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Lt. Watada General Court-Martial begins Oct. 9

FORT LEWIS, Wash. –The General Court-Martial case of U.S. vs. 1st Lt. Ehren K. Watada, is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. on October 9.

1st Lt. Watada is charged with one charge of missing movement, and one charge, with four specifications, of conduct unbecoming an officer. The maximum punishment is dismissal and confinement for six years.

Media wishing to cover the court-martial must provide the Public Affairs Office with their full name, media affiliation, phone number, cell phone number and e-mail address by 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 4 to be added to the media accreditation list. Media will need to show valid media credentials and will be required to sign media rules prior to being escorted to the event. (A copy is attached.) Video or audio recording equipment are not allowed in the court room, media overflow room or in the Staff Judge Advocate building.

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