COURT REPORTER REALTIME SOFTWARE CONFIGURATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT

The Los Angeles Superior Court utilizes LiveNote software on all judicial officer PCs to accept Realtime transmissions from a wide variety of court reporter Computer-Assisted-Transcription (CAT) software for judicial viewing in the courtroom. The following information explains how to connect reporter CAT software to judicial officer LiveNote software. It discusses hardware and software configurations, connection and disconnection processes, and support are listed below:

HARDWARE

Active 9-pin serial port (build in, PCMCIA, or USB Dongle) with the following configuration:

Bits per second: 2400
Data bits: 8
Parity: None
Stop bits: 1
Flow control: None

SOFTWARE

CAT software capable of transmitting Realtime using the above serial connection.

Output: CaseView

• COM port: (Port number may vary & must be set to the 9-pin serial port above.)

CONNECTION PROCESS

The court reporter will connect the court-provided Realtime adapter (green adapter) located in each courtroom near the court reporter table to the correctly configured active 9-pin serial port on the court reporter's workstation.

DISCONNECTION PROCESS

The court reporter will disconnect the court-provided realtime adapter (green adapter) and return it to its previous location.

SUPPORT

Court-employed computer technicians do not directly support personally owned equipment. They are allowed to consult and advise the court reporter on the information above for correctly configured equipment and software.

Questions and support should be directed first to the local computer technician support through the judicial or courtroom assistant. Where this is problematic, dispatch of a technician can be requested through the **CTS** Central HelpDesk at (213) 974-HELP. Queries should similarly be directed to the **CTS** Central HelpDesk at (213) 974-HELP.