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**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING**

8) No. 24-0-12050-8
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11) ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
12) FINDING GOOD CAUSE TO DESIGNATE
RE: PUBLIC VENUE FOR INQUEST) OFFICE SPACE FOR INQUEST
PROCEEDINGS) PROCEEDINGS
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13 Pursuant to RCW 36.24.020, the Superior Court is required to schedule a courtroom for
14 county inquest proceedings. When the court is unable to accommodate the needs of inquest
15 proceedings, it may, for good cause shown, designate a comparable public venue for the inquest
16 hearing in the county.

17 The court makes the following findings:

- 18 1. Adequate space for inquest operations is currently not available within the
19 courtrooms and other facilities available for Superior Court operations.
20 2. Courtroom space adequate for inquest proceedings is available on the third floor of
21 the King County Chinook Building located at 401 Fifth Avenue, Seattle, Washington.
22 3. Good cause exists to designate the third floor of the Chinook Building as superior
23 court courtroom space for the purpose of holding inquest proceedings.
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1 The court hereby ORDERS the third floor of the King County Chinook Building located at 401
2 Fifth Avenue, Seattle, Washington as courtroom space for the purpose of holding inquest
3 hearings pursuant to RCW 36.24.020. This order shall remain in effect for all future inquests,
4 unless withdrawn by the court.

5 DATED this 16th day January 2024.

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9 Hon. Ketu Shah
10 Presiding Judge
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Signed By: Ketu Shah
Date: January 17, 2024



Judge: Ketu Shah

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