

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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12/07/2020
Clerk of the
Appellate Courts

IN RE: COVID-19 PANDEMIC

No. ADM2020-00428

ORDER SUPPLEMENTING NOVEMBER 17, 2020 ORDER

This order supplements the Court’s order filed November 17, 2020, which extended the state of emergency and suspended jury trials.

The Court orders that all persons who, for the purpose of conducting court-related business, enter a courthouse or other building in which court facilities are located, including judges, lawyers, parties, witnesses, court clerks, and court officers, shall have strictly complied with the current guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control regarding quarantine of individuals who might have been exposed to COVID-19 and isolation of persons who are infected with the virus. As of the date of this order, those guidelines provide:

1) Individuals who have come into close contact with someone who has COVID-19 should quarantine until the tenth (10th) day following the exposure without testing or until the seventh (7th) day following the exposure with a negative test result.

See <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/quarantine.html>

2) Individuals who think or know they had COVID-19 and who had symptoms should isolate for at least ten (10) days after symptoms first appeared, and for at least twenty-four (24) hours with no fever without fever-reducing medication, and until other symptoms of COVID-19 are improving.

See <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/isolation.html>

3) Individuals who have tested positive for COVID-19 but had no symptoms should isolate for ten (10) days following

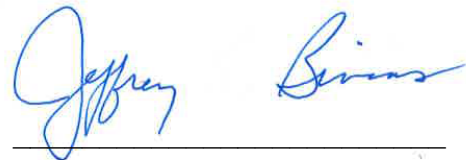
their positive test.

See <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/isolation.html>

This order is intended to be interpreted broadly for protection of the public from risks associated with COVID-19.

It is so ORDERED.

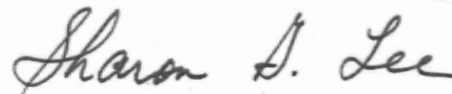
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