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OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA: Superior Court of Alameda County adopts emergency "zero bail" schedule and additional amendments to emergency Local Rules.

On June 10, 2020, the Judicial Council of California approved Circulating Order 20-11, which repealed its previously issued statewide Emergency Bail Schedule as of June 20, 2020. In light of that repeal, the Superior Court of Alameda County (Court), in consultation with its justice partners and with the unanimous consent of its Judicial Executive Committee, today adopted its own "zero bail" emergency bail schedule through amendments to emergency Local Rule 4.115.

The Court's amended emergency bail schedule incorporates the repealed statewide schedule into the emergency bail schedule previously adopted by the Court during this coronavirus crisis. The Court also made related conforming amendments to emergency Local Rule 4.116, which permits bail requests pursuant to Penal Code section 1269c.

Additionally, the Court adopted amendments to emergency Local Rule 1.8a, staying the execution of previously-issued writs of possession in unlawful detainer cases through July 15, 2020, and conservatee-related amendments to emergency Local Rule 7.825.