

Chief Judge, Twelfth Judicial District
**12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT-
ORDER REGARDING
LIMITATION ON CERTAIN
DEBT COLLECTION
PRACTICES**



**CHIEF JUDGE
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
2020-07**

Given the enactment of Senate Bill 20-211 and the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the Court enters the following orders relating to limitations on certain debt collection practices.

Writs or legal processes intended to effect an extraordinary collection action (such as an attachment, garnishment, levy or execution to collect or enforce a judgment on a debt), shall be accomplished by proof of the written notice required by the statute, sent to the judgment debtor at his/her last known address at least ten(10), but no more than sixty(60) days prior to filing the writ or legal processes. Such writs or legal processes shall reflect current exemption thresholds as outlined in the statute.

The Court further directs the Clerks' Offices to reject any writ or legal process that does not comply with these and other already existing requirements. Parties requesting additional review by the Court shall file a writ or legal process in conjunction with a motion and proposed order.

This Order shall remain in effect for the duration of SB20-211 and any duly authorized extensions.

Dated this 29th day of July 2020.

BY THE COURT:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Michael A. Gonzales", written over a horizontal line.

Michael A. Gonzales
Chief Judge, 12th Judicial District