

Supreme Court

In re Mandatory Continuing Legal Education :
(Response to COVID-19) :

ORDER

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic and the extraordinary circumstances that have arisen as a result, the Court orders as follows:

The requirement in Articles IV and VI of the Supreme Court Rules that attorneys and judicial officers complete ten (10) hours of continuing legal education is hereby suspended. Attorneys and judicial officers are relieved of the obligation to complete continuing legal education credits for the 2020 reporting year. All legal education credits earned in the 2020 reporting year as well as excess credits set to expire in the 2020 reporting year may be used to satisfy legal education requirements for the 2021 reporting year.

In addition, the Rhode Island Bridge the Gap requirement in Article IV is hereby suspended. Newly admitted attorneys required to file proof of their attendance at the Rhode Island Bridge the Gap course by June 30, 2020 shall have until June 30, 2021 in which to file.

Entered as an Order of this Court this *30th* day of *April 2020*.

/s/
Suttell, C. J.

/s/
Goldberg, J.

/s/
Flaherty, J.

/s/
Robinson, J.

 /s/
Indeglia, J.