



**Superior Court of California
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA**

March 19, 2021

Notice to Attorneys and to All Interested Parties:

Invitation to Comment on Proposed Amendments to Local Rules and Forms

As required by California Rules of Court, Rule 10.613(g), the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda hereby distributes for public comment the attached proposed Local Rule 4.160.

The proposal also may be viewed [here](#) or [here](#). In addition, a hard copy of the proposal is available upon request by email at pcomments@alameda.courts.ca.gov or by phone at 510-891-6012.

Important dates:

- The last day to comment is **Monday, May 3, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.**
- The proposed new rule takes effect upon approval of the Chair of the Judicial Council or on **July 1, 2021**

Text of Proposed Amendments: *see attached.*

Comments must be submitted in writing to:

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Title 4. Criminal and Traffic Rules

Chapter 1. General Provisions

Rule 4.160. CALICO recordings and transcripts

(a) Application

This rule applies in all criminal cases to all video recordings and transcripts of interviews conducted by the Child Abuse Listening, Interviewing and Coordination (CALICO) center.

(b) Restrictions

CALICO video recordings and transcripts must not be:

- (1) Publicly shown except during judicial proceedings in the pending case.
- (2) Provided or shown to anyone outside the prosecution and defense offices except persons necessary for the preparation or presentation of the case. Before a CALICO recording or transcript is provided or shown to another person, that person must be provided a copy of this rule.
- (3) Used by the defense for any purpose other than to prepare for the defense of the named defendant in the pending case.
- (4) Provided or shown to any member of the media.
- (5) Duplicated except as necessary for the prosecution or defense of the case. Any duplicate is governed by this rule as if it were an original.

(c) Noncompliance

Failure to comply with this rule may result in sanctions.

Rule 4.160 adopted effective July 1, 2021.