IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN THE MATTER OF FILING PETITIONS PURSUANT TO A.R.S. §36-419 REGARDING DO-NOT-RESUSCITATE ORDERS

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER No. 2019 - 110

Arizona Revised Statutes § 36-419 concerning do-not-resuscitate orders involving minors was added by House Bill 2122 and went into effect on August 27, 2019. Among other things, the statute allows a parent or guardian of a minor to file a petition in superior court for an order enjoining a health care provider from violating, or threating to violate, the provisions of the statute relating to implementing a do-not-resuscitate order on the minor or to resolve conflicts between parents. Once a petition is filed, the statute requires the superior court to hold a hearing on the petition.

To ensure prompt and efficient resolution of the petition, IT IS ORDERED that any petitions filed with the Clerk of Court pursuant to this statute will be assigned to a judicial officer in the Superior Court's Probate and Mental Health Department for adjudication.

Dated this <u>29th</u> day of August, 2019.

/s/ Joseph C. Welty Honorable Joseph C. Welty Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

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