

THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF CALIFORNIA

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, which has created a public emergency for purposes of rule 8.66, subdivision (a), there is an ongoing threat to the orderly operations of the six district Courts of Appeal. Upon the joint request of all six Administrative Presiding Justices, pursuant to rule 8.66, subdivision (c), it is ordered that the Court of Appeal for each appellate district is authorized to do the following:

- Issue an order renewing the current emergency order extending by no more than 30 days the time periods specified by the California Rules of Court. Second extensions of time are limited to acts and events that occur prior to the filing of a decision by the Court of Appeal.

This order is to be in effect for proceedings in which the time period in the California Rules of Court would occur between the day in April 2020 that is the last day of the court's current implementation order, and through and including May 18, 2020.

Date: April 15, 2020



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