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8 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
9 JUVENILE COURT

11 On behalf of:

12 The Department of Children and Family
13 Services,

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15 Petitioner.

**SPECIAL BLANKET ORDER RE:
WAIVER OF CONFIDENTIALITY
FOR LOS ANGELES COUNTY
OFFICE OF EDUCATION (LACOE)**

16 The Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) is hereby authorized to release
17 specific information on selected children under DCFS supervision to the Los Angeles County Office
18 of Education (LACOE), in order to facilitate administration of the Foster Youth Services (FYS) state
19 funded grant for foster youth. DCFS is directed to verify the name, date of birth, residence address
20 of each child concerned and the fact that each minor is eligible under the grant prior to the release
21 of any information to the LACOE Foster Youth Services Program.

22 Confidentiality is waived as to all participating minors; however, it is the court's express
23 intention to waive confidentiality solely for the purpose of the LACOE FYS Program. DCFS shall
24 exercise extreme caution that applicability of the general terms and conditions of this order are
25 strictly controlled as to individual children and their families.


26 DCFS Program administrators are directed to maintain a complete internal DCFS listing of
27 all minors covered by this order, to ensure that parties are advised regarding the confidentiality of
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1 minor's records are limited, specific exceptions thereto which are authorized by this order. The form
2 Declaration in Support of Access to Juvenile Court Records (WIC §827) is to be personally executed
3 by each DCFS and LACOE staff person involved in the project and all original declarations to be
4 filed with and maintained by DCFS. Further, a complete list of the children covered by this order
5 shall be kept by DCFS and immediately presented to the Juvenile Court upon request, or at the
6 completion of this project.

7 This order remains in full force and effect for the duration of the grant, unless revoked at an
8 earlier date by the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court.

9 A true copy of this order is hand delivered this date to the DCFS Court Liaison, for the
10 transmittal to appropriate DCFS and LACOE staff.

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12 DATED: 3/14/00

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15 TERRY FRIEDMAN
16 Presiding Judge Juvenile Court
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