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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CRAWFORD COUNTY, PA

CIVIL DIVISION

IN RE: ACCESS TO JUDICIAL FACILITIES:
IN THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT :
DURING THE STATEWIDE JUDICIAL : No. AD 2020 - 189
EMERGENCY DECLARED ON MARCH 16, :
2020 ON ACCOUNT OF COVID-19 :

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 18

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT COURTS

AND NOW, **June 3, 2021**, pending further Order of Court, Administrative Order No. 10, issued May 1, 2020, is hereby AMENDED to read as follows, effective IMMEDIATELY:

I. ACCESS TO MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT COURTS

1. The general public shall have access to all Magisterial District Courts in the same manner as before the Declaration of Judicial Emergency on March 17, 2020, except that any person who has not been fully vaccinated must wear a mask in conformity with directives issued by the Governor of Pennsylvania through the Pennsylvania Department of Health;
2. All persons seeking access to Magisterial District Courts may be subject to such questioning, orally or in writing, as is necessary to determine if the person seeking access presents with symptoms commonly found among those diagnosed with the COVID-19 or other virus, or has recently been in contact with persons known to have been diagnosed with such viruses; and
3. Inmates at the Crawford County Correctional Facility will not be permitted access to Magisterial District Courts unless authorized by the Magisterial District Judge. All communications shall be by video conferencing or teleconferencing, except as authorized by the Magisterial District Judge.

II. GENERAL PRECAUTIONS AND ENFORCEMENT

All occupants of Magisterial District Courts shall comply with the following GENERAL PRECAUTIONS:

- a. Maintain social distancing, the extent of which is to be determined by each Magisterial District Judge;
- b. Wash hands or utilize hand sanitizer as determined by each Magisterial District Judge; and
- c. Enforcement of these General Precautions shall be as directed by the Magisterial District Judge. Enforcement may include, but is not limited to, the following: requiring persons seeking access to have their temperatures taken; denial of access; stationing of occupants at locations within or without the Magisterial District Court office as necessary to maintain required social distancing; requiring the use of gloves; and asking pertinent questions regarding COVID-19 or other virus contagion.

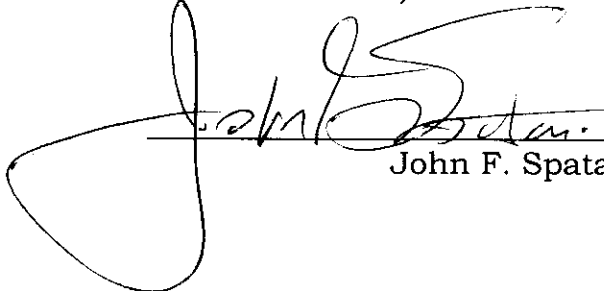
III: COURT OPERATIONS GENERALLY

1. Except as herein provided, all Magisterial District Courts will resume operating in the manner each had adopted prior to the Declaration of Judicial Emergency on March 17, 2020.
2. The continuing use of advanced communications technologies is encouraged.

IV. PRIOR ADMINISTRATIVE ORDERS SUPERCEDED

This Administrative Order SUPERCEDES any conflicting terms and conditions of all prior Administrative Orders.

BY THE COURT,



John F. Spataro, P.J.