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August 3, 2016

Hon. Edmund G. Brown, Jr. Governor of California State Capitol, First Floor Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 1867 (Steinorth) – Request for Signature

Dear Governor Brown:

The Judicial Council respectfully requests your signature on AB 1867, which includes within the definition of an "electronically digitized copy" a copy that is made by scanning, photographing, or otherwise exactly reproducing a document, is stored or maintained in a digitized format, and that meets specified requirements. By expanding the definition of "electronically digitized copy" the council believes AB 1867 will enhance the ability of courts to increase efficiencies by taking advantage of emerging technology. Moreover, AB 1867 is consistent with other efforts of the Judicial Branch to reduce paper copies through the use of emerging technology.

For these reasons, the Judicial Council requests your signature on AB 1867.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Sharon Reilly at 916-323-3121.

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Sincerely,

Cory T. Jasperson

Director, Governmental Affairs

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cc: Hon. Marc Steinorth, Member of the Assembly

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