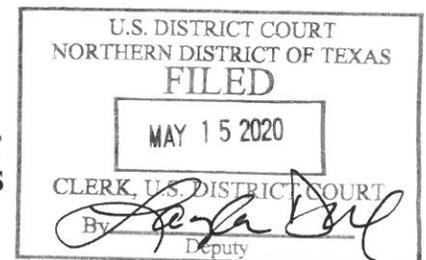


**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION**



SPECIAL ORDER NO 13-12

**COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES
CREATED BY THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC**

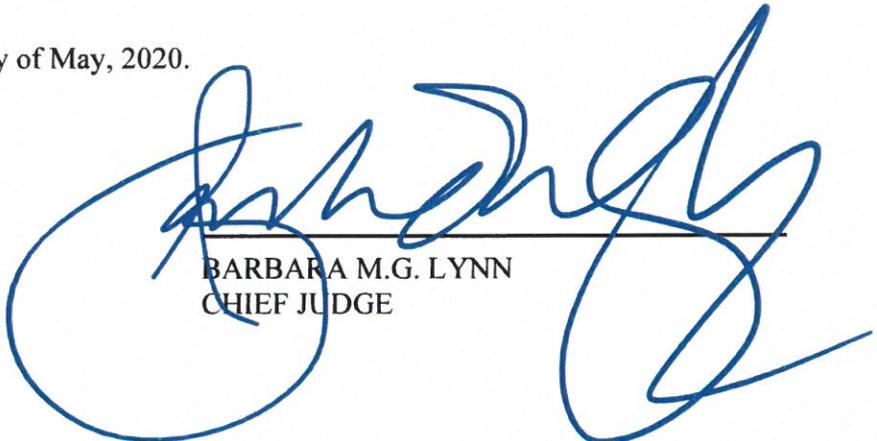
This Order applies to the Earle Cabell Federal Building and United States Courthouse at Dallas. It supplements and incorporates by reference Special Order No. 13-8, which is in place to protect health and safety during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Effective May 20, 2020, in accordance with recommendations of public health officials and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and with concurrence of the Designated Official and the Facilities Security Committee, each person over the age of two who seeks entry into the Earle Cabell Federal Building and United States Courthouse at Dallas, including tenants of the building, must wear a mask or other face covering that completely covers the person's nose and mouth at all times while in any public area of the building, including all elevators, unless otherwise directed by a law enforcement officer, guard, or Court official. Law enforcement officers, protective service officers, and court security officers working for the Federal Protective Service and the U.S. Marshals Service will enforce this Order and will deny entry to persons not wearing a mask or other face covering.

Any person who seeks entry into the Earle Cabell Federal Building U.S. Courthouse without a mask or face covering may contact the office to be visited for assistance in determining what other arrangements or accommodations can be made to accomplish the business needs of the visitor without entry into the building.

The provisions of this order will remain in effect until further order of the Court.

SO ORDERED this 15 day of May, 2020.



BARBARA M.G. LYNN
CHIEF JUDGE