United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

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

Tropical Storm Ida is forecast to rapidly strengthen into a major hurricane and make landfall in southeast Louisiana late Sunday, August 29, 2021. Accordingly, the Court has activated its Continuity of Operations Plan and cancelled all proceedings scheduled between August 30 and Sept 2, 2021.

The court hereby extends pending deadlines for pleadings and briefs by 7 days, EXCEPT in cases previously designated for expedited briefing. This order does not extend the time to file a notice of appeal or petition for review (see FEDERAL RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE 4 AND 26(B)) as the time for filing an appeal in a civil case is mandatory and jurisdictional.

Despite the closure, the Clerk's Office remains available for handling of emergency matters.

Dated this 27th day of August 2021.

Lyle W. Cayce
Clerk of Court

By Direction