

1 SUPERIOR COURT  
2 COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO  
247 West Third Street, Eleventh Floor  
3 San Bernardino, CA 92415-0302  
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8 **IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**  
9 **FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO**  
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11 IN RE:

12 DECLARING COURT HOLIDAY FOR  
13 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATIONS  
14 SCHEDULED TO BE HEARD AT THE  
15 SAN BERNARDINO JUSTICE CENTER  
16 ON JUNE 8, 2020

} GENERAL ORDER OF THE  
PRESIDING JUDGE

17 Public health agencies, including the CDC, the California Department of Public  
18 Health, and local county health departments have recommended that essential  
19 businesses maintain stringent health and safety measures targeted at reducing the  
20 spread of COVID-19. These measures include requiring all persons to wear face  
21 coverings when they are outside of their homes, and to maintain social distancing of at  
22 least six feet between people. Public health officials also recommend increased  
23 cleaning and sanitization of common areas.

24 On or about June 6, 2020, the court learned that several judicial officers and  
25 court staff had been exposed to persons that have been confirmed to have COVID-19.  
26 Consequently, in accordance with public health officials' recommended public health  
27 and safety measures, the court must perform enhanced cleaning and sanitization in the  
28 areas within the courthouse where the infected persons are known to have travelled.

GENERAL ORDER: DECLARING COURT HOLIDAY FOR PRELIMINARY EXAMINATIONS SCHEDULED TO BE  
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1 The court also needs time to reallocate its resources to account for the judicial officers  
2 and court staff who have been placed on 14-day quarantine due to their exposure to the  
3 infected persons.

4 In her March 17, 2020 statewide order, Chief Justice Tani Cantil-Sakauye  
5 permitted courts to make changes in court operations during this pandemic to protect  
6 the health and safety of the public, court personal, and criminal defendants brought  
7 before the court. Consequently, pursuant to California Rule of Court 10.603 and the  
8 Chief Justice's March 17, 2020 statewide order, the court HEREBY ORDERS AS  
9 FOLLOWS:

10 Monday, June 8, 2020, is deemed a holiday under Civ. Code § 12 for purposes  
11 of computing time for the holding of a preliminary examination under Pen. Code § 859b  
12 if the preliminary examination was on calendar for hearing at the San Bernardino  
13 Justice Center, 247 W. Third Street, San Bernardino, CA 92415 on June 8, 2020.

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15 THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

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17 Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2020.

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22 R. GLENN YABUNO for MICHAEL A. SACHS  
23 Presiding Judge of the Superior Court  
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