



March 3, 2023

Senior Judge Claude M. Hilton
Albert V. Bryan US Courthouse
401 Courthouse Square
Alexandria, VA 22314

Reference: USA v. Assange - Julian Paul Assange No. 1:18-cr-111

Dear Judge Hilton,

I respectfully request this message to the Department of Justice today be added to my request to be added as co-defendant to the prosecution of Julian Paul Assange under the Espionage Act. See Filing 49.

I have made the same request to the US Department of Justice on March 3, 2023 as indicated by the attached documents.

Sincerely,

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