

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

FINANCIAL DEPOSITS UNDER THE EXIGENT
CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19

GENERAL ORDER

WHEREAS, this Court issued a General Order detailing Court Operations during the COVID-19 Pandemic Event on March 13, 2020;

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control (“CDC”) has advised people to take precautions considering the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”) outbreak and noted that the best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to this virus;

WHEREAS, on March 7, 2020, the Governor of the State of New York declared a disaster emergency in the State of New York in response to COVID-19;

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national emergency in response to COVID-19;

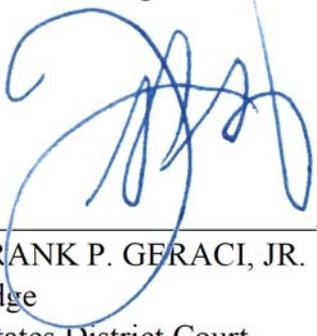
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that given the significant number of identified and projected cases of COVID-19 in the State of New York and the severity of risk posed to the public, effective March 23, 2020:

- 1) Although the Rochester and Buffalo Courthouses remain open, limited staff in the Clerk’s Office will be available for receipting financial transactions; and
- 2) Treasury deposits will be reduced to once per week each Thursday in order to further limit staffing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order shall remain in effect until May 13, 2020, unless otherwise ordered by the Court. The Court reserves the right to amend, modify, terminate, or extend this Order at any time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 20, 2020
Rochester, New York



HON. FRANK P. GERACI, JR.
Chief Judge
United States District Court