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Hon. Eric R. Komitee
United States District Judge
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201
Courtroom: 6G North

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Re: Edmondson, et al. v. Raniere, et al., 1:20-CV-00485-EK-CLP

Hon. Eric R. Komitee:

The next Status Conference is scheduled for February 17, 2021. I am asking if I may attend the Status Conference remotely via teleconference or by videoconference. I live in central Iowa and travel to the court will incur substantial expense in time and money for me and my family (over \$1000 for travel, expenses, and accommodations). I can share with you my current finances if necessary. The malicious allegations within this suit significantly contributed to the difficulty I experience finding and keeping gainful employment and financially supporting my family.

Respectfully,

/s/ Brandon B. Porter

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Cc: All Counsel by ECF