



# *media alert*

Colorado Judicial Branch  
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**TO: Media interested in 12CR1522 (People v. James Holmes)**  
**FROM: Rob McCallum, public information officer**  
**RE: Hearing on Motion C-134 (Expanded Media Coverage), Monday, Sept. 22, 2014, at 9 a.m.**

A hearing on motion C-134 (Expanded Media Coverage) will take place Monday, Sept. 22, 2014, at 9 a.m. The hearing will be held in **Courthouse 1, Courtroom 201**, of the Arapahoe County Justice Center (7325 S. Potomac St., Centennial, CO 80112). Chief Judge Carlos A. Samour, Jr. will preside.

**SEATING:**

For this hearing 40 seats are allocated to news media in Courtroom 201. Members of the media consortium will decide which organizations will have seats in the courtroom and how to disseminate news from the courtroom to organizations that did not get a seat.

The media consortium will provide the seating list for Courtroom 201 by noon, Friday, Sept. 19, 2014. We will make up badges for reporters who will be in Courtroom 201. **Those reporters should pick up their badges in the lobby of Courthouse 1 no later than 8:30 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 22.** Registration will begin at 7:45 a.m. and will last 45 minutes. In the event any credentials are not picked up, those seats will be given away on a first-come, first-served basis at 8:30 a.m. Be ready to show a valid media credential.

**EXPANDED MEDIA COVERAGE (EMC) AND HALLWAY CAMERAS:**

This is docketed as a motion hearing, as such cameras will not be allowed in the courtroom.

**HALLWAY CAMERA POLICY:** One video camera with audio, one still camera and one audio engineer (if necessary) will be permitted to operate on the second floor of the Courthouse. Standard pooling arrangements apply.

The media consortium will provide a list with up to 3 names for the people responsible for the pool imaging and audio on the second floor of the courthouse. The media consortium will provide that list by noon, Friday, Sept. 19, 2014.

**OUTDOOR CAMERA STAGING AREA:**

Cameras may be placed within the designated areas.

**SKETCH ARTIST:**

One sketch artist identified by the media consortium will be allowed in the courtroom for the hearing and will occupy one of the 40 media seats. If the sketch artist will not be present for this hearing,

that media credential may be used by another media outlet/representative. Please confirm if a sketch artist will be attending.

**DECORUM ORDER AND DOCUMENTS:**

**Laptops, phones and other electronic devices will not be allowed in the courtroom.**

The Court's decorum order and all other publicly available case documents are available at [http://www.courts.state.co.us/Courts/District/Cases\\_of\\_Interest.cfm?District\\_ID=18](http://www.courts.state.co.us/Courts/District/Cases_of_Interest.cfm?District_ID=18)

**SATELLITE TRUCK PARKING:**

Once again, parking in the lot at the Arapahoe County Justice Center will be limited, but space still will be reserved for satellite trucks and vans on a first-come, first-served basis

**OTHER:**

The courthouse opens at 7:30 a.m. daily. Courtroom 201 will open approximately 30 minutes before the start of the hearing.

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