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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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FOR THE COUNTY OF VENTURA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER RE: EXTENSION OF CITATION COURT APPEARANCE DATES DUE TO COVID-19

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 20.06

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Due to the COVID-19 epidemic President Trump has declared a national emergency, the Governor has issued a Declaration of a State of Emergency and an Executive Order of March 19, 2020 that all Californians are to stay at home, unless employed in a job that provides essential needs. To protect the health and safety of the public, and court personnel and under the court's inherent authority to control its own calendars and the Presiding Judge's duty to take into account the needs of the public and court as they relate to the efficient and effective management of the court's calendar, (California Rules of Court, rule 10.603(c)), THIS COURT HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS

FOLLOWS:

The Ventura Superior Court is currently closed to non-emergency matters. As hearings on traffic citations are non-emergency matters, all law enforcement traffic officers located within the County of Ventura are to schedule court appearance dates 90 days from the date of issuance of the citation.

THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY AND MAY BE AMENDED AS CIRCUMSTANCES REQUIRE.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: March 24, 2020

Kent M. Kellegrew

Presiding Judge

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