

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Administrative Order

2020-PR-024

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**Order Clarifying Emergency Operations from the Court Regarding Emergency
Protection from Abuse and Stalking**

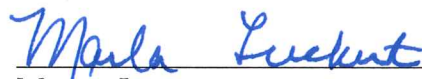
This order complements Administrative Orders 2020-PR-13, 2020-PR-15 and 2020-PR-16 on actions to mitigate local or statewide outbreak of the COVID-19 disease.

On March 18, 2020, the Chief Justice of the Kansas Supreme Court, in consultation with the members of the Kansas Supreme Court, imposed statewide judiciary operational restrictions. This order clarifies that emergency operations for district courts include, but are not limited to:

- Issuing emergency protection from abuse orders, K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 60-3105; issuing temporary protection from abuse orders, K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 60-3106; and extending final protection from abuse orders, K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 60-3107.
- Issuing temporary protection from stalking, sexual assault, or human trafficking orders, K.S.A. 2019 Supp. 60-31a05; and extending final protection from stalking, sexual assault, or human trafficking orders, 2019 Supp. K.S.A. 60-31a06.

Dated this 20th day of March 2020.

FOR THE COURT



MARLA LUCKERT
Chief Justice