

## COURT OF APPEAL, SECOND CIRCUIT STATE OF LOUISIANA

## <u>ORDER</u>

It is hereby ordered that, in compliance with La. R.S. 1:55 (E)(2), and considering the emergency situation caused by COVID-19 Coronavirus, wherein it is hazardous or otherwise unsafe for employees of the Office of the Clerk to continue in the performance of their official duties or for the general public to conduct business with the Clerk's Office, the Clerk of Court is instructed to enter this order into the minutes of the Court. It is officially recorded that the Judges' Offices and the Office of the Clerk of Court of the Second Circuit Court of Appeal will be closed starting Friday, March 13, 2020 and will reopen on Monday, March 16, 2020.

In the exercise of its administrative powers, this Court hereby suspends the timeliness requirements of URCA Rule 2-12.7, 2-13, and any other rule regarding the timely filing of pleadings in the court to extend the opportunity for timely filing of pleadings due on Friday, March 13, 2020 to Monday, March 16, 2020.

Shreveport, Louisiana this 13th day of March, 2020.

FOR THE COURT:

<u>/s/ Felicia Toney Williams</u> Felicia Toney Williams Chief Judge

FILED: \_\_\_\_\_

Lillian Evans Richie, Clerk of Court/Administrator