

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
KNOX COUNTY, OHIO
RICHARD D. WETZEL, JUDGE

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IN RE: COVID-19 VIRUS

CHRISTY HILLIGAN, STATION
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JOURNAL ENTRY REGARDING EMERGENCY TOLLING PROVISIONS
ENACTED BY THE OHIO GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN SUB. H.B. 197

The matter of public health considerations and responses to the COVID-19 virus, and current declarations of the President of the United States, and the Governor of the State of Ohio, the temporary emergency tolling provisions enacted by the Ohio General Assembly on March 26, 2020 are before the Court this 27th day of March 2020. In order for the Court to assist all state and local agencies in maintaining public health and safety; and to assist our local law enforcement and healthcare community in preserving all available resources; and to assure the protection of the Constitutional rights of all individuals subject to the jurisdiction of this Court; upon the Court's own motion, this Court shall implement the temporary tolling provisions enacted by the Ohio General Assembly, and shall adjust the court docket and case management schedule as necessary to fully comply with this emergency legislation.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



RICHARD D. WETZEL, JUDGE

cc:

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