SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

GENERAL ORDER RE: IMPLEMENTATION OF EMERGENCY RELIEF AUTHORIZED PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 68115 BY CHAIR OF JUDICIAL COUNCIL [AMENDED AND CORRECTED NUNC PRO TUNC]

Exercising the authority granted under Government Code section 68115 and Governor Newsom's Executive Order N-38-20 and the March 30, 2020 statewide order and the December 28, 2021 Order ("Order") of Chief Justice Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye, Chair of the Judicial Council of California, issued in response to the December 27, 2021 request for an emergency order made by the Superior Court of Santa Barbara County ("Court"), this Court HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. Any Judge of the Court may extend the time period provided in section 825 of the Penal Code within which a defendant charged with a felony offense must be taken before a magistrate from 48 hours to not more than 7 days, applicable only to cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from December 28, 2021, to January 26, 2022, inclusive (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(8)); and
- 2. Any Judge of the court may extend the time period provided in section 1382 of the Penal Code for the holding of a criminal trial by not more than 30 days, applicable only to cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from December 28, 2021 through January 26, 2022, inclusive (Gov. Code, §68115(a)(10));
- 3. The Court will collaborate with local justice partners to conduct a trial at an earlier date, if a court may do so in compliance with applicable health and safety laws, regulations, and orders including the use of remote technology.

THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 2/8, 2/021/NUNC PRO TUNC.

DATED: December 28, 2021

GUSTAVO E. LAVAYEN Presiding Judge