

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF KINGS

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**STANDING ORDER RE: REASSIGNMENT OF CASES  
INVOLVING DISQUALIFICATIONS AND RECUSALS**

*Hope Kennedy* DEPUTY

Cases wherein judges are recused or disqualified shall be re-assigned pursuant to the following standing order, unless otherwise ordered by the court:

JUDGE DISQUALIFIED OR RECUSED	TYPE OF CASE	GOES TO
Judge Jennifer Giuliani [Department 1]	Adoptions / Juvenile [300s] / Collaborative Court	Judge Melissa D'Morias [Department 7]
Judge Marianne C. Gilbert [Department 2]	Juvenile [602s]	Judge Jennifer Giuliani [Department 1]
Judge Marianne C. Gilbert [Department 2]	Criminal – Prison	[D5], [D6], [D7], and [D10] - BY ROTATION or REASSIGNED BY THE PJ
Commissioner Mark Skinner [Department 3]	Traffic / Small Claims	[D5], [D6], [D7], and [D10] - BY ROTATION or REASSIGNED BY THE PJ
Commissioner Mark Skinner [Department 3]	Family Support / Family Law / Guardianship / Non-LPS Conservatorships / Domestic / Civil Harassment / Elder Abuse	Commissioner Brian N. Chase [Department 4]
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Judge Kathy Ciuffini [Department 5]	Criminal – Felony	Judge Robert S. Burns [Department 6]
Judge Robert S. Burns [Department 6]	Criminal - Felony	Judge Melissa D'Morias [Department 7]
Judge Melissa D'Morias [Department 7]	Criminal – Felony	Judge Michael Reinhart [Department 10]
Judge Valerie Chrissakis [Department 8]	Civil / LPS Conservatorship	Judge Melissa D'Morias [Department 7]
Judge Kendra D. Weber [Department 9]	Criminal - Misdemeanor	[D5], [D6], [D7], and [D10] - BY ROTATION or REASSIGNED BY THE PJ
Judge Michael J. Reinhart [Department 10]	Criminal – Felony	Judge Kathy Ciuffini [Department 5]

**NOTE:** If a situation arises that is not specifically covered by this Order, such reassignment(s) will be determined at the discretion of the Presiding Judge.

Dated: 03/04/24

*Jennifer Giuliani*  
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Jennifer Giuliani, Presiding Judge

It is so ordered as to cases in which Judge Jennifer Giuliani is disqualified.

Dated: 03/04/24

*Valerie Chrissakis*  
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Valerie Chrissakis, Assistant Presiding Judge