

# Bar Talk – May 15, 2020

- Emergency/Executive Order updates
  - Maine’s state of civil emergency extended through June 11, 2020
  - Cumberland County Courthouse in Portland is closed TODAY to undergo cleaning and disinfecting following a report of a presumptive positive case of COVID-19
  - revised PMO-SJC-1: corrects errors in the previous order
  - revised PMO-SJC-2: provides that the provision creating the 49-day extension of due dates will not apply to due dates that occur after June 1
- Guest: Bar Counsel Aria Ee, Board of Overseers
- Business-side updates
  - MSBA
    - H&D CLE on May 28 @ 1:00 pm: Focus on the Issues: Using Bystander Intervention or Non-confrontational Communication to Increase Effective Advocacy
    - upcoming guests: MSBA reps to JB Stakeholder Group on 5/18; Bill Nugent on 5/19; Justin Andrus on 5/22
- Personal-side updates
  - journal: thankful for road construction crews
- Questions/requests: MSBA can liaise – please send to [aarmstrong@mainebar.org](mailto:aarmstrong@mainebar.org)