

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SHASTA

Date: March 23, 2020

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In the Matter of:

**ORDER RE ADDITIONAL AUTHORIZATION FOR EMERGENCY RELIEF DUE TO  
COVID-19**

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**NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS: ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 16-2020**

Effective this date, pursuant to additional authorization granted by the Chief Justice of California, Chair of the Judicial Council, the Superior Court of California, County of Shasta orders as set forth in the General Order dated today, which is attached and incorporated herein.

This order is made in furtherance of compliance with the CDC and California Department of Public Health guidelines and recommendations to take precautionary measures to ensure the health and safety of the community.

The attached order of the Chief Justice is incorporated as a part of this Administrative Order.

Dated: March 23, 2020



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Daniel E. Flynn  
Presiding Judge

Dated: March 23, 2020



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Monique D. McKee  
Asst. Presiding Judge

## THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, and the proclamations of a states of emergency by Governor Gavin Newsom and President Donald Trump, it has been determined that the conditions described in section 68115 of the Government Code are met with regard to the Superior Court of Shasta County (the Court). On March 17, 2020, an Order issued at the request of Presiding Judge Daniel Flynn, authorizing the Court to implement certain relief authorized by section 68115. Upon, the further request of Presiding Judge Flynn, it is ordered that the Court is additionally authorized to do the following:

- Declare that any dates from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, be deemed holidays for purposes of computing the time for filing papers with the court under Code of Civil Procedure sections 12 and 12a. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(4).)
- Declare that any dates from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, be deemed holidays for purposes of computing the time (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(5)) under:
  - Welfare and Institutions Code section 313 (time to release minor taken into custody pending dependency proceedings);
  - Welfare and Institutions Code section 315 (time to hold detention hearing for minor taken into custody pending dependency proceedings);
  - Welfare and Institutions Code section 334 (time to hold hearing on dependency petition);
  - Welfare and Institutions Code section 631 (time to release minor taken into custody pending wardship proceedings);
  - Welfare and Institutions Code section 632 (time to hold detention hearing for minor taken into custody pending wardship proceedings);
  - Welfare and Institutions Code section 637 (time to hold detention rehearing in wardship proceedings if parent/guardian files affidavit asserting lack of notice of hearing or minor requests evidence of prima facie case); and
  - Welfare and Institutions Code section 657 (time to hear wardship petition).

- Extend the time periods provided in sections 583.310 and 583.320 of the Code of Civil Procedure to bring an action to trial by not more than 15 days. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(6).) This applies only to cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive.
- Extend by not more than 15 days the duration of any temporary restraining order that would otherwise expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, because the emergency condition described herein prevented the court from conducting proceedings to determine whether a permanent order should be entered. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(7).)
- Extend the time period provided in section 859b of the Penal Code for the holding of a preliminary examination from 10 court days to not more than 15 court days, applicable only to cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(9).)
- Extend the time period provided in section 313 of the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a minor taken into custody pending dependency proceedings must be released from custody to not more than seven (7) days. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(11).) This applies only to minors for whom the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020 to April 13, 2020, inclusive.
- Extend the time period provided in section 315 of the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a minor taken into custody pending dependency proceedings must be given a detention hearing to not more than seven (7) days. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(11).) This applies only to minors for whom the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020 to April 13, 2020, inclusive.
- Extend the time periods provided in sections 632 and 637 of the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a minor taken into custody pending wardship proceedings and charged with a felony offense must be given a detention hearing or rehearing to not more than seven (7) days. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(11).) This applies only to minors for whom the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive.

- Extend the time period provided in section 334 of the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a hearing on a juvenile dependency petition must be held by not more than fifteen (15) days. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(12).) This applies only to minors for whom the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive.
- Extend the time period provided in section 657 of the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a hearing on a wardship petition for a minor charged with a felony offense must be held by not more than fifteen (15) days. (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(12).) This applies only to minors for whom the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive.

Date: March 23, 2020



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Hon. Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye  
Chief Justice of California and  
Chair of the Judicial Council

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

**IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SHASTA**

**GENERAL ORDER RE: IMPLEMENTATION OF EMERGENCY RELIEF  
AUTHORIZED PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 68115 BY CHAIR  
OF JUDICIAL COUNCIL**

Exercising the authority granted under Government Code section 68115 and the March 23, 2020 Order (“Order”) of Chief Justice Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye, Chair of the Judicial Council of California, issued in response to the March 21, 2020 request for an emergency order made by the Superior Court of Shasta County (“Court”), this Court **HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. For purposes of computing time for filing papers with the Court under Code of Civil Procedure sections 12 and 12a, from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, are deemed holidays (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(4));

2. For purposes of computing time under Welfare and Institutions Code sections 313, 315, 334, 631, 632, 637, and 657, from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive are deemed holidays (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(5));

3. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time periods provided in sections 583.310 and 583.320 of the Code of Civil Procedure to bring an action to trial by not more than 15 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(6));

4. The Court extends by 15 days the duration of any temporary restraining order that would otherwise expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, because the emergency condition described in the Order prevented the Court from conducting proceedings to determine whether a permanent order should be entered (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(7));

5. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time period provided in section 859b of the Penal Code for the holding of a preliminary examination from 10 court days to not more than 15 court days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(9));

6. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23,

1 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time period provided in section 313 of  
2 the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a minor taken into custody pending dependency  
3 proceedings must be released from custody to not more than 7 days (Gov. Code,  
4 § 68115(a)(11));

5 7. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23,  
6 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, the Court may extend the time period provided in section 315  
7 of the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a minor taken into custody pending  
8 dependency proceedings must be given a detention hearing to not more than 7 days (Gov. Code,  
9 § 68115(a)(11));

10 8. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire on from March  
11 23, 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time periods provided in  
12 sections 632 and 637 of the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a minor taken into  
13 custody pending wardship proceedings and charged with a felony must be given a detention  
14 hearing or rehearing to not more than 7 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(11));

15 9. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23,  
16 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time period provided in section 334 of  
17 the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a hearing on a juvenile dependency petition must  
18 be held by not more than 15 days (Gov. Code, § 68115(a)(12)); and

19 10. In cases in which the statutory deadline otherwise would expire from March 23,  
20 2020, to April 13, 2020, inclusive, the Court extends the time period provided in section 657 of  
21 the Welfare and Institutions Code within which a hearing on a wardship petition for a minor  
22 charged with a felony offense must be held by not more than 15 days (Gov. Code,  
23 § 68115(a)(12)).

24 THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

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26 Dated: 3/23/20

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Daniel E. Flynn, Presiding Judge