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**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF VENTURA**

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER RE:
IMPLEMENTATION OF EMERGENCY RELIEF
IN JUVENILE DEPENDENCY PROCEEDINGS
IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19

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NO. 20.10

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Under the authority granted by the Superior Court of California, County of Ventura, Administrative Order Re: Implementation of Emergency Relief in Response to COVID-19, Amended Administrative Order No. 20.08, and in light of the emergency situation created by the COVID-19 virus in Ventura County, the State of California and in the Nation, this court makes the following general orders as follows:

1. Except as otherwise stated in this order, all hearings required by statute that are currently set between April 7, 2020 and April 17, 2020 are continued. The court will provide notice of the continued hearing date.
2. For all continued hearings and hearings vacated under paragraph 5 below, if the parties agree that a case can be dismissed they may submit to the court a written stipulation to that effect and the court will consider the request as an ex parte matter and if granted make appropriate orders and vacate any future hearings.
3. The following hearings are an exception to paragraph 1 and to the extent a hearing on these matters has already been set they shall be continued so that they are heard

1 on the earlier of the next Tuesday and Thursday and to the extent they have not yet
2 been set they shall be set on Tuesday or Thursday:

- 3 a. Protective custody warrants filed under Welfare and Institutions Code section
4 340;
- 5 b. Detention hearings under Welfare and Institutions Code section 319. All such
6 detention hearings that are set or will be set between April 7, 2020 and April
7 17, 2020, shall be set on Tuesday for hearings that otherwise would have
8 occurred on Monday, Tuesday, or Friday and on Thursday for hearings that
9 otherwise would have occurred on Wednesday or Thursday;
- 10 c. Psychotropic medication applications;
- 11 d. Emergency medical requests;
- 12 e. A petition for reentry of a nonminor dependent;
- 13 f. Requests for temporary restraining orders;
- 14 g. Welfare and Institutions Code section 388 petitions that require an immediate
15 response based on the health and safety of the child.

- 16 4. All hearings to review adequate notices for Welfare and Institutions Code section
17 366.26 hearings are vacated. Any request for orders to publish notice or for
18 substitute service for such hearings will be handled ex parte.
- 19 5. All non-statutory interim progress or status reviews are vacated. Any memos
20 submitted by the social worker will be filed.
- 21 6. To the extent necessary the court will make necessary Title IV-E findings during this
22 period without prejudice to reconsideration at the continued hearing.
- 23 7. The time period provided in Welfare and Institutions Code section 313 is extended
24 by 3 days if it would have expired between April 7, 2020 and April 17, 2020;
- 25 8. The time period provided in Welfare and Institutions Code section 315 is extended
26 by 3 days if it would have expired between April 7, 2020 and April 17, 2020.
- 27 9. The time period provided in Welfare and Institutions Code section 334 is extended
28 by 7 days if it would have expired between April 7, 2020 and April 17, 2020.

- 1 10. Any temporary restraining order that would have expired between April 7, 2020 and
2 April 17, 2020 is extended by 33 days.
- 3 11. Personal appearance of the parties is waived without detriment to the party
4 appearing through counsel. Counsel may appear via Court Call or with the court's
5 approval through any other available telephonic or video means. All attorneys and
6 the C.F.S. court liaison are authorized to appear remotely.
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9 DATED: April 6, 2020



TARI L. CODY
Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court
Superior Court of California
County of Ventura