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Dear Mike: Jurors once selected should be in the court room. They can be spaced, behind plastic screens and wearing masks. Casinos have found this safe and acceptable for a far less important venture. I don't know of one trial attorney who thinks it is a good idea to open and close to a group of jurors(possibly distracted) on screens. This is especially unfair to a plaintiff who has to make a connection with a jury .If jurors are totally remote, we could be walking into many defense verdict which is the only thing worse than the short settlements you mention.

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