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

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By: R. Cruz, Deputy

**GENERAL ORDER #5 RE: IMPLEMENTATION OF EMERGENCY RELIEF  
AUTHORIZED BY THE CHAIR OF THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL**

On March 30, 2020, Chief Justice Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye, Chair of the Judicial Council of California, issued a statewide emergency order in response to the COVID-19 pandemic (“Statewide Emergency Order”). Pursuant to the authority granted under Government Code section 68115 and the Statewide Emergency Order, this Court **HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:**

Any judge of the Court may extend the time period provided in section 859b of the Penal Code for the holding of a preliminary examination from 10 court days to not more than 30 court days (Statewide Emergency Order, section A, paragraph 1).

**THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.**

Dated: 6-24-2020

  
ALAN V. PINESCHI, Presiding Judge