

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT**  
**Order Regarding Paper Copy Requirements**

**March 31, 2020**

The following measure is adopted in response to the current COVID-19 public health emergency,

It is hereby ORDERED that:

Until further notice, the court suspends the paper copy requirements for all electronically filed briefs, appendices and petitions for rehearing required by F.R.A.P. 30(a)(3), C.R. 31(b) and C.R. 40(b). *See also* Electronic Case Filing Procedure (h)(2). The Court may direct the parties or counsel to provide paper copies of filings on a case by case basis. This suspension does not apply to any cases currently scheduled for oral argument. At a future date, parties or counsel may be directed to provide paper copies of documents previously submitted electronically.

Notwithstanding this suspension, paper copies must still be served upon pro se litigants.

For the Court:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Diane P. Wood", is written above a horizontal line.

Chief Judge Diane P. Wood