



## Cumberland County Surrogate's Court

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### FOR IMMEDIATE PRESS RELEASE

#### A MESSAGE FROM SURROGATE DOUGLAS RAINEAR

To reduce the risk of the Public's exposure to COVID-19, effective immediately, the Surrogate Court is ceasing all In-Person meetings with the public until further notice. Pursuant to direction from Chief Justice Stuart Rabner, the Court is limiting physical interactions in the courts.

During this time, the Surrogate Court will continue daily operations of business for the public by telephone, fax, mail and e-mail. Should an In-Person meeting be deemed necessary, the Surrogate Court will schedule an appointment. Please remain safe and healthy.

#### For Assistance: Attorneys, Litigants and the public may contact the Surrogate's Court as follows:

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- County's website: [www.co.cumberland.nj.us/countysurrogate](http://www.co.cumberland.nj.us/countysurrogate)

We apologize in advance for any inconveniences or delays in providing services. However, these difficult times require unusual responses. I believe these actions will help protect the public, provide for the health of my staff and ensure the continued professional, prompt, and empathetic service the public has come to expect and deserve from the Surrogate Court.