

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, LAW DIVISION**

JENNIFER HYLAND, Individually and as)
 Mother and Next Friend of CHARLOTTE)
 HYLAND, a minor; and JENNIFER)
 HYLAND, Representative of the Estate of)
 JACKSON HYLAND, Deceased,)

Plaintiff)

-v-)

NO: 17 L 3541
 Calendar 25

ADVOCATE HEALTH AND)
 HOSPITALS CORPORATION, d/b/a)
 ADVOCATE MEDICAL GROUP and)
 d/b/a ADVOCATE GOOD SAMARITAN)
 HOSPITAL; BARBARA PARILLA, M.D.;)
 WEST SUBURBAN OBSTETRICS)
 GYNECOLOGY, LTD; CHRISTOPHER)
 BARBOUR, M.D.; KATHERINE NOLAN-)
 WATSON, M.D.; and LI FAN, M.D.,)

Defendants)

This matter coming on to be heard on the Court’s own motion, and the Court having been fully advised in the premises, the Court hereby states:

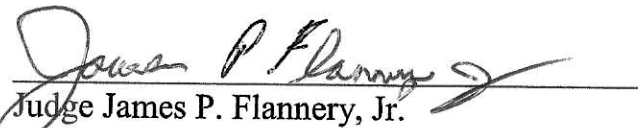
Law Division Judges are being presented with various motions and pleadings challenging the constitutionality of the Judgment Interest Act Amendment, 735 ILCS 5/2-1303(c) (Senate Bill 0072), effective July 1, 2021 and requesting tolling of its provisions.

In the case of Hyland, etc. v. Advocate Health and Hospitals Corporation, et. al., 17 L 3541, Judge Marcia Maras has issued a briefing schedule and has set a hearing date on a motion challenging the constitutionality of the amendment to the statute. Therefore, in the interests of justice and judicial economy, one judge is hereby designated to hear these motions on a consolidated basis.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. All pending and subsequently filed motions and pleadings challenging the constitutionality of the Amendment to the Judgement Interest Act as well as requests for tolling of its provisions are consolidated;
2. This order applies to all such motions filed after July 1, 2021, whether currently pending or previously denied without prejudice;
3. Judge Marcia Maras is designated to hear the consolidated motions in conjunction with the hearing on the motion challenging the constitutionality of the amendment to the statute on October 21, 2021 at 2:00 PM *via Zoom*;
4. All cases shall remain pending before their assigned Law Division Judge for all other issues.

ENTER:


Judge James P. Flannery, Jr.
Presiding Judge, Law Division

SIGNATURE AUTHORIZED BY JUDGE JAMES P. FLANNERY, JR.

ENTERED
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JUDGE FLANNERY