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**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**  
**IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**  
**SANTA MARIA DIVISION**

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
MICHAEL JOE JACKSON,  
Defendant.

No. 1133603  
(~~PROPOSED~~)  
ORDER DIRECTING THAT  
PLAINTIFF'S REQUEST FOR  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
BE MAINTAINED UNDER  
CONDITIONAL SEAL  
PENDING FURTHER ORDER  
OF COURT

It appearing from the Declaration of Gordon Auchincloss and from the Request for Clarification and its supporting documents that information that hitherto has been sealed is set forth in the Request and its supporting affidavit, disclosure of which may prejudice the right of the parties to a fair trial and the privacy of individuals alleged to be victims in the Indictment, the Court orders as follows:

1. The Request for Order to Show Cause and its supporting affidavit is conditionally sealed; and the OSC re Contempt.
2. The motion to maintain those documents under conditional seal until further order of court shall be heard on December 23, 2004 at 8:30 a.m;
3. The Court will consider the moving party's suggested redacted version of the Request and Declaration, and may, between the date of this Order and December 23, 2004, release a redacted version of the Request and Declaration.

DATED: December 17, 2004

Rodney S. Melville  
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PROOF OF SERVICE  
1013A(1)(3), 1013(c) CCP

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA:

I am a citizen of the United States of America and a resident of the county aforesaid. I am employed by the County of Santa Barbara, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action. My business address is 312-H East Cook Street, Santa Maria, California.

On DECEMBER 14, 20 04, I served a copy of the attached ORDER DIRECTING THAT PLAINTIFF'S REQUEST FOR ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE BE MAINTAINED UNDER CONDITIONAL SEAL PENDING FURTHER ORDER OF COURT addressed as follows:

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FAX

By faxing true copies thereof to the receiving fax numbers of: (310) 861-1007 (Thomas Mesereau, Jr.); (805) 568-2398 (Thomas Sneddon). Said transmission was reported complete and without error. Pursuant to California Rules of Court 2005(i), a transmission report was properly issued by the transmitting facsimile machine and is attached hereto.

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By placing true copies thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage fully prepaid, in the United States Postal Service mail box in the City of Santa Maria, County of Santa Barbara, addressed as above. That there is delivery service by the United States Postal Service at the place so addressed or that there is a regular communication by mail between the place of mailing and the place so addressed.

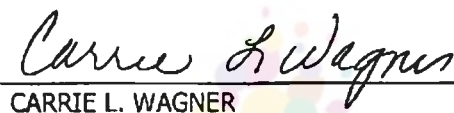
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By leaving a true copy thereof at their office with the person having charge thereof or by hand delivery to the above mentioned parties.

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I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 14<sup>TH</sup> day of DECEMBER, 20 04, at Santa Maria, California.

  
CARRIE L. WAGNER