

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**GENERAL ORDER 20-28  
JUNE 29, 2020**

**IN RE: CORONAVIRUS PUBLIC EMERGENCY**

**THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER CONCERNING GRAND JURY PROCEEDINGS**

**SAYLOR, C.J.**

This Order supplements and modifies General Order 20-3, issued March 13, 2020, General Order 20-14, issued March 30, 2020, and General Order 20-22 issued on May 28, 2020.

In light of the public emergency arising out of the coronavirus epidemic, and in order to protect public health, the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts hereby issues the following order:

1. Effective immediately, and except as set forth below, all regularly scheduled grand jury proceedings in this District are continued until at least August 31, 2020, pending further Order of this Court.
2. The U.S. Attorney may schedule grand jury proceedings for emergency or essential matters.
3. Grand jurors will continue their current and normal practice to call in each Friday after 5:00 p.m. to the number provided to them by the U.S. Attorney to receive the recorded message informing them whether or not they must appear for grand jury service the following week.

**So Ordered.**

Dated: June 29, 2020

/s/ F. Dennis Saylor IV  
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F. Dennis Saylor IV  
Chief Judge, United States District Court