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Notice to Media

This is to advise that in the event of a Government shut-down, the United States Attorney's Office for the Western District of Louisiana will remain open with a limited staff to perform certain excepted functions for the Government. Such functions are generally related to law enforcement and other activities connected to the safety and welfare of the public. The Courts in the district will remain open and hearings and trials related to law enforcement functions will proceed.

The United State's Attorney's Office will be functioning with a significantly reduced staff and will suspend most civil work and will seek to postpone hearings and trials related to civil matters.