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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

GENERAL ORDER RE: EXTENSION OF  
TIME FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS IN  
UNLIMITED CIVIL CASES

ORDER NO. 2020-44

In light of the COVID-19 pandemic and proclamations of a State of Emergency by federal, state and local officials, and the subsequent state and local shelter in place orders, to protect the health and safety of the public, attorneys, litigants, witnesses, court personnel and judicial officers, and to restore services to the public, the court hereby revokes paragraph 6 of General Order 2020-15 and replaces it with the following:

In all unlimited civil actions in which service of process was completed on or before July 16, 2020, the time in which to file a responsive pleading under Code of Civil Procedure section 585 is hereby extended to 30 calendar days from the earliest of the following:

GENERAL ORDER RE: SERVICE IN UNLIMITED CIVIL CASES

1 A. The termination of the State of Emergency that was declared by the  
2 Governor of the State of California on March 4, 2020.

3 B. The service of Local Form RI-CI037 to the address at which personal  
4 service or substitute service of the summons was completed. Service  
5 of this form shall either be personal or by first class mail, but if by first  
6 class mail the time in which to file a responsive pleading is extended by  
7 an additional five calendar days.

8 C. The date on which service by publication or service on the Secretary of  
9 State was completed, if authorized by the court.

10 Upon application for entry of a default, when the proof of service of the summons  
11 and complaint shows that service was completed under Code of Civil Procedure  
12 sections 415.10, 415.20, or 415.50, or under Corporations Code §1702(a), on or before  
13 July 16, 2020, the clerk of the court shall reject all applications for entry of default in  
14 cases affected by this order submitted prior to the expiration of the time in ¶A unless  
15 accompanied by a proof of service showing compliance with ¶B or by a copy of the  
16 order authorizing service by alternate means to show compliance with ¶C. In all cases  
17 where service of summons was completed after July 16, 2020, the clerk shall enter  
18 default upon timely application when authorized by law.

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20 No part of this order shall apply to unlawful detainer actions.


21 This order shall expire 30 calendar days after the termination of the State of

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1 Emergency declared by the Governor of the State of California on March 4, 2020 or  
2 upon further order of this court.

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4 IT IS SO ORDERED, on 2/4, 2020.

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7 JOHN W. VINEYARD  
8 Presiding Judge  
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