IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

In the Matter of the: Response to COVID-19 Pandemic,

PJ ORDER # 846

Pursuant to the authority granted to presiding judges by Special Order of the Chief Justice No. 8129 (13 March 2020), the jury trials that were to begin during the week of 16-20 March 2020 in Palmer, Kenai, and Anchorage are cancelled. The period between today and the date that each criminal trial is rescheduled is tolled pursuant to Criminal Rule 45(d)(7).

Existing trials are continuing to be held. Grand juries are still sitting. No decision has yet been made regarding trials set to begin the following weeks or in other court locations in the Third Judicial District.

Dated: 13 March 2020 William F. Morse Presiding Judge Third Judicial District Distribution Chief Justice Joel Bolger Administrative Director Stacey Marz Area Court Administrator Carol McAllen 3rd Judicial District Judicial Officers Alaska Bar Association, 3rd District Members Court Rules Attorney 3rd Judicial District Clerks of Court Anchorage District Attorney John Novak Alaska Department of Law Criminal Division Director Paul Miovas Public Defender Samantha Cherot Director of Office of Public Advocacy James Stinson Municipal Attorney Kate Vogel Denali Law Group