

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY APPELLATE PANEL
FOR THE FIRST CIRCUIT**

ORDER

Entered: March 27, 2020

Due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic and in order to protect public health and safety, the deadline for any non-emergency filing (including briefs and appendices) due to be filed between March 27, 2020 and April 27, 2020 in a case before the United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the First Circuit (“BAP”) is automatically extended for 30 additional days, as long as the deadline is one within the court's power to extend. The BAP will re-evaluate in mid-April 2020 whether the continued automatic extension of filing deadlines is necessary.

Notwithstanding this extension, a judge or panel, by order issued after March 27, 2020, may direct a filing date that is not within the scope of this order. See Fed. R. App. P. 2; 1st Cir. BAP L.R. 8026-1(b). If a party believes that a deadline extended by this order should not be extended because of particular circumstances involved in their case, that party may file a motion requesting that the deadline not be extended by this order.

/s/ Edward A. Godoy
Edward A. Godoy
Chief Judge