

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF KINGS

Misc. No. 2025 - 16

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SUPERIOR COURT )  
STAFF )  
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STANDING ORDER RE: REASSIGNMENT OF CASES  
INVOLVING DISQUALIFICATIONS AND RECUSALS  
AND NON-STIPULATION TO COMMISSIONERS

**FILED**

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NOCONA SOBOLESKI, CLERK OF COURT  
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COUNTY OF KINGS  
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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]	Civil/Guardianships/LPS Conservatorships/ Collaborative Court	Judge Robert S. Burns [Department 2]
Judge Robert S. Burns [Department 2]	Civil / Guardianships/Probate Conservatorships	Judge Jennifer Giuliani [Department 1]
Judge Kendra Weber [Department 3]	Family Support / Family Law / Domestic Violence / Civil Harassment / Elder Abuse	Commissioner Mark Skinner [Department 4]
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Judge Risé Donlon [Department 5]	Juvenile 602s/Juvenile 300s/Adoptions	602s: Judge Melissa D'Morias 300s/Adoptions: Judge Jennifer Giuliani
Judge Marianne C. Gilbert [Department 6]	Criminal Prison, Misdemeanor	[D7], [D8], and [D10] - BY ROTATION or REASSIGNED BY THE PJ
Judge Melissa D'Morias [Department 7]	Criminal – Felony	Judge Kathy Ciuffini [Department 8]
Judge Kathy Ciuffini [Department 8]	Criminal – Felony	Judge Jim Trevino [Department 10]
Judge Pro-Tem Johnston and Hardcastle [Department 9]	Traffic/Small Claims	Traffic: Judge Jim Trevino [Department 10] Small Claims: Commissioner Mark Skinner [Department 4] or REASSIGNED BY THE PJ.
Judge Jim Trevino [Department 10]	Criminal – Felony, Traffic	Felony: Judge Melissa D'Morias [Department 7] Traffic: Commissioner Mark Skinner [Department 4] or REASSIGNED BY THE PJ.

**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: 12/23/25

*Jennifer Giuliani*  
Jennifer Giuliani, Presiding Judge

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

Dated: 12/29/25

*Kathy Ciuffini*  
Kathy Ciuffini, Assistant Presiding Judge