

THE SUPREME COURT OF WASHINGTON

IN THE MATTER OF STATEWIDE RESPONSE	)	ORDER RESCINDING COVID-
BY WASHINGTON STATE COURTS TO THE	)	
COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY	)	19 EMERGENCY ORDERS
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	)	No. 25700-B-742
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WHEREAS, between February 29, 2020, and October 28, 2022, the State of Washington operated under a gubernatorial state of emergency proclamation in light of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic; and

WHEREAS, in response to the COVID-19 emergency, this Court issued a series of general orders to ensure continued operations of the courts while protecting the health and safety of court personnel, litigants, and the public; and

WHEREAS, courts are now equipped to manage operations without reliance on the COVID-19 general orders issued by this Court, due to the public health emergency subsiding and to rule changes allowing for more remote proceedings;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

Orders 25700-B-697, 25700-B-620, and 25700-B-647 are hereby rescinded effective
November 4, 2025.

DATED at Olympia, Washington this 23rd day of October, 2025

For the Court


CHIEF JUSTICE