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3 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
4 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

**EFFECTIVE**  
*March 19, 2020*

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6 IN RE:

7 HEARINGS TO BE HELD

8 TELEPHONICALLY  
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2020-05

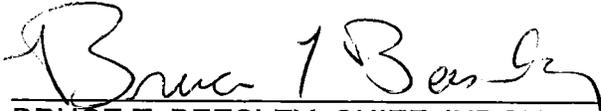
11 The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has advised the general public to take  
12 precautions necessary to reduce the possibility of exposure to Coronavirus Disease 2019  
13 (COVID-19) virus and slow the spread of the disease. The Governor of the State of Nevada  
14 has declared a public health emergency throughout the state in response to the spread of  
15 COVID-19 in Nevada. Additionally, during a March 17, 2020 press conference, Governor  
16 Sisolak stated that all Nevadans should stay home to protect family and the public.

17 Mindful of the foregoing information, the Court remains committed to providing the  
18 public with access to justice during the COVID-19 outbreak. The Court has weighed the right of  
19 the public to open access to the Court against the need to protect the safety of the public,  
20 including the health of all those entering and working in Nevada's federal courthouses.

21 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, EFFECTIVE THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2020, all court**  
22 **hearings scheduled to be held on or before April 10, 2020, shall be conducted**  
23 **telephonically.** The manner of submitting evidence in connection with telephonic court  
24 hearings shall be determined on a case-by-case basis by the presiding judge.

25 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**  
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1 DATED THIS 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020.

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4 BRUCE T. BEESLEY, CHIEF JUDGE  
5 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
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