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

IN THE MATTER OF ACCESS TO CLOSED OR CONFIDENTIAL PROBATION & SENTENCING RECORDS & INFORMATION

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2021-021

Pursuant to Rule 123, Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona, it is hereby ORDERED that the persons identified below shall have access to the court records specified in this ORDER, subject to the conditions set forth below:

 This ORDER authorizes access by the following individuals to court records for the purpose of their participation in the Sentencing Seminar and Workshop being conducted by the Maricopa County Superior Court and the Arizona State University Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law:

Administrative Office of the Courts Personnel Hon. Ronald Reinstein (Ret.)

SDOC College of Law Faculty/Staff: Estela Obregon (faculty administrative assistant); Marco Escobedo (copy center personnel)

SDOC College of Law Students:
Matthew Bartley,
Anna Boerwinkle,
Evelyn Duenas,
Grace Duval,
Brooke Franco,
Corinne Heinstein,
Arpita Kundu,
Madeline Louis,
Megan Manning,
Chibuike Ndibe,
Gregory Reinhart, and
Carter Santini.

2. This ORDER pertains to and includes the following types of case records: social studies, probation supervision histories and any other records submitted by probation officers or the parties to the Court for use in making sentencing decisions. With respect to (a) criminal history record information that has been provided to the Court by the NCIC, ACIC or any other criminal justice agency, (b) diagnostic evaluations, (c) psychiatric, psychological, and medical reports, and (d)

alcohol and substance abuse screening and treatment reports, participating judges may summarize this information and provide written summaries thereof. These documents and information shall remain confidential and closed.

- 3. In cases selected by individual judges of this Court, the law students identified in paragraph 1 are authorized to observe all phases of the presentence investigation conducted by the Maricopa County Adult Probation Department. The students shall be permitted to view the case records, including social studies, probation supervision histories, and any other records submitted by probation officers or the parties to the Court for use in making sentencing decisions. The law students shall not disseminate any information contained in such records to any person not participating in the Sentencing Seminar and Workshop.
- 4. All persons identified in paragraph 1 shall have access to and a copy of the case records in those cases selected by individual judges of this Court for inclusion in the Sentencing Workshop. This year, the Workshop session will occur on April 9, 2021. The Workshop participants shall not disseminate any information contained in such records to any person not participating in the Sentencing Seminar and Workshop and shall return all copies of the case records within one week after the conclusion of the Workshop session.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 2021.

/s/ Joseph C. Welty

Hon. Joseph C. Welty Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

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Hon. Jennifer Ryan-Touhill, Superior Court Judge

Hon. Howard Sukenic, Superior Court Judge

Hon. Sigmund G. Popko, Superior Court Commissioner