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NYS Guidelines on Notarization Update



Through April 18, 2020, documents may be notarized utilizing audio-video technology. Pursuant to [New York Executive Order No. 202.7](#), the following guidelines apply:

- Signatory must present valid photo ID to the notary during the video conference (if not personally known to the notary);
- Video conference must allow for direct interaction (not pre-recorded);
- Signatory must affirm in New York;
- Notary may notarize transmitted copy and transmit same back to signatory;
- Notary may repeat notarization of original, if within 30 days after date of execution. This repeat notarization can be backdated to original notarization.

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