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Oral Argument in People v. Darrel K. Harris

The Court of Appeals will hear oral arguments in People v. Darrel K. Harris, the first capital appeal brought under the 1995 death penalty law, on Monday, May 6. Harris was convicted of first-degree murder and sentenced to death in Supreme Court, Kings County, on July 21, 1998.

Arguments will begin at 10 a.m. and conclude at 4:15 p.m. There will be a 90 minute recess from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and a 30 minute recess from 3:15 to 3:45 p.m.

Due to the limited seating available in the courtroom, a live television broadcast of the arguments will be provided by the Office of General Services and the Office of Court Administration at two nearby sites:

- The Albany County Court House, 4th floor courtroom.
- The Empire State Plaza Convention Center, room no. 4.

The entire proceeding will also be available in an internet webcast beginning at 3 p.m. on the Court of Appeals web site: **www.courts.state.ny.us/ctapps**. The webcast will remain available for several months.