

CHAMBERS OF THOMAS J. NIXON Presiding Judge Department 1 René C. Davidson Courthouse 1225 Fallon Street Oakland, CA 94612

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA GENERAL DIRECTIVE BY THE PRESIDING JUDGE

DIRECTIVE NO: 2025-12

SUBJECT:

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO CLERK TO

PROCESS NOTICE ON HEARING ABOUT COURT FEES

(JUDICIAL COUNCIL FORM FW-007)

Delegation of authority. The clerk of the court is delegated authority to perform the following ministerial acts on behalf of the presiding judge, or his or her designee, when processing a *Notice on Hearing About Court Fees* (Judicial Council form FW-007):

- 1. Issue a notice of hearing **granting** the request for a hearing;
- 2. Issue a notice of hearing **denying** the request for hearing if it was not filed within ten days after notice of the denial of the request for a fee waiver (Government Code section 68634(g)); or,
- 3. Issue a notice of hearing **denying** the request for hearing if no request to waive fees has been denied by the Court.

This directive shall expire on December 31, 2025.

Issued: January 1, 2025

Thomas J. Nixon, Presiding/Judge Superior Court of California, County of Alameda