

**Newsletter, January 6, 2021**

Dear colleagues,

Good evening.

I hope you are all doing well.

The following information should answer any major questions that you have at the moment:

- 1) Procedural delays will not be suspended again;
- 2) Courthouses will remain open, but with an increased use of virtual tools for obvious reasons;

Finally, it is important to be particularly clear on one issue: although face-to-face legal practice is theoretically permitted, it should take place only in exceptional circumstances. Everyone should be working from home whenever possible.

Kind regards,

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