IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF DELAWARE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: 32nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NO. 5120-17

Jury Trial and Jury Duty Cancelations

:

EMERGENCY ORDER CANCELING JURY TRIALS AND JURY DUTY

AND NOW, this 18th day of March, 2020, this court having declared in the 32nd judicial district (Delaware County) a judicial emergency pursuant to such an order of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court authorizing the same, as well as Pa.R.J.A. No. 1952(B)(1), and this court thus having those authorities detailed under Pa.R.J.A. No. 1952(B)(2)(a-s), it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY and continuing through and including APRIL 14, 2020, ALL criminal and civil jury trials are CANCELED and relatedly throughout this same time span (March 17, 2020 – April 14, 2020) jury duty is also CANCELED.²

That directed above as subsequent material circumstances warrant and/or it otherwise believes appropriate may be revisited by this court and modified to meet the evolving concerns presented by the ongoing COVID-19 public health crisis.

To the extent possible and practical under the material circumstances, notice of this order has been and/or will promptly be posted about the Delaware County courthouse, including but not limited to the complex's entry doors, the Delaware County Office of Judicial Support, the Court Administrator's Office of Delaware County, the Criminal Court Administrator's Office, the court's website, all magisterial district court facilities within Delaware County, the Delaware County Bar Association's website, published in the legal periodical designated by this court for

such notices, and submitted to the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts ("AOPC") for posting on the Commonwealth's Unified Judicial System's website per Pa.R.J.A. No. 1952(C)(5).3

BY THE COURT:

Kevin F. Kelly

President Judge Thirty-Second (32nd) Judicial District

¹ See Order dated March 16, 2020 - Pennsylvania Supreme Court, No. 531 Judicial Administration Docket. See also Emergency Decree dated March 17, 2020.

² See Pa.R.J.A. No. 1952(B)(2)(i)(j).

³ See Order dated March 16, 2020 - Supreme Court No. 531 Judicial Administration District.