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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SOLANO

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ORDER SUSPENDING JURY TRIALS

MISC. NO. M-2-2021

Effective January 13, 2021, and until further notice, jury trials that are not mandated to occur within a statutory deadline are hereby temporarily suspended.

Any parties who wish to object or be heard may do so either in person or remotely, as arranged by the individual judge to whom the case has been assigned for jury trial.

This order is based on the current State imposed regional stay-at-home order that was extended indefinitely on January 8, 2021. This local order suspending trials will be vacated once the current COVID-19 health crisis passes, and the State imposed regional stay-at-home order is lifted.

The Court finds that the present rate of infection in Solano County and in the Bay Area Region is at an all-time high. The resulting ICU capacity has decreased to 4.7% for the Bay Area Region. Summoning groups of public members to the courthouses presently poses an

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1	unnecessary health risk. On balance, this Court finds that risk of COVID-19 infection to all
2	who enter the courthouses outweighs the need to do nonessential jury trials at this time,
3	under the present circumstances.
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5	Dated: January 13, 2021
6	DONNA L. STASHYN Presiding Judge
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