SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MENDOCINO

In Re:		
REQUESTS FOR ADULT PROBATION RECORDS	/	STANDING ORDER 2021-04

WHEREAS, records of the Mendocino County Probation Department are court records pursuant to Penal Code § 1203.10, and are not subject to subpoena duces tecum (See County of Placer v. Superior Court (2005) 130 Cal. App.4th 807);

WHEREAS, the Mendocino County Probation Department has requested that this court institute a procedure for seeking access to Probation Department records;

THEREFORE, the Superior Court of California, County of Mendocino, hereby orders:

- 1. A defendant/probationer or other party to a criminal proceeding may file a properly noticed motion with the Court (1) requesting access for inspection of any non-confidential records believed to be in the custody of the Probation Department or (2) allowing inspection or access to confidential portions of the probationer's file, upon a necessary showing of good cause.
- 2. Upon a finding or order from the Court authorizing access to or allowing inspection of records in the custody of the Probation Department, the Probation Department shall make such records available to the defendant/probationer and/or counsel consistent with the Court's order.

This standing order shall expire on December 31, 2021.

Dated: 10-6-2021

ANN C. MOORMAN

Presiding Judge of the Superior Court