

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 on March 18, April 3, May 1, May 29, June 26, and July 29, 2020, that the conditions described in Government Code section 68115(a) were met with regard to the Superior Court of Sierra County (Court). At the request of Presiding Judge Charles H. Ervin, orders issued on those dates authorizing the Court to implement certain relief provided for in section 68115(a). Upon the renewed request of Presiding Judge Ervin, 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:

- Hold sessions anywhere in the county, including in correctional and juvenile detention facilities, from August 28, 2020, through September 26, 2020, inclusive (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(1)).

Date: August 28, 2020



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