UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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Case No. 1:21-cr-575 (JDB)

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DAVID JOHN LESPERANCE, CASEY CUSICK, and JAMES VARNELL

CUSICK, JR.,

:

Defendants.

v.

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UNITED STATES' NOTICE REGARDING RECENT SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS

The United States of America, by and through its attorney, the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia, respectfully submits this notice to inform the Court of certain recent Twitter posts in which an account seemingly associated with defense counsel John M. Pierce made apparent threats against Department of Justice personnel handling cases arising out of the January 6 attack on the United States Capitol. The tweets, which are attached to this notice as Exhibits 1, 2, and 3, were posted on July 27, 2023.

July 28, 2023 Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT 1



EXHIBIT 2



EXHIBIT 3

