

**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MENDOCINO**

**FILED**

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CLERK OF MENDOCINO COUNTY  
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
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**In Re:**

**EXPENDITURE AUTHORIZATION  
Government Code 77009(e) and  
California Rules of Court, Rule 10.603(c)(6)(D)**

STANDING ORDER  
2017-08

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Pursuant to Government Code section 77009(e), the following person is designated to authorize and direct expenditures from the Trial Court Operations Fund:

Christopher D. Ruhl, Court Executive Officer

THEREFORE, Pursuant to California Rules of Court, rule 10.603(c)(6)(D) (authority and duties of the presiding judge related to budget and fiscal management), Christopher D. Ruhl, Court Executive Officer, is delegated the duty to approve all procurements, contracts, expenditures, and the allocation of funds.

This standing order shall expire on **December 31, 2017**.

Dated: 12/17/16

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JOHN A. BEHNKE  
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court