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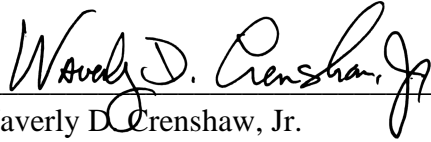
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

IN RE:)
NATURALIZATION CEREMONIES) **Administrative Order No. 150-1**

ORDER

Pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1421, the Court hereby gives notice that it waives its authority to administer the oath of allegiance under section 1448(a) of this title for the time period March 12, 2020 to April 30, 2020, as a precautionary measure to help prevent the spread of the coronavirus. Accordingly, during this time period, the Court will not hold public naturalization ceremonies. Absent further order of the Court, this waiver shall expire on April 30, 2020 and the Court will again exercise its authority to administer the oath of allegiance within its jurisdiction.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



Waverly D. Crenshaw, Jr.
Chief United States District Judge