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## Summary of Cases Accepted and Related Actions During Week of March 17, 2025

*[This news release is issued to inform the public and the press of cases that the Supreme Court has accepted and of their general subject matter. The statement of the issue or issues in each case set out below does not necessarily reflect the view of the court, or define the specific issues that will be addressed by the court.]*

**#25-69 *People v. Delgado*, S289246.** (G063539; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; 95NF0229.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal reversed an order denying a post-judgment motion in a criminal matter and remanded for resentencing.

**#25-70 *People v. Fuentes*, S288936.** (G063648; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; 15CF2362.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal reversed an order denying a post-judgment motion in a criminal matter and remanded for resentencing.

**#25-71 *People v. Reed*, S289067.** (E083073; nonpublished opinion; Riverside County Superior Court; RIF1300690.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal affirmed an order denying a post-judgment motion in a criminal matter.

The court ordered briefing in *Delgado*, *Fuentes*, and *Reed* deferred pending decision in *People v. Rhodius*, S283169 (#24-34), which presents the following issue: Does Senate Bill No. 483 (Stats. 2021, ch. 728) entitle a defendant to a full resentencing hearing under Penal Code section 1172.75 if the defendant's prior prison term enhancements (Pen. Code, § 667.5, subd. (b)) were imposed and stayed, rather than imposed and executed?

**#25-72 *People v. Lastico*, S289149.** (B334929; nonpublished opinion; Los Angeles County Superior Court; NA100312.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal affirmed an order denying a post-judgment motion in a criminal matter. The court ordered briefing deferred pending decision in *In re Hernandez*, S282186 (#23-261),

which presents the following issue: Does the totality of the circumstances establish that defendant meaningfully understood the immigration consequences of her plea?

**#25-73 *People v. Soto*, S289174.** (E082203; nonpublished opinion; San Bernardino County Superior Court; 16CR025625.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal affirmed an order denying a post-judgment motion in a criminal matter. The court ordered briefing deferred pending finality of the decision in *People v. Patton* (March 3, 2025, S279670) \_\_\_ Cal.5th \_\_\_.

**#25-74 *Zavala v. Hyundai Motor America*, S289000.** (D082940, D082747; 107 Cal.App.5th 458; Riverside County Superior Court; PSC1807879.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal reversed the judgment in a civil action and remanded for further proceedings. The court ordered briefing deferred pending decision in *Gorobets v. Jaguar Land Rover North America, LLC*, S287946 (#25-1), which presents the following issue: Is a settlement offer under Code of Civil Procedure section 998 that contains two options inherently invalid, presumptively invalid, or invalid or partially or entirely valid depending on a separate and independent evaluation of each option?

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