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STEPHEN S. OGLE
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR BLOUNT COUNTY, TENNESSEE

IN RE: COVID-19 PANDEMIC

AND

NO. L-15864

IN RE: THE SCHEDULE OF THE BLOUNT
COUNTY CIRCUIT, CHANCERY AND
GENERAL SESSIONS COURTS, INCLUDING
THE PROBATE AND JUVENILE COURTS

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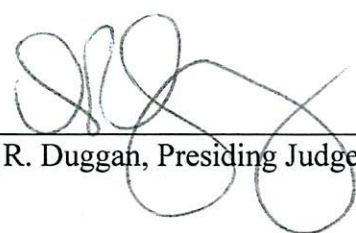
**AMENDED ORDER PERTAINING TO COURT SCHEDULES AND UPDATED COVID
PROCEDURES**

This Court's previous Order entered and filed May 17, 2021, as amended, is further amended as follows:

1. All previous Orders and Memoranda issued pursuant to said Orders remain in effect except to the extent modified herein.
2. The following measures will be in effect for all Justice Center court dockets beginning Monday, February 14 and continuing until further notice:
 - a. The Order, as amended, is further amended to eliminate the restriction that only attorneys, parties, witnesses, security officers, and other necessary persons will be allowed into the courtrooms.
 - b. Per CDC Guidelines and the orders of the Tennessee Supreme Court, the three (3)-foot social distancing requirement will remain in effect and will be strictly enforced. Once a courtroom has reached its capacity based on that requirement, others will have to wait in the hallway and will be admitted into the courtrooms only as those already in the courtroom leave and space becomes available.
3. This Order does not impact Juvenile Court proceedings which are governed by the orders of the Juvenile Court.

It is so Ordered this 9 day of February, 2022.

ENTER:



David R. Duggan, Presiding Judge