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STUART A. MINKOWITZ Assignment Judge

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For immediate release:

Notice to the Bar and the Public

Closure of Sussex County Judicial Center Facilities on Wednesday, November 19, 2025 for Planned Security Drill

The Sussex County Judicial Center and all Superior Court facilities in Sussex County will CLOSE TO THE PUBLIC for the day at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, November 19, 2025, for a planned security drill. Beginning at 10:00 a.m., anyone seeking a domestic violence temporary restraining order may make an application at the Newton Police department or their local police department. Court Staff will be available by phone from 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at (862)-397-5700. Emergent matters will be heard prior to 11 a.m. or virtually after 1:30 p.m.

Anyone seeking to file an emergent Order to Show Cause in the Civil, Chancery, Family, or Criminal Divisions after 11:00 a.m. may file through the Judiciary Electronic Filing System (JEDS), which can be accessed at www.njcourts.gov, or may call the specific division at (862) 397-5700 for further instructions.

Hon. Stuart A. Minkowitz Assignment Judge

Dated: October 28, 2025







