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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **GOVERNOR NEWSOM ISSUES EXECUTIVE ORDER IMPACTING DRE APPLICANTS AND LICENSEES**

SACRAMENTO – On June 30, 2020, Governor Gavin Newsom issued Executive Order [N-71-20](#) which, among other things, extends several provisions in prior Executive Orders [N-52-20](#) and [N-69-20](#) pertaining to Department of Real Estate (DRE) statutory deadlines.

Highlights of the Executive Order that relate to DRE stakeholders include extending the following until December 31, 2020:

- timeframes associated with examination application expiration dates
- timeframes associated with license expiration dates
- deadlines related to the payment of license application fees
- deadlines related to the payment of license renewal fees
- deadlines related to completing continuing education requirements for expiring licensees
- deadlines specified in existing Orders issued by the Real Estate Commissioner

“Governor Gavin Newsom and DRE understand that the effects of this pandemic are far reaching and will continue for some time,” said Real Estate Commissioner Doug McCauley. “With the signing of this most recent Executive Order, our stakeholders can continue to focus on what is most important – the health and safety of themselves and their loved ones.”

Frequently asked questions about the Executive Order are provided on DRE’s [website](#).

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