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**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA** Deputy  
**En Banc**

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FAMILY VIOLENCE APPELLATE PROJECT et al., Petitioners,

v.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY et al., Respondents.

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Respondents are ordered to show cause before this court, when the above-entitled matter is placed on calendar, why the relief sought in the petition should not be granted.

The returns shall be served and filed on or before March 21, 2025.

A reply may be served and filed on or before April 7, 2025.

Any application to file an amicus curiae brief, accompanied by the proposed brief, must be served and filed on or before April 4, 2025.

The Legislature of the State of California is deemed the real party in interest and is invited to file a return.

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*Chief Justice*

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CORRIGAN

*Associate Justice*

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*Associate Justice*

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*Associate Justice*

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GROBAN

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JENKINS

*Associate Justice*

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EVANS

*Associate Justice*