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Summary of Cases Accepted and Related Actions During Week of August 14, 2023

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SEPARATE STATEMENT ON DENIAL OF REVIEW

People v. Meza, **S280089**. (B318310; 90 Cal.App.5th 520; Los Angeles County Superior Court; TA150314.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal affirmed a judgment of conviction of criminal offenses.

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The Supreme Court of California is the state's highest court and its decisions are binding on all other California state courts. The court's primary role is to decide matters of statewide importance and to maintain uniformity in the law throughout California by reviewing matters from the six districts of the California Courts of Appeal and the fifty-eight county superior courts (the trial courts). Among its other duties, the court also decides all capital appeals and related matters and reviews both attorney and judicial disciplinary matters.