

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ADMINISTRATIVE DOCKET

IN RE: RESCISSION OF)
FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT ORDER) No. AD-21- PJ
REGARDING MASKING)
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ORDER OF COURT

AND NOW, this 18th day of March 2022, this Court recognizes that the number of positive COVID-19 cases in Allegheny County has been trending substantially downward and that, under the current Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidance, mask wearing in Allegheny County is recommended based on personal preference. Consequently, it is hereby **ORDERED** that, effective Monday, March 21, 2022, the August 9, 2021 Order requiring all persons within Fifth Judicial District court facilities to wear masks or face coverings is rescinded. Persons within court facilities of the Fifth Judicial District are permitted, but not required, to wear masks. This Order is subject to the discretion of each presiding Judge, Magisterial District Judge, or Hearing Officer who may require masking in their courtroom, chambers, or administrative areas, and who may require masks to be lowered or removed if necessary to conduct a judicial proceeding.

BY THE COURT:



_____, P.J.
Kim Berkeley Clark
President Judge