

**Most Illustrious Prince Hall Grand Council  
Royal & Select Masters of Texas, PHA**



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**To: All Illustrious Companions beholding to the Most Illustrious Prince Hall Grand Council Royal & Select Masters of Texas**

**Date: March 13, 2020**

**Subject: Temporary Suspension of all Royal & Select Master Activities**

**Effective Immediately**, all Royal & Select Master activities are hereby suspended until April 30, 2020, unless further guidance is provided. This temporary suspension includes all meetings, events, gatherings, etc.

Thrice Illustrious Masters are allowed, and expected to use Conference Calls as a means to conduct limited business as necessary for the continuation of Council requirements.

If any Thrice Illustrious Master or District Deputy Grand Thrice Illustrious Master feel you have an upcoming critical event, contact me as soon as possible to discuss.

The intent of this action is to aggressively address the preventive measures that we can take as an organization to combat the spread of COVID-19. In addition, I ask that you please take as many precautions as necessary to minimize the risk of exposure to this Pandemic.

Also, please see the revised COVID-19 letters attached from our Most Worshipful Grand Master, Wilbert M. Curtis.

**Take due notice and govern yourself accordingly.**

**Under my hand and seal...**

M.: I.: Troy A. Cousin  
Grand Thrice Illustrious Master

**Attested:**

R.: I.: Ronald D. Gerac  
Grand Recorder

