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## **Third Appellate District Moves to Temporary Location on February 23, 2009**

Sacramento—The Court of Appeal, Third Appellate District, will temporarily move to a facility at 621 Capitol Mall, 10th Floor, in Sacramento, on Monday, February 23, 2009, due to the renovation of its current headquarters, the historic Stanley Mosk Library and Courts Building.

The Clerk's Office will continue to operate from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 900 N Street, 4th floor, through Friday, February 20, 2009. The Clerk's Office at 621 Capitol Mall, 10th floor, will open at 8:30 a.m. on Monday, February 23, 2009.

All telephone numbers will remain the same, and there should be no disruption to filings or to court operations during normal business hours.

For directions to the Court of Appeal's new location, see [www.courtinfo.ca.gov/courts/courts/appeal/3rdDistrict/location.htm](http://www.courtinfo.ca.gov/courts/courts/appeal/3rdDistrict/location.htm).

The Budget Act of 2005–2006 appropriated building construction funds for renovation of the Library and Courts Building. The project includes fire, life, safety and infrastructure improvements and rehabilitation of the historically significant architectural elements of the circa 1928 building. The project requires the Court of Appeal and the State Library to vacate the building so the renovation can be completed in a safe and timely manner.

The court's temporary facility, which includes a courtroom and clerk's office, is located in the U.S. Bank Tower, a 25-story high-rise office building located three blocks from the Library and Courts Building. A building receptionist is located at the lobby desk to greet building visitors and direct them to the court's facilities.

The court's February 2009 oral argument calendar will be held in the

historic courtroom at 914 Capitol Mall. In March 2009, and until the renovation project is completed, oral argument will be held in the courtroom at 621 Capitol Mall, 10th floor.

*For more information about the move, contact Ms. Deena C. Fawcett, Clerk/Administrator, Third Appellate District, 916-654-0209.*

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