NOTICE OF RESTRICTED ACCESS TO THE TUTTLE COURTHOUSE AND GODBOLD FEDERAL BUILDING

Please be advised that, effective March 16, 2020, access to the Elbert P. Tuttle Courthouse and John C. Godbold Federal Building is restricted to judges, court staff, members of the media, and visitors with official business with the Court. We will continue to assess the ongoing need for the entry restrictions and update as warranted. We are taking this temporary action in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and out of concern for the health and safety of the courthouse community.

Attorneys appearing for oral arguments or hearings before the Court of Appeals must show a bar membership card. Pro se parties appearing for oral arguments or hearings should have the case number and the case name. Members of the media must show their credentials.

Individuals delivering required filings, pleadings, and briefs must use the drop box at the entrance to the Godbold Federal Building on Poplar Street between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on business days.

Individuals who have been diagnosed with or who have had known contact with a person with the COVID-19 virus or who have been asked to self-quarantine or who are experiencing flu-like symptoms should not enter the courthouse to conduct business. Instead, please call or email the Clerk's Office for instructions or other assistance.

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