

Local Rules of the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda

Title 3. Civil Rules

Chapter 1. Rules Application to All Civil Cases

Rule 3.29. Emergency Order Re: Appearances and Service during court emergency

During the COVID-19 crisis, as authorized by the Chairperson of the Judicial Council:

1. All appearances in any civil action or misdemeanor appeal ~~will~~ **must** be limited to telephonic or video technology, without the necessity of an application or request by a party; and
2. All pleadings, except for initial service of process, and court notices may be served by electronic means.

Rule 3.29 amended April 22, 2020; previously amended effective April 10, 2020; adopted effective April 6, 2020.