

1 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
2 COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
247 West Third Street, Eleventh Floor
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0210

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4 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
5 FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

6) GENERAL ORDER


7) REJECTION BY CLERK OF PETITION TO
8) TERMINATE SEX OFFENDER
9) REGISTRATION WHEN PETITION FILED
UNTIMELY PURSUANT TO PC§
290.5(a)(1)

10 In an effort to reduce judicial and clerical time, as well as prevent the unnecessary
11 use of resources of justice partner agencies when a Petition to Terminate Sex Offender
12 Registration is filed untimely pursuant to PC§ 290.5(a)(1), it is hereby ordered that the
13 Clerk's Office may reject petitions filed prematurely. The Court finds that PC§ 290.5(a)(1)
14 requires petitions to be filed on or after the petitioner's next birthday after July 1, 2021, and
15 any petition filed earlier is premature.

16 The Clerk's Office is ordered to verify the date of birth listed on the petition and, if
17 the underlying case was filed in San Bernardino County, by verifying case file records.
18 When rejecting a petition pursuant to this General Order, the Clerk shall provide a rejection
19 notice to Petitioner, and send notice to any Law Enforcement Agency and District
20 Attorney's office listed within the petition as having been served. If there is a discrepancy
21 between the petition and case file record regarding petitioner's date of birth, the Clerk will
22 accept the petition and forward it to a Judicial Officer for review and direction.

23 It is so ordered.

24 Dated this 10 day of June, 2021.

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27 MICHAEL A. SACHS
28 Presiding Judge
Judge of the Superior Court