

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES
Washington, DC

Issue Date: 09 July 2024

OALJ Case Number: 2024-MIS-00004

In the Matter of:

**POSTPONEMENT OF CERTAIN PROCEEDINGS
BEFORE THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES, DUE
TO HURRICANE BERYL**

Administrative Order

Hurricane Beryl has severely impacted Houston, Texas, and surrounding environs. In consideration of the extraordinary circumstances occasioned by this natural disaster, IT IS ORDERED that:

All proceedings before the Office of Administrative Law Judges (“OALJ”), including formal hearings, oral arguments, mediations, and pre-hearing conferences, scheduled to take place within 150 miles of Houston in the next fourteen (14) days—or involving any party, attorney, or law firm located within 150 miles of Houston—are POSTPONED and will be rescheduled. All hearing-related deadlines, such as pre-hearing exchanges, discovery and motion deadlines, post-hearing briefs and similar matters, are TOLLED fourteen (14) days from the date of this Order, unless extended by further Order of this tribunal.

Any other attorneys or parties with cases pending before OALJ that may be affected by Hurricane Beryl should contact the office of the presiding Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) directly to request rescheduling hearings or otherwise modifying existing deadlines.

Notwithstanding this Administrative Order, a presiding ALJ may, upon determining that all parties and their representatives are able to participate in a proceeding or are able to meet hearing-related deadlines, order that such proceeding will take place, or that such deadlines remain in effect.

SO ORDERED.

STEPHEN R. HENLEY
Chief Administrative Law Judge