

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CRIMINAL DIVISION**

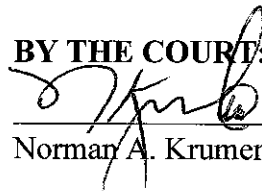
IN RE: NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER * Civ. Misc. No. 2020-1438
2020 CRIMINAL JURY SELECTION AND * Crim. No. CP-11-MD-0063-2020
RULE 600 CALCULATIONS * Supreme Ct Dkt. No. 36 WM 2020
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**EIGHTH SUPPLEMENTAL ADMINISTRATIVE
ORDER**

AND NOW, this 16th day of November 2020, due to the increase in COVID-19 cases in the County and across the Commonwealth, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, DIRECTED, AND DECREED AS FOLLOWS:**

- 1) To reduce exposure to COVID-19 by avoiding large groups, criminal jury selections scheduled for November and December 2020, are **CANCELLED**. Jury selection in cases originally scheduled for November or December will be rescheduled for February 2021, unless selection has already been rescheduled for January 2021.
- 2) As this postponement is caused by a judicial emergency related to the COVID-19 pandemic it shall be considered a court postponement and shall constitute excludable time as attributable to the judiciary for purposes of the application of Rule 600, subject to any applicable constitutional restrictions. Pa. R. Crim P. 600 cmt. ("Delay in the time for trial that is attributable to the judiciary may be excluded from the computation of time."). See also, Commonwealth v. Mills, 640 Pa. 118, 122, 162 A.3d 323, 325 (2017) (citing Commonwealth v. Bradford, 616 Pa. 122, 141, 46 A.3d 693, 705 (2012)) (under Rule 600 judicial delay may serve as a basis for extending the period of time within which the Commonwealth may commence trial if the court, because of scheduling difficulties or the like, is unavailable); Commonwealth v. Crowley, 502 Pa. 393, 466 A.2d 1009 (1983); Commonwealth v. Bethea, 185 A.3d 364 (Pa. Super. 2018).

BY THE COURT:


Norman A. Krumenacker, III, P.J.