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August 18, 2014

Hon. Susan Bonilla  
Member of the Assembly  
State Capitol, Room 4140  
Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 2499 (Bonilla), as amended July 3, 2014 - Support

Dear Assembly Member Bonilla:

The Judicial Council is pleased to support the provision of AB 2499 that provides that unless otherwise ordered by the court, mandatory supervision commences upon release from physical custody or an alternative custody program, whichever is later.

The council supports AB 2499 because it enhances judicial discretion when courts impose sentences involving mandatory supervision and clarifies an ambiguity in the law about when mandatory supervision begins for a defendant. AB 2499 clarifies that mandatory supervision begins upon release from physical custody or alternative custody, whichever is later. It also enhances judicial discretion by permitting the court to order another date upon which mandatory supervision commences as appropriate to the individual facts and circumstances of the defendant. If the court does not order another date upon which mandatory supervision begins, then the statutory language will control when mandatory supervision begins.

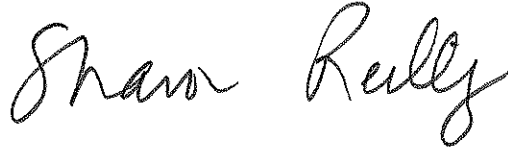
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For these reasons, The Judicial Council is pleased to support the provision of AB 2499 relating to mandatory supervision.

Sincerely,

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Sharon Reilly  
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cc: Mr. Nick Warner, Policy Director, California State Sheriffs' Association  
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September 18, 2014

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

Subject: AB 2499 (Bonilla) – Request for Signature

Dear Governor Brown:

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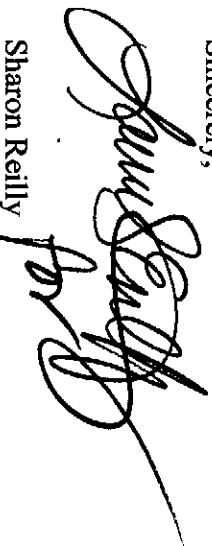
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For these reasons, the Judicial Council requests your signature on AB 2499.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sharon Reilly". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, stylized "S" at the beginning and a long, sweeping underline.

Sharon Reilly  
Senior Attorney

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