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1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

3 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

New York, N.Y.

4 v.

20 Cr. 330 (AJN)

5 GHISLAINE MAXWELL,

6 Defendant.

7 -----x Teleconference

8 Arraignment
9 Bail Hearing

10 July 14, 2020
11 3:05 p.m.

12 Before:

13 HON. ALISON J. NATHAN,

14 District Judge

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1 she believes she risks prison, she will never come back. If
2 she is out, I need to be protected. I personally know her
3 international connections that would allow her to go anywhere
4 in the world and disappear at a moment's notice or make others
5 disappear if she needs to."

6 Your Honor, those are the words of Jane Doe.

7 THE COURT: All right. Thank you.

8 [REDACTED] would you indicate how the victim who wishes
9 to be heard should be recognized?

10 [REDACTED] Yes, your Honor.

11 The government has been informed through the victim's
12 counsel that the victim wishes to speak in her true name, which
13 is [REDACTED]

14 THE COURT: All right. I will ask my staff to please
15 unmute [REDACTED]

16 [REDACTED] Can you hear me, your Honor?

17 THE COURT: I can, [REDACTED] You may proceed.

18 [REDACTED] Thank you. I appreciate the opportunity
19 to speak.

20 I met Ghislaine Maxwell when I was 16 years old. She
21 is a sexual predator who groomed and abused me and countless
22 other children and youngwomen. She has never shown any
23 remorse for her heinous crimes, for the devastating, lasting
24 effects her actions caused. Instead, she has lied under oath
25 and tormented her survivors.

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1 The danger Maxwell must be taken seriously. She has
2 associates across the globe, some of great means.

3 She also has demonstrated contempt for our legal
4 system by committing perjury, all of which indicate to me that
5 she is a significant flight risk.

6 We may never know how many people were victimized by
7 Ghislaine Maxwell, but those of us who survived implore this
8 court to detain her until she is forced to stand trial and
9 answer for her crimes.

10 Thank you, your Honor.

11 THE COURT: Thank you, [REDACTED] All right.

12 And, [REDACTED] is the government aware of any other
13 victims who are entitled to -- alleged victims who are entitled
14 to and wish to be heard at this proceeding?

15 [REDACTED] No, your Honor. Thank you.

16 THE COURT: And, [REDACTED] again, just to confirm,
17 because there was allusion in the statements of the victims to
18 fear and danger, the government is not seeking the court to
19 make any findings regarding danger to the community in coming
20 to its ultimate conclusion regarding pretrial detention,
21 correct?

22 [REDACTED] That's correct, your Honor.

23 THE COURT: All right. [REDACTED] anything further
24 before I hear from Mr. Cohen?

25 [REDACTED] No, your Honor. Thank you very much.

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