

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

ORDER

General Docket No. 2020-6

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On March 25, 2020, in General Docket Order No. 2020-4, the court extended by 30 days the filing deadlines for incarcerated and non-incarcerated pro se filers. After the expiration of that extension, the court learned that measures being taken by the Federal Bureau of Prisons, Louisiana Department of Public Safety & Corrections, Mississippi Department of Corrections, and the Texas Department of Criminal Justice in response to the ongoing pandemic are preventing or significantly impacting the ability of incarcerated pro se filers to comply with filing deadlines.

Accordingly, the court directs the clerk's office to extend deadlines in appeals filed by incarcerated pro se filers by an additional 30 days. This order does not extend the time to file a notice of appeal or a petition for review. *See* FED. R. APP. P. 26(b).

All previous changes ordered in General Docket Nos. 2020-3, 2020-4, and 2020-5 remain in effect. This order continues until rescinded.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 2020.



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CHIEF JUDGE PRISCILLA R. OWEN  
U.S. FIFTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS

A True Copy  
Certified order issued May 05, 2020

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Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit