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County of Los Angeles

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# SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

	In re Civil Limited Jurisdiction Cases Calendared in Departments 25 & 26 (Non-Collection Cases) at the Spring Street	<ul><li>) THIRD AMENDED STANDING ORDE</li><li>) (Effective as of February 24, 2020)</li></ul>
	Collection Cases) at the Spring Street   Courthouse	)
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# TO EACH PARTY AND TO THE ATTORNEY OF RECORD FOR EACH PARTY:

Pursuant to the California Code of Civil Procedure (C.C.P.), the California Rules of Court (C.R.C.), and the Los Angeles County Court Rules (Local Rules), the Los Angeles Superior Court (LASC or Court) HEREBY AMENDS AND SUPERSEDES THE NOVEMBER 13, 2019, SECOND AMENDED STANDING ORDER, AND THE COURT HEREBY ISSUES THE FOLLOWING STANDING ORDER THAT SHALL APPLY TO ALL LIMITED CIVIL (NON-COLLECTION) CASES FILED AND/OR HEARD IN DEPARTMENTS 25 & 26.

- 1. PLAINTIFF(S) IS/ARE <u>ORDERED TO SERVE A COPY OF THIS STANDING</u>

  <u>ORDER ON THE DEFENDANT(S) WITH COPIES OF THE SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT</u>

  <u>AND TO FILE PROOF OF SERVICE</u>, AS MANDATED IN THIS ORDER.
- 2. The Court sets the following trial date in this case at the Spring Street Courthouse in the Limited Jurisdiction Department as reflected in the *Notice of Case Assignment:*

TRIAL:		
Date:	at 8:30 a.m.	

SERVICE OF SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT

- 3. The trial date set forth above is conditioned on the defendant(s) being served with the summons and complaint within six (6) months of the filing of the complaint. The trial date may be continued to a later date if service is not accomplished within six months. The parties may stipulate to keep the original trial date even if service of the summons and complaint is not completed within six months of the filing of the original complaint.
- 4. The summons and complaint shall be served upon the defendant(s) within three years after the complaint is filed in this action. (C.C.P., § 583.210, subd. (a).) Failure to comply will result in dismissal, without prejudice, of the action, as to all unserved parties who have not been dismissed as of that date. (C.C.P., § 581, subd. (g).) The dismissal without prejudice as to the unserved parties for this case shall be effective on the following date:

UNSERVED PARTIES DISMISSAL DATE	

5. No case management, mandatory settlement or final status conferences will be conducted in this case.

### LAW AND MOTION

All regularly noticed pretrial motions will be heard in the courtroom the case is assigned to on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. A motion will be heard only if a party reserves a hearing date by going to the court's website at <a href="www.lacourt.org">www.lacourt.org</a> and reserving it through the Court Reservation System accessed via the "Divisions" tab at the top of the webpage, and by selecting "Civil". All motions should be filed at the filing window on the first floor of the Stanley Mosk Courthouse and filed and served in accordance with C.C.P., § 1005, subd. (b), and all other relevant statutes.

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6. Tentative Rulings may be posted on the Court's website no later than the day prior to the hearing. To access tentative rulings, parties may go to <a href="www.lacourt.org">www.lacourt.org</a>, select "Civil" from the "Divisions" tab at the top of the webpage, then select "Tentative Rulings," and type the case number in the box and click "Search."

#### EX PARTE APPLICATIONS

7. Ex parte applications must be noticed for 1:30 p.m. in the courtroom the case is assigned to and filed and served in accordance with C.R.C., rules 3.1201-3.1207. All electronic filers must submit the application and fees by 10:00 a.m. the day before the ex parte hearing. Any ex parte applications exempt from electronically filing, must be submitted by 11:00 a.m. the day of the hearing, at the filing window on the first floor of the Stanley Mosk Courthouse.

## **JURY FEES**

8. The fees for jury trial shall be due no later than 365 calendar days after the filing of the initial complaint or as otherwise provided by C.C.P., § 631, subds. (c)(2).

#### STIPULATION TO CONTINUE TRIAL

9. A trial will be postponed if all attorneys of record and/or the parties who have appeared in the action stipulate in writing to a specific continued date. If the stipulation is filed less than five (5) court days before the scheduled trial date, then a courtesy copy of the stipulation must be provided to the assigned courtroom. A proposed order shall be lodged along with the stipulation.

# TRIAL

- 10. Parties are to appear on the trial date ready to go to trial and must meet and confer on all pretrial matters at least 20 calendar days before the trial date. On the date of trial, the parties shall bring with them to the courtroom where the case is assigned a three-ring binder with a table of contents containing conformed copies of each of the following documents behind a separate tab.
  - Printed copies of the current operative pleadings (including the operative complaint; answer; cross-complaint, if any; and answer to cross-complaint);
  - 2) Motions in Limine, if any, which must be served and filed in accordance with the Local Rules, rule 3.57:
  - 3) Joint Statement of the Case (if a jury trial);