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

IN RE: UNSEALING AND
DESTRUCTION OF SEARCH
WARRANTS IN MULTI-DIVISIONALS

MISCELLANEOUS NO.: STO-23-0013

THE COURT HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

Pursuant to Government Code sections 68152, subdivision (c)(13) and 68153, a deputy clerk of the Kern County Superior Court is authorized as follows:

Personnel in the Multi-Divisional Courthouses may open sealed search warrants in the court's possession that are ten (10) years or older for the limited purpose of determining whether such warrants relate to a capital felony, and if so, must be retained under Government Code section 68152, subdivision (c)(1). Sealed search warrants that are ten (10) years or older and do not relate to a capital felony case may be destroyed pursuant to Government Code section 68152.

This order shall remain in effect until specifically amended, superseded, or revoked.

Dated: November 6, 2023.

J. Eric Bradshaw, Presiding Judge Kern County Superior Court

STANDING ORDER - UNSEALING AND DESTRUCTION OF SEARCH WARRANTS