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Court of Appeal Announces Destruction of Old Court Records

SANTA ANA—The [Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District](#), Division Three, has announced its intention to destroy the following criminal and juvenile records pursuant to [Rule 10.1028\(d\)](#) of the California Rules of Court.

All records in criminal cases (excluding those with published opinions) are preserved for a period longer than 20 years, and all records in civil cases (excluding those with published opinions) are preserved for a period longer than 10 years. The records transfer lists of the cases and files relating to this destruction of old court records are available on the court's website:

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Anyone who knows of a reason why any of the records listed should be retained, whether for historical or other reasons, should notify Kevin Stinson, Assistant Clerk/Administrator. The reasons for retention should be sent in writing by December 31, 2015 to:

Kevin Stinson, Assistant Clerk/Administrator
Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District
P.O. Box 22055
Santa Ana, CA 92701

Please note that records and case files for actions that result in a published opinion will be retained **permanently** by the California State Archives, 1020 "O" Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. The Reference Desk can be contacted at 916-653-2246. Their website is www.sos.ca.gov/archives.

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