### **TENTATIVE RULINGS**

FOR: April 22, 2021

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# <u>PROBATE CALENDAR – Hon. Victoria Wood, Dept. A (Historic Courthouse) at 8:30 a.m.</u>

#### **Conservatorship of Jeffrey Monroe**

26-67844

- [1] ACCOUNTING AND REPORT OF CONSERVATOR AND PETITION FOR ITS SETTLEMENT AND FOR FEES
- [2] BIENNIAL REVIEW

**TENTATIVE RULING:** The matter is continued to May 13, 2021, at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. A, to allow for preparation of an accounting. The clerk is directed to send notice to the parties.

## <u>CIVIL LAW & MOTION CALENDAR – Hon. Victoria Wood, Dept. A (Historic Courthouse) at 8:30 a.m.</u>

## Kathryn Marissa Aquilla v. Vinepals Inc., et al.

20CV000696

MOTION TO COMPEL INITIAL RESPONSES TO FORM INTERROGATORIES AND REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS

**TENTATIVE RULING:** Plaintiff Kathryn Marissa Aquilla's motion to compel initial responses to form interrogatories (set one) and request for production of documents (set one) is GRANTED. Defendants Vinepals Inc. and Timothy M. Bergman shall serve verified codecompliant initial responses, without objections, within 20 calendar days of service of notice of entry of order.

Plaintiff's request for monetary sanctions is DENIED. Defendants did not oppose the motion, which means monetary sanctions are not authorized. (See Code Civ. Proc., §§ 2030.290, subd. (c) [providing that monetary sanctions are authorized against any party, person, or attorney who "unsuccessfully . . . opposes a motion to compel . . . ."], 2031.300, subd. (c) [same].)