

RULE _____ REMOTE VIDEO TRIALS AND PROCEEDINGS IN TRAFFIC INFRACTION CASES

A. Pursuant to California Rules of Court, rule 4.220(a), the Court permits traffic infraction arraignments to be conducted by two-way remote video communications.

B. The following are designated as locations where eligible defendants may appear for remote video arraignments of traffic infraction cases:

1. Needles; and
2. Big Bear.

Additional locations may be designated.

C. To be eligible to appear for remote video arraignment:

1. The citation issued must be for an infraction as defined in California Rules of Court, rule 4.220(b)(1); and
2. Defendant must comply with California Rules of Court, rule 4.220.

D. Pursuant to California Rules of Court, rule 4.220(g), defendant's witnesses shall appear at the remote location with the defendant.

E. Defendant must submit form TR-505 or TR-510 to the Court for filing. The forms may be mailed to or submitted in person at:

**Superior Court of California
County of San Bernardino
235 East Mountain View Street
Barstow, CA 92311.**

Forms submitted in person must be presented for filing at least ten (10) court days before the appearance date indicated on the Notice to Appear. Forms submitted by mail must be postmarked at least fifteen (15) days before the appearance date indicated on the Notice to Appear.

F. Upon receipt of a subpoena setting out the hearing date and remote location, law enforcement officers may file a written request to appear in court instead of at the remote location. The request may be submitted for filing in person or by mail at the addresses set out above.

1. Requests submitted in person must be presented for filing at least ten (10) court days before the date of the video proceeding set out in the subpoena.
2. Forms submitted by mail must be postmarked at least fifteen (15) days before the date of the video proceeding set out in the subpoena.

G. Defendant and law enforcement officer should submit any exhibits he/she intends to use in presentation of his/her case prior to the date of the video proceeding set out in the subpoena. All exhibits may be submitted in person or by mail at the address set out above.

1. Exhibits that are submitted in advance in person must be presented at least ten (10) court days before the date of the video proceeding.
2. Exhibits that are submitted in advance by mail must be postmarked at least fifteen (15) days before the date of the video proceeding.

H. Defendant and law enforcement officer shall bring three (3) copies of all documentary evidence he/she intends to use in presentation of his/her case to the

remote location on the day of the video proceeding. Documentary evidence includes written documents, and standard sized photographs.

I. Defendant and law enforcement officer may bring copies of all demonstrative or other physical evidence he/she intends to use in presentation of his/her case to the remote location on the day of the video proceeding. Demonstrative or other physical evidence includes oversized maps or diagrams, three dimensional objects, and blown up photographs.

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