IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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IN RE: COVID-19 TEMPERATURE :

SCREENING AT ALL DISTRICT OF : STANDING ORDER 2020-16

NEW JERSEY COURTHOUSES :

WHEREAS, pursuant to Standing Order 2020-14 the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey ("Court") has established certain protocols for those persons entering the Courthouses of the District of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Standing Order 2020-15 the Court established a pilot project to determine the feasibility and efficacy of a temperature screening process for entrants to its Courthouses; and

WHEREAS, consistent with relevant CDC guidelines and public health directives, the Court developed and implemented Pilot Temperature Screening Protocols, including the use of contactless thermometers, for use at the entrances to the Clarkson S. Fisher Building & U.S. Courthouse; and

WHEREAS, the Court, through its Court Security Committee, has evaluated the results of this pilot project, and has recommended the implementation of Temperature Screening Protocols throughout the District; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in order to further public health and safety,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that in addition to the requirements of Standing Orders 2020-13 and 2020-14, every person who desires entrance to any of the Court's facilities throughout the District must have his/her temperature taken, using a contactless thermometer; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any person with a temperature of 100.4 degrees or higher, or who attempts to enter the Courthouse in violation of this Standing Order will be denied entry to the Courthouse by the U.S. Marshals Service; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the U.S. Marshal, his Deputies, and the Court Security Officers shall enforce this Order; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order will remain in place until further Order of the Court.

DATED: 10/15/2020

Hon. Freda L. Wolfson U.S. Chief District Judge District of New Jersey