

STATE OF LOUISIANA
COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST CIRCUIT

ORDER

Acting in accordance with La. Const. art. V, § 1, La. R.S. 1:55E(2), and the inherent power of this court, and considering the emergency created by Hurricane Gustav,

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT:

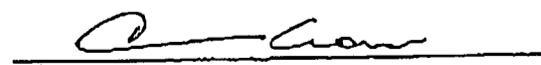
The Louisiana First Circuit Court of Appeal shall be closed from Tuesday, September 2, 2008, through Friday, September 5, 2008, and shall reopen on Monday, September 8, 2008. This closure shall serve as an exception to the Human Resource Management Manual for the First Circuit Court of Appeal. This closure shall not affect this court's administration of emergency matters.

All filings due during the period of closure or which become due between the period of closure and September 14, 2008, shall be deemed timely filed if filed on or before Monday, September 15, 2008. Parties who are unable to file within this extended time period may submit motions requesting a further extension of time to file with supporting documentation and argument.

Greensburg, Louisiana, this 8th day of September, 2008.


Burrell J. Carter
Chief Judge

Baton Rouge, Louisiana, this 8th day of September, 2008.


Christine L. Crow
Clerk of Court