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**ORDER RE ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES**

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Beginning March 17, 2020, the State Bar closed its offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles to the public. The State Bar has taken this measure out of an abundance of caution and in an effort to protect staff and the community due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Consequently, the State Bar Court filing window and the courtrooms are closed to the public, effective March 17, 2020 and until further notice.

To facilitate the parties' ability to conduct State Bar Court business during the COVID-19 pandemic and until further order of this court, a party or other person may use an electronic signature to satisfy the signature requirement of State Bar Court Rules of Practice, rule 1110(h).

For purposes of this Order,

(A) An electronic signature is created when the party signs (types or prints) as follows:

(1) /s/ NAME; and

(2) If the party is a licensed attorney, the attorney's State Bar license number (e.g., /s/ John Doe, State Bar license number 123456).

(B) The electronic signature and State Bar license number must be in 12-point font or larger.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Catherine D. Purcell  
Presiding Judge