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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 IN RE:  
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12 CORONAVIRUS PUBLIC  
13 EMERGENCY  
14 USE OF VIDEO AND TELEPHONIC  
15 CONFERENCE TECHNOLOGY IN  
16 CERTAIN CRIMINAL  
17 PROCEEDINGS

ORDER OF THE CHIEF JUDGE  
21-031

18 WHEREAS on March 29, 2020, Order of the Chief Judge No. 20-043 was  
19 issued authorizing the use of video and telephonic conference technology in certain  
20 criminal proceedings under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act  
21 (“CARES Act”);

22 WHEREAS all findings and authorizations in Order of the Chief Judge No. 20-  
23 043 have been previously extended for additional 90-day periods through Orders of the  
24 Chief Judge Nos. 20-080, 20-079, and 20-186;

25 WHEREAS the emergency authority granted under the CARES Act has not  
26 been terminated; and

27 WHEREAS the authorizations granted in Order of the Chief Judge No. 20-043  
28 continue to be warranted;

