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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF FRESNO
CENTRAL DIVISION

ORDER RE IMPLEMENTATION OF) GENERAL ORDER
EMERGENCY RELIEF AUTHORIZED)
PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE)
SECTION 68115 BY CHAIR OF)
JUDICIAL COUNCIL)
_____)

Exercising the authority granted under Government Code section 68115 and the November 19, 2020 Order ("Order") of Chief Justice Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye, Chair of the Judicial Council of California, issued in response to the November 18, 2020 request for an emergency order made by the Superior Court of Fresno County ("Court"), this Court HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

1. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from November 19, 2020 to January 8, 2021, inclusive, any judge of the Court may extend the time period provided in section 1382 of the Penal Code for the holding of a criminal trial by not more than 30 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(10)).

2. The authority granted by the Chief Justice supplements the authority to extend section 1382 deadlines previously granted

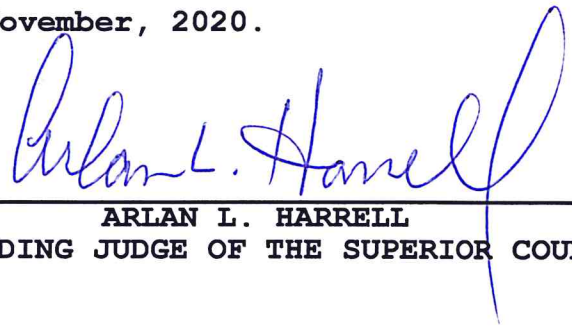
1 in the March 23, March 30, and April 29, 2020 statewide emergency
2 orders and in the July 16, 2020 and September 15, 2020 emergency
3 orders specific to this Court.

4 3. Accordingly, for any case in which the time to bring a
5 defendant to trial previously was extended under one or more of
6 those prior emergency orders, and the extended deadline falls
7 within the above-specified time period, this order authorizes the
8 Court to extend the previously extended deadline by up to an
9 additional 30 days.

10 4. For any case in which the initial section 1382 deadline
11 falls within the above-specified time period and is not governed
12 by a prior emergency order, this order authorizes this Court to
13 extend the time to bring a defendant to trial by a total of up to
14 30 days.

15 THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

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17 DATED this 19TH day of November, 2020.



20 **ARLAN L. HARRELL**
21 **PRESIDING JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT**

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