THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, leading to health and safety concerns and resulting in substantial operational impediments, and the proclamations of states of emergency by federal, state, and local officials, it was determined that the conditions described in Government Code section 68115(a) were met with regard to the Superior Court of Riverside County (Court) on nine prior occasions:

March 17, 20, and 23, 2020; April 1 and 24, 2020; May 26, 2020; June 2 and 23, 2020; and July 21, 2020. At the request of Presiding Judge John W. Vineyard, Orders issued on those dates authorizing the Court to implement certain relief authorized by section 68115(a). Upon the renewed request of Presiding Judge Vineyard, it is determined that the conditions described in section 68115(a) continue to exist (Gov. Code, § 68115(b)), and it is ordered that the Court is authorized to do the following:

• Extend the time period provided in section 1382 of the Penal Code for the holding of a criminal trial by not more than an additional 30 days, applicable only to cases in which the original statutory deadline otherwise would expire from August 3, 2020, through September 30, 2020, inclusive. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(10).)

Date: July 29, 2020

Hon. Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye Chief Justice of California and Chair of the Judicial Council

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