18TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF IBERVILLE

AMENDED COURT ORDER RELATIVE TO COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY

Acting under the authority of Article V, Section 1 of Constitution of 1974, and the inherent power of this Court, and considering the recent outbreak of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in Louisiana, Governor John Bel Edwards' Declarations of Public Health Emergency in Proclamation Number's 25 JBE 2020, 27 JBE 2020, 30 JBE 2020, 33 JBE 2020, President Donald Trump's Declaration of a National Emergency on March 13, 2020, Louisiana Supreme Court Orders dated March 16, 2020, March 20, 2020, March 23, 2020 and in consideration of public health recommendations to reduce the risk of exposure to the virus and slowing the spread of the disease while balancing the need to maintain access to Louisiana courts,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Office of the Clerk of Court for the Parish of Iberville will be operating from their main location at the Iberville Parish Courthouse, 58050 Meriam Street, Plaquemine, LA 70764 effective Thursday, March 26, 2020 with limited staff, resources and services until further notice.
- 2. Pursuant to the provisions of LA R.S. 1:55E (2), that the Office of the Clerk of Court for the Parish of Iberville shall be closed to the public except to accommodate emergency filings and protective orders. Customers shall contact the Clerk of Court @ 225-687-5160 regarding any emergency matters.
- 3. The hours of operation shall be reduced effective Monday, March 23, 2020 from 8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. and shall remain on schedule until further notice.
- 4. Customers are encouraged to use the Clerk of Court's online resource, www.ibervilleclerk.com for services such as eRecording and Esearch. Email address for family matters shall be emailed to lrodrique@ibervilleparish.com and all other matters shall be emailed to ablachard@ibervilleparish.com. Fax filings can be sent to 225-687-5260.

THUS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, in chambers, on this 25th day of March, 2020 in Plaquemine, Louisiana.

> ALVIN BATISTE, JE **CHIEF JUDGE**

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