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Referring court division information: **SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF** STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	***FOR COURT USE ONLY***
Receiving court division information (if different than referring court): **SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF** STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	
CARE ACT PROCEEDINGS FOR *(name):*	
☐ **RULING OR** ☐ **ORDER ON COURT REFERRAL TO CARE ACT COURT**	CASE NUMBER: REFERRING COURT: CARE ACT COURT (*if applicable*):

The court has read and reviewed the written referral from a court under Welfare and Institutions Code section 5978. Based on the information contained in the written referral, the court finds as follows *(check 1 or 2):*

1. ☐ The court accepts the referral as a petition. The referral contains all the information required by Welfare and Institutions Code section 5975 to be included in a CARE process petition, and the information included in the referral makes a prima facie showing that the respondent is, or may be, a person described in Welfare and Institutions Code section 5972. The court will:
   a. Notify the referring court that the referral has been accepted as a petition for CARE Act proceedings.
   b. Complete *Order for CARE Act Report* (form CARE-105) for these CARE Act proceedings.
2. ☐ The court does not accept the referral as a petition. A copy of the written referral is attached to this order. The court orders *(name):* , the appropriate petitioner candidate identified in Welfare and Institutions Code section 5978(f), to do the following within 14 court days:
   a. Complete an investigation to determine whether to file a petition on behalf of the referred individual.
   b. Notify the referring court whether it intends to file a CARE Act petition on behalf of the referred individual.

Date:

Judicial Officer

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