



Mark Reynolds

**IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO
NOTICE OF ORAL ARGUMENT**

DATE and TIME: Friday, March 6, 2026 at 11:00 a.m.

No. A-1-CA-41901

STATE OF NEW MEXICO,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

MONIQUE MARTINEZ,

Defendant-Appellant.

***PANEL: Judge Duffy, Judge Yohalem, and Judge Baca**

***Court of Appeals' panel members are listed in seniority order.**

Panels may be changed without notice.

**Oral Argument will be held in the Court of Appeals Courtroom, Room 119, 237
Don Gaspar, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501.**

In addition to relying on the arguments and authorities cited in the parties' briefs, the panel asks counsel to be prepared to discuss at oral argument both the views of the majority opinion and of the dissent in *State v. Renick*, A-1-CA-36319 (Nov. 18, 2019) concerning the central issue in this case: the proper scope of expert opinion testimony offered by the prosecution and the defense to aid the jury in distinguishing trafficking from personal use.

February 11, 2026

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Dated: _____

Attorney/Party Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

ATTENTION: REGARDING SETTLEMENT

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