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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF AMADOR

GENERAL ORDER 10-003

) ORDER RE: POSSESSION OF WEAPONS
) IN COURTHOUSE OR OTHER FACILITY
) USED BY THE COURT
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)

IT IS ORDERED that no person, other than a uniformed peace officer in the performance of his or her official duties or a peace officer designated by the prosecution as the investigating officer in a criminal proceeding currently pending before the court , shall enter the Amador County Courthouse, located at 500 Argonaut Lane, Jackson, California, or any other facility used by the court, carrying a dangerous weapon, whether concealed or unconcealed. An investigating officer must notify court security of his or her intent to carry a firearm upon entering the courthouse. A dangerous weapon is defined as any firearm, explosive device, gaseous or chemical device designed to be a weapon, any knife, any ice pick, awl, dirk, dagger, stiletto, bayonet or similar sharp stabbing tool, any straight edged razor, or any cutting, stabbing or bludgeoning weapon or device intended to be used as a club or capable of inflicting great bodily harm.

Except as provided above, this order applies to all persons, including (1) persons licensed to carry concealed firearms (Penal Code Section 12050), (2) peace officers not in uniform (3) peace officers not engaged in the performance of their official duties, and (4) peace officers appearing in court as a party to an action (Penal Code Section 171b(b)(2)(B).)

The Court provides lockers for securing firearms at 500 Argonaut Lane, Jackson. These lockers are for the exclusive use of peace officers engaged in the performance of their official duties. Peace officers not in uniform, and not designated as investigating officers by the prosecution, but otherwise engaged in the performance of their official duties, may enter the Courthouse with a firearm for the limited purpose of securing the firearm in a gun locker. All other persons are advised to make arrangements for securing their weapon prior to entering the Courthouse or other court facility. This order supersedes the General Order 07-003, and shall remain in effect indefinitely

and until such time as the order is vacated or superseded by the Presiding Judge.

DATED:

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DAVID S. RICHMOND, PRESIDING JUDGE OF THE

SUPERIOR COURT