevent disruptive actions and hostile actions against the defendant, and the Court intends to promptly address any problems in the courtroom. However, the Court does not believe the presence of media will cause any further problems than already may exist. Therefore, the Court overrules the defense objections and FINDS that the request for expanded media coverage should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The defense objection to the media coordinator's request for expanded media coverage is denied.
2. The media coordinator's request for expanded media coverage is granted.

3. The hearing scheduled for February 21, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. is canceled.

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So Ordered

James A. McGlynn, District Court Judge,
Second Judicial District of Iowa

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