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RULE 1 RECORD ON APPEAL IN CIVIL CASES

Pursuant to California Rules of Court (CRC) 8.830(a)(1)(B) and 8.833(a), the Court elects to use the original trial court file as the record of the written documents from the trial court proceedings.

RULE 2 RECORD ON APPEAL IN CRIMINAL CASES

Pursuant to CRC 8.860(a)(1)(B) and 8.863(a), the Court elects to use the original trial court file as the record of the written documents from the trial court proceedings.

RULE 3 RECORD ON APPEAL IN TRAFFIC CASES

Pursuant to CRC 8.910(a)(1)(B) and 8.914(a), the Court elects to use the original trial court file as the record of the written documents from the trial court proceedings.

RULE 4 SELF-REPRESENTATION ON APPEAL

A defendant appealing his or her misdemeanor conviction must be represented by an attorney. If a defendant cannot afford to hire his or her own attorney, he or she may file a Request for Appointment of Counsel, along with Judicial Council Form No. MC-210, “Defendant’s Financial Statement on Eligibility for Appointment of Counsel and Reimbursement and Record on Appeal at Public Expense.” If the Court determines he or she meets the requisite indigency standard, he or she will be appointed an attorney.

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