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September 17, 2021

Hon. Gavin Newsom Governor of California State Capitol, First Floor Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: Senate Bill 71 (McGuire) – Request for Signature

Dear Governor Newsom:

The Judicial Council respectfully requests your signature on SB 71, which permits a court in infraction cases to allow an individual to participate in educational programs to satisfy community service hours to address their total fine in lieu of payment.

The Judicial Council supports SB 71 because it allows courts to provide individuals with the ability to utilize their participation in an educational program to address their infraction offense in lieu of paying fines, fees, and penalties. Additionally, we appreciate that the bill preserves judicial discretion to determine what educational programs are appropriate as well as the means that individuals can use to indicate they have completed their course work.

For these reasons, the Judicial Council requests your signature on SB 71.

Please contact Mark Neuburger at 916-323-3121 for any questions or additional information.

Sincerely,

Sent September 17, 2021

Cory T. Jasperson Director, Governmental Affairs

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cc: Hon. Mike McGuire, Member of the Senate

Ms. Jessica Devencenzi, Deputy Legislative Affairs Secretary, Office of the Governor

Mr. Martin Hoshino, Administrative Director, Judicial Council of California



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June 21, 2021

Hon. Mike McGuire Member of the Senate State Capitol, Room 5061 Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: Senate Bill 71 (McGuire), as amended June 16, 2021 – Support

Dear Senator McGuire:

The Judicial Council is pleased to support SB 71, which permits a court in infraction cases to allow an individual to participate in educational programs to satisfy community service hours to address their total fine in lieu of payment.

The Judicial Council supports SB 71 because it allows courts to provide individuals with the ability to utilize their participation in an educational program to address their infraction offense in lieu of paying fines, fees, and penalties. Additionally, we appreciate your efforts to ensure the bill preserves judicial discretion to determine what educational programs are appropriate as well as the means that individuals can use to indicate they have completed their course work accordingly.

For these reasons, the Judicial Council supports SB 71.

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

Sincerely,

Sent June 21, 2021

Mark Neuburger Legislative Advocate

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cc: Ms. Jessica Devencenzi, Deputy Legislative Secretary, Office of the Governor

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March 5, 2021

Hon. Steven Bradford, Chair Senate Public Safety Committee State Capitol, Room 2059 Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: Senate Bill 71 [McGuire], as introduced – Support Hearing: Senate Public Safety Committee – March 9, 2021

Dear Senator Bradford:

The Judicial Council is pleased to support SB 71, which permits a court in infraction cases to allow an individual to participate in educational programs to satisfy community service hours to address their total fine in lieu of payment.

The Judicial Council supports SB 71 because it allows courts to provide individuals with the ability to utilize their participation in an educational program to address their infraction offense in lieu of paying fines, fees, and penalties. Additionally, we appreciate the committee's work to ensure the bill preserves judicial discretion to determine what educational programs are appropriate as well as the means that individuals can use to indicate they have completed their course work.

For these reasons, the Judicial Council supports SB 71.

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

Sincerely,

Sent March 9, 2021

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cc: Members, Senate Public Safety Committee
Hon. Mike McGuire, Member of the Senate
Mary Kennedy, Chief Counsel, Senate Public Safety Committee
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