

1.00.01 EFFECTIVE DATE OF RULES

These rules shall take effect on ~~July~~January 1, 2017.

(Revised ~~July~~January 1, 2017)

5.00.03 CRIMINAL COMPLAINTS: TIME AND PLACE FOR FILING

- A. All criminal actions or proceedings wherein the subject matter arises in the South Lake Tahoe area as defined in Local Rule 2.00.09(C) shall be filed in the South Lake Tahoe Session. All other criminal actions or proceedings shall be filed in the Placerville Session. The court, in its discretion, with the concurrence of the presiding judge, may transfer an action between sessions.
- B. All criminal complaints charging in-custody defendants shall be filed at the earliest time possible, but in no case later than noon on the date set for the arraignment of the defendant on those charges. The clerk may accept documents for filing after noon only upon permission of the judge assigned to the arraignment, or any other judicial officer if the judge assigned is unavailable. In-custody criminal complaints submitted electronically to the court are limited in size to 50 pages per case, including the complaint and supporting documents, such as rap sheets and police reports in support of criminal protective order requests. In-custody criminal complaints in excess of 50 pages per case are excluded from electronic filing, either by email or fax, and must be printed and delivered to the appropriate clerk's office for filing as set forth in subsection (A) of this rule.
- C. All criminal complaints charging out-of-custody defendants shall be filed with the clerk no later than 2 court days before the time of the defendant's first appearance on those charges. The judge assigned to the criminal calendar may authorize the filing of late documents.

7.02.00 TELECONFERENCING AND VIDEOCONFERENCING

- A. TELECONFERENCING. ~~Telephonic appearances are generally authorized p~~Pursuant to California Rules of Court, rule 3.670 and rule 5.9, telephonic appearances may be authorized at the discretion of the court. Any party wishing to appear telephonically for hearings, conferences, or proceedings listed as requiring a personal appearance in rule 3.670(e) or rule 5.9(c) must obtain prior approval from the judicial officer.

Parties must file Local Form M-52 (Request for Telephonic Appearance) at least twelve (12) court days before the hearing if the hearing, conference, or proceeding requires a personal appearance and judicial approval.

If judicial approval has been previously granted for a hearing that is continued by the court, or if approval for a telephonic appearance is granted by a judicial officer on the record and both parties are present in court, no further notice is required and Local Form M-52 does not need to be filed.

Telephonic appearances must be scheduled through the court's telephonic appearance reservation website, which can be accessed through the court's website

(www.eldoradocourt.org). There shall be a charge for each telephonic appearance, pursuant to California Rules of Court, rule 3.670. There may be an additional charge for appearances scheduled less than two (2) court days prior to the scheduled hearing. Charges for telephonic appearances must be paid by credit card through the court's telephonic appearance reservation website.

7.10.05 TENTATIVE RULING SYSTEM FOR WESTERN SLOPE AND SOUTH LAKE TAHOE

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B. TENTATIVE RULING PROCEDURE

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(3) Scheduling of Oral Argument

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b. Matters in which the parties' total time estimate for argument is 15 minutes or less will automatically be set for hearing on the law and motion calendar on the court day following the issuance of the tentative ruling unless otherwise notified by the court. The 15-minute time limit for argument heard on the law and motion calendar will be strictly enforced. ~~All other long cause oral argument requests will be set for hearing~~The court will endeavor to set long cause oral argument requests for hearing within 10 court days of the issuance of the tentative ruling, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard.

7.16.00 RULES FOR ACTIONS ARISING UNDER THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT – PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 21000, ET SEQ.

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J. TRIAL NOTEBOOK. Petitioners shall prepare a trial notebook in a three-ring binder that shall be filed with the Court no later than 15 days prior to the date of the hearing. The trial notebook shall contain the petition, the answer(s), the memoranda of points and authorities, any motions set to be heard at the trial of the action, the statement of issues, and any other document(s) agreed upon by the parties. Each document in the trial notebook shall be separately tabbed with a table of contents at the front of the notebook. The notebook shall also contain an index to evidence cited in the briefs by document title, record page number, ~~and~~ the volume and tab number in the administrative record, and a copy of the specifically cited page(s) in the administrative record.

8.14.02 CONDUCT OF CHILD CUSTODY RECOMMENDING COUNSELOR

In order to facilitate an agreement of the parties, the child custody recommending counselor may meet with the parties together or separately. The child custody recommending counselor may contact, meet with, or interview such other persons as the child custody recommending counselor

deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the children, relatives, friends, or employers, ~~or~~ ~~attorneys~~.

8.27.03 STATUS CONFERENCE

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- D. The parties are not required to attend the Status Conferences, unless required to attend by order of the court, but the parties may attend to discuss the status of their case. The parties may submit a Case Management Conference Statement prior to the Status Conference.