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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF FORSYTH COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

IN RE: Jury Committee)
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) NO. 20-08
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

WHEREAS, due to the ongoing coronavirus pandemic, jury trials are currently prohibited under the Chief Justice’s most recent judicial emergency order, and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the prohibition on conducting jury trials will be lifted at some point in the future, and

WHEREAS, it is desirous to have a plan in place setting forth how jury trials will be conducted in conformity with public health guidelines,

IT IS ORDERED that a committee be formed to explore procedures and to develop a plan for jury trials to resume in the Bell-Forsyth Judicial Circuit at such time as they are allowed by the Chief Justice.

The Chief Judge shall be the Chairperson.

Members of the Committee shall be:

- Penny A. Penn, District Attorney
- Sandra A. Partridge, Chief Assistant District Attorney
- Melissa Banker, Defense Bar President
- Norman H. Cuadra, Defense Attorney
- State Court Judge, T. Russell McClelland

SCANNED

William A. Finch, Solicitor General

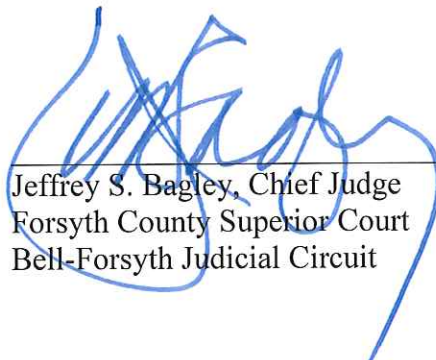
Greg G. Allen, Clerk of Superior Court

AD HOC Members:

Superior Court Judge, David L. Dickinson

Superior Court Judge, Philip C. Smith

SO ORDERED, this 7th day of July, 2020.



Jeffrey S. Bagley, Chief Judge
Forsyth County Superior Court
Bell-Forsyth Judicial Circuit

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