

Supreme Court
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State of New York



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JUDGE OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
SUPREME COURT CRIMINAL TERM
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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Via Email

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Re: *People v. Trump*, Ind. No. 71543-2023

Dear Counsel:

Today, the Court became aware of a comment that was posted on the Unified Court System's public Facebook page and which I now bring to your attention. In the comment, the user, "Michael Anderson," states:

"My cousin is a juror and says Trump is getting convicted 🎉 Thank you folks for all your hard work!!!! ❤️."

The comment, now labeled as one week old, responded to a routine UCS notice, posted on May 29, 2024, regarding oral arguments in the Fourth Department of the Appellate Division unrelated to this proceeding. The posting, entitled "The Appellate Division, Fourth Department, will hear oral

arguments this morning at 10," and the comment are both viewable at
<https://www.facebook.com/NewYorkCourts/>.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Juan M. Merchan".

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Acting Justice Supreme Court