IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SECOND APPELLATE DISTRICT

COURT OF APPEAL - SECOND DIST.

MISCELLANEOUS ORDER 2023-02

Sep 19, 2023
EVA McCLINTOCK, Clerk
EMcClintoc Deputy Clerk

COURTROOM PROTOCOLS

Commencing November 2023, and continuing unless otherwise ordered by the court, the courtroom will be open to the public on a first come, first served basis. The public will continue to have access to oral argument via live streaming on the court's website https://www.courts.ca.gov/11603.htm.

Regardless of vaccination status, all counsel and all members of the public who enter the courtroom are strongly encouraged to wear well-fitted face coverings. Counsel may, and are encouraged to, remove their masks when presenting argument.

No person shall enter the courtroom if that person (a) has tested positive for COVID-19 within the previous ten days; (b) has had close contact with a person confirmed to have COVID-19 within the previous ten days; or (c) has had a fever within the past 24 hours or has other symptoms consistent with COVID-19.

Counsel who planned to appear in person for oral argument but who become unable to do so for extraordinary cause related to medical reasons (including a positive COVID-19 test in advance of oral argument) or special circumstances must notify opposing counsel and the clerk of the court immediately to arrange for, at the court's discretion, remote participation via videoconferencing.

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Dated: Sept. 19 . 2023

Administrative Presiding Justice