SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SHASTA

Date: January 21, 2021

In the Matter of:

ORDER GRANTING EXTENDED EMERGENCY RELIEF DUE TO COVID-19

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS: <u>ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 09-2021</u>

Effective this date, pursuant to authorization granted by the Chief Justice of California, Chair of the Judicial Council, the Superior Court of California, County of Shasta orders the time period provided in Code of Civil Procedure §583.310 and §583.320 for the holding of a civil trial extended by not more than 30 days applicable only to cases in which the initial or previously extended statutory deadline otherwise would expire from 2/1/2021 to 3/2/2021, inclusive.

The court further orders the time period provided in Penal Code §1382 for the holding of a criminal trial extended by not more than 30 days applicable only to cases in which the initial or previously extended statutory deadline otherwise would expire from 1/23/2021 to 2/22/2021, inclusive.

This order is an extension of the relief described in Administrative Order 35-2020 and is made as a result of the local widespread condition of COVID-19 and in consideration of the rising positivity rate of the virus in Shasta County. This order is in compliance with the recommendations made by the California Department of Public Health to reduce the size of gatherings and maintain social distancing of six feet.

The attached order of the Chief Justice and the court's General Order are incorporated as a part of this Administrative Order.

Dated: January 21, 2021

Monique D/McKee Presiding Judge

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THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, leading to health and safety concerns resulting in substantial operational impediments, and the proclamations of states of emergency by federal, state, and local officials, it was determined on six prior occasions that the conditions described in section 68115 of the Government Code were met with regard to the Superior Court of California, County of Shasta (Court). Based on those determinations, and pursuant to the Court's requests, corresponding emergency orders issued authorizing the Court to implement certain relief under Government Code section 68115. Upon the renewed request of Presiding Judge Monique McKee, it is determined that the conditions described in Government Code section 68115(a) continue to exist (Gov. Code, § 68115(c)), and it is ordered that the Court is authorized to do the following:

- Extend the time periods provided in sections 583.310 and 583.320 of the Code of Civil Procedure to bring an action to trial by not more than 30 days, applicable only to cases in which the deadline otherwise would expire from February 1, 2021, to March 2, 2021, inclusive (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(6)); and
- 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, applicable only to cases in which the initial or previously extended statutory deadline otherwise would expire from January 23, 2021, to February 22, 2021, inclusive (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(10)).

Date: January 21, 2021

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

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SHASTA

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 and the January 21, 2021 Order ("Order") of Chief Justice Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye, Chair of the Judicial Council of California, issued in response to the January 19, 2021 request for an emergency order made by the Superior Court of Shasta County ("Court"), this Court HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire on from February 1, 2021, to March 2, 2021, inclusive, any judge of the Court may extend the time periods provided in sections 583.310 and 583.320 of the Code of Civil Procedure to bring an action to trial by not more than 30 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(6)); and
- 2. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from January 23, 2021, to February 22, 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));

THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

Dated: 1/21/2)

MONIQUE D/MCKEE, Presiding Judge