

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

MJ-51\_\_\_\_\_-CR-  
CP-01-CR-

VS.

**CONSENT TO PROCEEDING UNDER RULE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE 119**

Rule 119. Use of Two-Way Simultaneous Audio-Visual Communication in Criminal Proceedings

- (A) The court or issuing authority may use two-way simultaneous audio-visual communication at any criminal proceeding except:
- (1) preliminary hearings;
  - (2) proceedings pursuant to Rule 569(A)(2)(b);
  - (3) proceedings pursuant to Rules 595 and 597;
  - (4) trials;
  - (5) sentencing hearings;
  - (6) parole, probation and intermediate punishment revocation hearings, and;
  - (7) any proceeding in which the defendant has a constitutional or statutory right to be physically present.
- (B) The defendant may consent to any proceeding being conducted using two-way simultaneous audio-visual communication.
- (C) When counsel for the defendant is present, the defendant must be permitted to communicate fully and confidentially with defense counsel immediately prior to and during the proceeding.

**CONSENT**

**Following the review of Rule 119 of the Criminal Rules of Procedure, I do hereby consent, and therefore request, that my criminal proceeding be conducted through the use of two-way simultaneous audio-visual communication.**

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**Print Name**

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**Signature**

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**Date**

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**Court Proceeding Date**

**Please sign and date this consent and return it to your attorney immediately. Failure to do so will result in your proceeding not being conducted by two-way audio-visual communication.**