

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FEB - 1 2023 COUNTY OF KINGS

1640 Kings County Drive, Hanford, California 9329 FRIOR COUNT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF KINGS Juvenile Division

No. 2023-04

STANDING ORDER REGARDING RELEASE OF INFORMATION TO NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING AND EXPLOITED CHILDREN

The Juvenile Court finds that:

The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children ("NCMEC") facilitates the return of the children who have run away or are otherwise missing from their homes. The Kings County Human Services Agency, Child Protective Services (CPS) cooperates with NCMEC to locate and return missing foster youth. Penal Code section 11166 requires CPS to report a missing youth to NCMEC when that youth is believed to be the victim of, or at risk of being the victim of, commercial sexual exploitation. Juvenile court cases are subject to the confidentiality provisions and privileges of the law and the constitutional right to privacy. (Cal. Const., Art. I, § I; Welf. & Inst. Code, § 827.) Pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code section 827 and rule 5.552 of the California Rules of Court, CPS requests a standing court order allowing CPS to share information with NCMEC.

FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that NCMEC may be provided confidential information about youths who are missing from foster care and are known or are reasonably believed to be at risk of commercial sexual exploitation subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. CPS may share with NCMEC confidential information about a youth who is missing from foster care and known or reasonably believed to be at risk of commercial sexual exploitation. (California Department of Social Services All County Letter 16-15.) NCMEC, or any other agency acting in cooperation with NCMEC to help locate the

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missing youth, may publish photographs and poster of the youth in a place and manner deemed most likely to achieve the youth's return. Such photographs and posters may include the missing youth's name, age, and identifying information, (including, but not limited to, height, weight, ethnicity, identifying marks, hair color, and eye color.)

2. No information about the youth's dependency, including status as a foster youth, shall be released by way of published posters, photographs, or any other materials without further order of this Court.

This order shall expire on December 31, 2023.

Dated: 02 01 23

JENNIFER GIULIANI, JUDGE