

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

CIVIL DIVISION

IN RE:

27TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT)
DECLARATION OF JUDICIAL)
EMERGENCY)

No. 2020-1
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

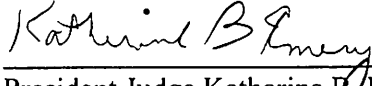
AND NOW, this 2nd day of April, 2020, pursuant to the Second Supplemental Order of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania in Nos. 531 and 532 of the Judicial Administration Docket, *In re: General Statewide Judicial Emergency*, dated April 1, 2020, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED as follows:

1. The Declaration of Judicial Emergency in the 27th Judicial District is extended through the close of business on May 1, 2020.
2. The Washington County Courthouse, Family Court Center, and all magisterial district courts shall remain CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC as to non-essential functions through the close of business on May 1, 2020.
3. Time calculations for the purposes of time computation relevant to court cases or other judicial business, as well as time deadlines, are suspended for the time period through May 1, 2020, consistent with the Orders of the Supreme Court at Nos. 531 and 532 of the Judicial Administration Docket. Any legal papers or pleadings which are required to be filed during the time period covered by the Declaration of Judicial Emergency (March 16 through May 1, 2020), SHALL BE DEEMED to have been timely filed if they are filed by the close of business on May 4, 2020.

4. Pennsylvania Rule of Criminal Procedure 600 is SUSPENDED for the duration of the Declaration of Judicial Emergency in accordance with the Orders of the Supreme Court at Nos. 531 and 532 of the Judicial Administration Docket.
5. All other provisions contained in the Administrative Orders issued by this Court at the above-captioned docket numbers that are not in conflict with this Order shall remain in full force and effect.

The District Court Administrator is DIRECTED to post a copy of this Order on all entry doors of the Washington County Courthouse and all magisterial district courts, and to post a copy on the Court's website at www.washingtoncourts.us. A copy of this Order shall also be transmitted to the Washington County Bar Association for distribution to its members.

BY THE COURT:


_____, P.J.
President Judge Katherine B. Emery