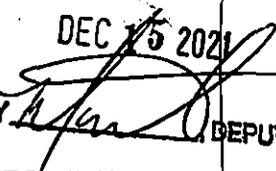


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1 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
2 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KERN

3 GENERAL ORDER RE: IMPLEMENTATION OF EMERGENCY RELIEF  
4 AUTHORIZED PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 68115 BY CHIEF  
5 JUSTICE AND CHAIR OF JUDICIAL COUNCIL

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6 Adverse weather conditions on December 14, 2021 and December 15, 2021 in  
7 Tehachapi, California and the surrounding areas have resulted in road closures that  
8 have prohibited the judicial officers, staff, judicial partners, public, and inmates from  
9 traveling to the Mojave multi-divisional court.

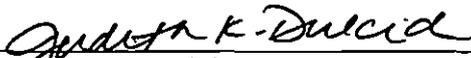
10 Pursuant to Government Code section 68115 and the Order issued by the  
11 Chief Justice of the California Supreme Court and Chair of the Judicial Council, the  
12 Honorable Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye on December 15, 2021, this Court HEREBY  
13 ORDERS:

- 14 1. December 15, 2021 is deemed a holiday for purpose of computing time  
15 under Penal Code section 825;
- 16 2. the duration of any temporary restraining order that would otherwise  
17 expire because the emergency condition prevented the Mojave multi-  
18 divisional court from conducting proceedings to determine whether a  
19 permanent order should be entered, shall be extended by one (1) day;
- 20 3. the time period provided in section 859b of the Penal Code for the  
21 holding of a preliminary examination is extended from 10 court days to  
22 not more than 11 court days for cases that were scheduled to be heard  
23 in the Mojave multi-divisional court, and for which the statutory deadline  
24 otherwise would expire on December 15, 2021; and
- 25 4. the time period provided in section 1382 of the Penal Code within which

1 a trial must be held is extended by one (1) day for cases that were scheduled to be  
2 heard in the Mojave multi-divisional court and for which the statutory deadline  
3 otherwise would expire on December 15, 2021.  
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5 THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.  
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7 Dated: December 15, 2021.  
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10 Judith K. Dulcich  
11 Assistant Presiding Judge  
12 Kern County Superior Court  
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