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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MOHAVE

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COURT NOTICE/ORDER/RULING

STATE OF ARIZONA,
Plaintiff,
vs.
CASSLYN MAE WELCH,
Defendant.

No. CR-2010-00821

STATE OF ARIZONA,
Plaintiff,
vs.
JOHN CHARLES MCCLUSKEY,
Defendant.

No. CR-2010-00823

Counsel for KPNX Broadcasting Company has filed a Motion for Reconsideration of October 14, 2010 Minute Entry Denying Camera Coverage Request. As of this date this issue has been raised only regarding the cases of these 2 Defendants and no other co-Defendant whose case is now or will be pending in this jurisdiction. The Court has reviewed the authorities cited in the above pleading. The issue is not whether a jurisdiction can legally impose a blanket ban of televising all court proceedings or whether granting a request to televise proceedings will cause reversible error in any particular case. The issue is whether an individual judge in a specific case has the authority under Rule 122 to deny a request to televise court proceedings based upon specific findings. The Court has considered the request to televise these proceedings and has entered an Order denying that request for specific reasons set forth in the Order. The Court understands that KPNX disagrees



with its conclusions. The Court believes, however, that it has properly exercised its discretion afforded under Rule 122. Nothing in the Motion for Reconsideration convinces the Court to revisit the previous exercise of its discretion.

IT IS ORDERED denying the Motion for Reconsideration and affirming the Court's Order dated October 14, 2010.

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