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To Our Clients:

We hope you and your family are safe during this very unsettled time.

As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to spread, we are implementing a series of additional measures to ensure the health of our clients, staff, and our community.

The Florida Supreme Court has suspended all jury trials in Florida. Our local Chief Judge has ordered the suspension of non-jury trials and the implementation of telephonic hearings, only in certain, limited cases. It is entirely possible that our Courts will close in the coming days, but that is not clear at this time. We will keep you advised as the information becomes available.

Our office remains open. We suggest phone conferencing in place of in-person meetings. We continue to be available by phone and e-mail.

Because of the precautions being taken by national, state, and local government, there will be delays in getting hearing time with the Courts and we expect that Mediations, Depositions, and meetings will be postponed or, perhaps, may occur by video conferencing.

The long-term effects on our economy, our incomes, and the market value of our assets is currently unknown. However, we expect the impact to be significant. Your financial disclosure and Financial Affidavits will likely require updating. We will deal with this when the time is right.

We strongly encourage you to use all precautionary measures to safeguard your health and the health of others as recommended by the World Health Organization, the Center for Disease Control, and the other involved agencies.

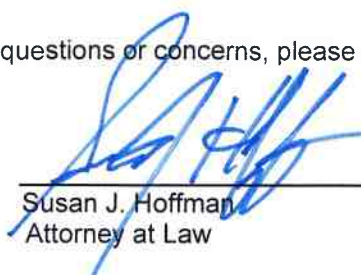
There is no question that we will survive this difficult time. Positive attitudes, concern and care for others, and simple common sense will guide us through it.

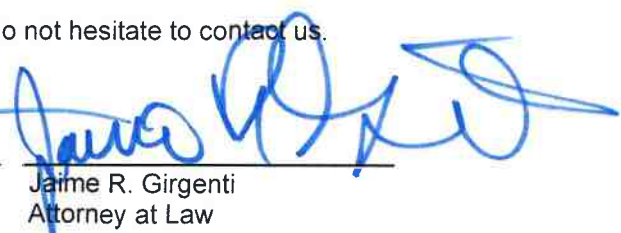
Thank you for being our client. You can count on us to be a steady and reassuring force during these uncertain times.

As always, should you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Be well,


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