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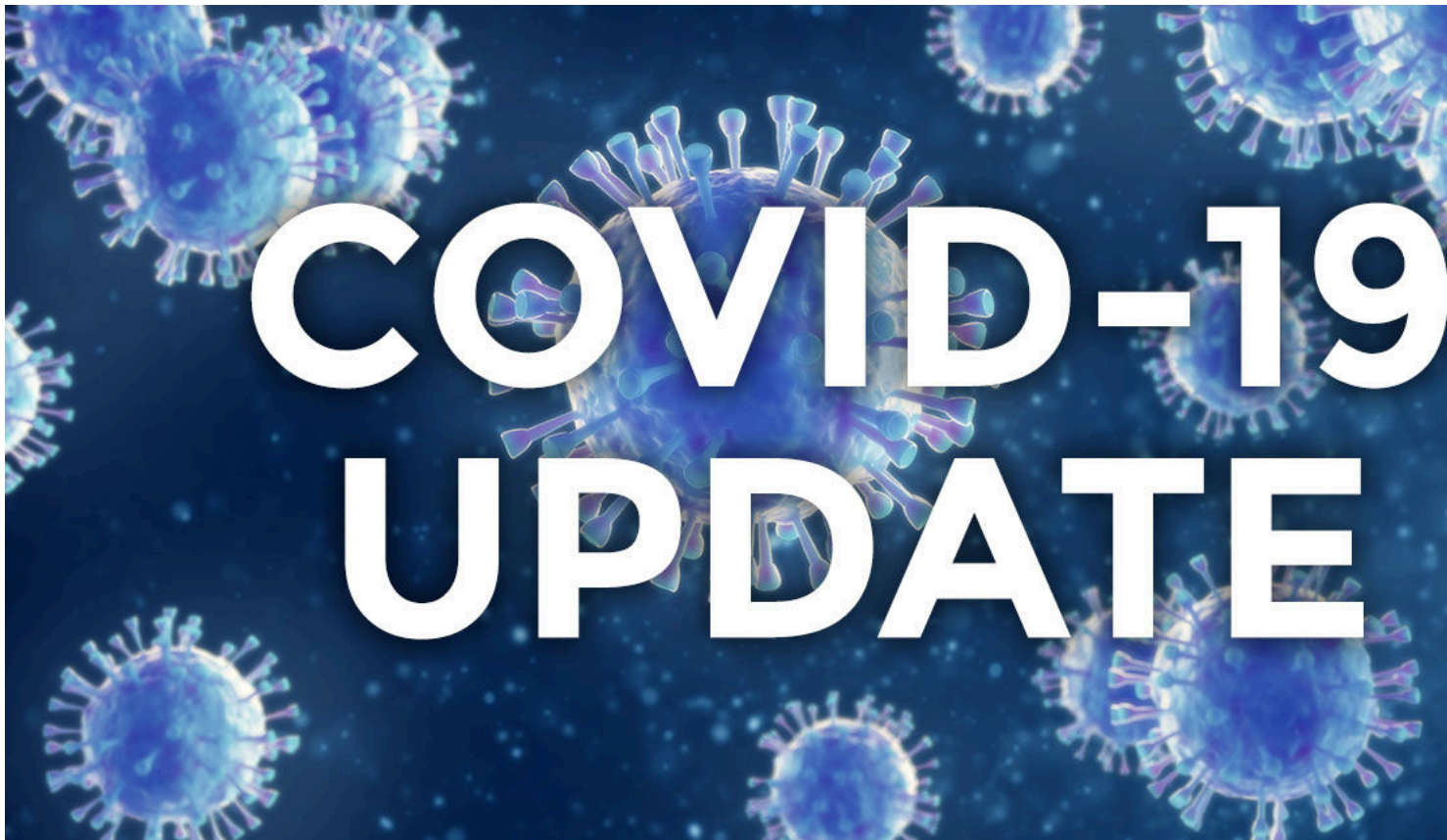
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6/10	Arraignment Time Extension Rescinded Rescinds provision in previous statewide order authorizing courts to extend time for defendants to be arraigned. Defendants again arraigned within 48 hours. • Previous order (link) authorizing courts to extend arraignments from 48 hours to seven days.	Order
4/29	Criminal trial time extension The order adds a 30-day extension of time, bringing extensions of time to hold criminal trials during the pandemic to a total of 90 days.	(News Release Order)
3/30	Temporary emergency measures Order implements action approved by Judicial Council on March 28; clarifies order suspending jury trials for 60 days	(News Release Order)
3/23	Suspended all jury trials by 60 days and allowing courts to immediately adopt new rules to address the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic	(News Release Order)

	California Supreme Court Orders	
4/10	An administrative order amending its order of March 20, 2020, extending deadlines in all high court proceedings for an additional 30 days.	Order
3/20	Extended deadlines by 30 days "to do any act required or permitted under CA Rules of Court." The order applies only to California Supreme Court proceedings with deadlines from March 20 through April 20.	(News Release Order)
3/18	Expanded electronic filing of all documents, including briefs.	(News Release)
3/16	Amended oral argument procedure "to protect the health and safety of the public."	(Order)

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