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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE**

**SECOND AMENDED
GENERAL ORDER RE:
IMPLEMENTATION OF EMERGENCY RELIEF AUTHORIZED PURSUANT TO
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 68115 BY CHAIR OF JUDICIAL COUNCIL**

Exercising the authority granted under Government Code section 68115, the March 17, 2020 Order, the March 20, 2020 Order, and the March 23, 2020 Order (“Orders”) of Chief Justice Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye, Chair of the Judicial Council of California, issued in response to the March 16, 2020, March 19, 2020, and March 20, 2020 requests for an emergency order made by the Superior Court of California, County of Riverside (“Court”), and pursuant to California Rules of Court, Rule 10.603:

This Court **HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. For purposes of computing time for filing papers with the Court under Code of Civil Procedure sections 12 and 12a, the time period from March 17, 2020 to April 3, 2020, inclusive, are deemed holidays (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(4));

1 2. For purposes of computing time under Welfare and Institutions Code sections 334,
2 the time period from March 17, 2020 to April 3, 2020, inclusive, are deemed holidays (Gov. Code,
3 § 68115(a)(5));

4 3. For purposes of computing time under Penal Code section 825, March 24, 2020 is
5 deemed a holiday (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(5));

6 4. For purposes of computing time under Welfare and Institutions Code section 657,
7 the time period from March 19, 2020 to April 3, 2020, inclusive, are deemed holidays (Gov. Code,
8 § 68115(a)(5));

9 5. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire during March 17,
10 2020 to April 16, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time periods provided in Code of Civil
11 Procedure sections 583.310 and 583.320 to bring an action to trial by not more than 30 days (Gov.
12 Code, § 68115(a)(6));

13 6. The duration of any temporary restraining order that would otherwise expire from
14 March 17, 2020 to March 31, 2020, inclusive, because the emergency condition described in the
15 Orders prevented the Court from conducting proceedings to determine whether a permanent order
16 should be entered, is extended by 30 days. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(7));

17 7. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire during March 17,
18 2020 to April 16, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time period provided in Penal Code section
19 859b for the holding of a preliminary examination from 10 court days to not more than 15 court
20 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(9));

21 8. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 17,
22 2020 to April 16, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time period provided in Penal Code section
23 1382 for the holding of a criminal trial by not more than 14 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(10));

1 9. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 17,
2 2020 to April 16, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time period provided in Welfare and
3 Institutions Code section 334 within which a hearing on a juvenile dependency petition must be
4 held by not more than 7 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(12)).
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6 10. Unlimited and Limited Civil Cases

- 7 a. All civil trials are continued until after May 25, 2020;
8 b. The Court will continue to accept civil harassments, and other types of
9 restraining orders, and ex parte applications;
10 c. Alternative Dispute Resolution and Mediation services are suspended;
11 d. All other civil matters will be continued.

12 11. All unlawful detainer matters, with the exception of ex parte applications, are
13 postponed for 60 days.
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15 12. All small claims hearings are postponed for 90 days.

16 13. Family Law Cases

- 17 a. The Court will continue to accept domestic violence restraining orders,
18 emergency protective orders, and ex parte applications;
19 b. All Child Custody Recommending Counselor appointments are continued;
20 c. All other family matters will be continued.

21 14. Probate Cases

- 22 a. Probate trials will be continued to a date after May 18, 2020. Ongoing
23 trials will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis;
24 b. Court probate investigator in-person interviews in conservatorship and
25 guardianship cases are postponed;
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1 c. The Court will continue to hear temporary guardianship and temporary
2 conservatorship cases, LPS conservatorships, Riese hearings, and accept
3 elder abuse restraining orders, and ex-parte applications.
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5 15. Criminal Matters

6 a. The Court will continue to hear in-custody arraignments in both felony and
7 misdemeanor cases;

8 b. The Court will continue to accept emergency protective order calls, and
9 search warrants, and gun violence restraining orders.
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11 16. All non-trial traffic matters are postponed for 90 days.

12 17. Juvenile Cases

13 a. Delinquency Matters: The Court will continue to hear detention hearing,
14 jurisdiction/disposition matters when a minor is detained, detention
15 hearings under Welfare and Institutions section 777 where the minor is
16 detained, 15-day review hearings and ex parte applications;
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18 b. Dependency Matters: The Court will continue to hear detention hearings,
19 requests to re-enter foster care, restraining order applications, and ex parte
20 applications.
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22 18. The Court will hear emergency writs challenging COVID-19 emergency measures.

23 19. The Court will hear writs of habeas corpus challenging medical quarantines.

24 20. Self-Help services will provide assistance with restraining orders. All other self-
25 help services are suspended.

26 21. This Second Amended General Order supersedes and replaces Administrative
27 Order 2020-7 dated March 16, 2020, General Order Re Implementation of Emergency Relief
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1 Authorized Pursuant to Government Code Section 68115 by Chair of the Judicial Counsel, dated
2 March 17, 2020, and the first Amended General Order Re: Implementation of Emergency Relief
3 Authorized Pursuant to Government Code Section 68115 by Chair of Judicial Council, dated
4 March 19, 2020.
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6 THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

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8 Date: 3/23/2020

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11 JOHN W. VINEYARD
12 Presiding Judge
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