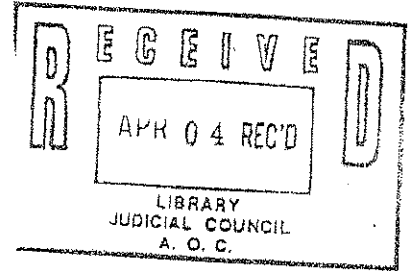


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Re: Mandatory Education and Reporting Requirements Under Welfare and Institutions Code  
Section 304.7—Legislative Report Transmittal Letter

Dear Ms. Boyer-Vine and Messrs. Schmidt and Wilson:

Attached are the Judicial Council reports for the calendar years 2003, 2004, and 2005 required under Welfare and Institutions Code section 304.7 regarding the education and reporting requirements for judicial officers who hear juvenile dependency matters.

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If you have any questions related to these reports, please contact Karen M. Thorson, Director, Education Division/Center for Judicial Education and Research (CJER), Administrative Office of the Courts, at 415-865-7795.

Sincerely,



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**Annual Report for 2004 on Compliance With  
Welfare and Institutions Code Section 304.7**

| County       | Judges Who Hear<br>Dependency Matters |                       | Commissioners and<br>Referees Who Hear<br>Dependency Matters |                       |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|
|              | County<br>Total                       | Completed<br>Training | County<br>Total  | Completed<br>Training |
| Alameda      | 3                                     | 3                     | 5  | 2                     |
| Alpine       | *                                     | *                     | *  | *                     |
| Amador       | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Butte        | 8                                     | 1                     | 2  | 2                     |
| Calaveras    | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Colusa       | *                                     | *                     | *  | *                     |
| Contra Costa | 3                                     | 3                     | 3  | 3                     |
| Del Norte    | 4                                     | 4                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| El Dorado    | 1                                     | 1                     | 2  | 2                     |
| Fresno       | 1                                     | 1                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Glenn        | 2                                     | 2                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Humboldt     | 3                                     | 3                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Imperial     | 3                                     | 2                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Inyo         | 2                                     | 2                     | n/a  | n/a                   |
| Kern         | 1                                     | 1                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Kings        | 2                                     | 2                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Lake         | 0                                     | n/a                   | 1  | 1                     |
| Lassen       | 2                                     | 2                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Los Angeles  | 8                                     | 8                     | 14   | 14                    |
| Madera       | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Marin        | 1                                     | 0                     | 2  | 2                     |
| Mariposa     | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Mendocino    | *                                     | *                     | *  | *                     |
| Merced       | 2                                     | 2                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Modoc        | *                                     | *                     | *  | *                     |
| Mono         | 2                                     | 2                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Monterey     | 2                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Napa         | 0                                     | n/a                   | 0  | n/a                   |
| Nevada       | 1                                     | 1                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Orange       | 4                                     | 4                     | 3  | 3                     |

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| Placer          | 4                                     | 4                     | 2  | 2                     |
| Plumas          | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Riverside       | 2                                     | 2                     | 2  | 1                     |
| Sacramento      | 1                                     | 1                     | 5  | 5                     |
| San Benito      | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| San Bernardino  | 2                                     | 3                     | 2  | 2                     |
| San Diego       | 5                                     | 5                     | 3  | 3                     |
| San Francisco   | 1                                     | 1                     | 2  | 2                     |
| San Joaquin     | 14                                    | 14                    | 2  | 2                     |
| San Luis Obispo | 1                                     | 2                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| San Mateo       | 4                                     | 4                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Santa Barbara   | *                                     | *                     | *  | *                     |
| Santa Clara     | 1                                     | 1                     | 2  | 2                     |
| Santa Cruz      | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Shasta          | 2                                     | 2                     | 0  | 1                     |
| Sierra          | 2                                     | 0                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Siskiyou        | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Solano          | 2                                     | 2                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Sonoma          | 0                                     | n/a                   | 1  | 1                     |
| Stanislaus      | 8                                     | 8                     | 2  | 2                     |
| Sutter          | *                                     | *                     | *  | *                     |
| Tehama          | 1                                     | 0                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Trinity         | *                                     | *                     | *  | *                     |
| Tulare          | 1                                     | 1                     | 2  | 2                     |
| Tuolumne        | 2                                     | 2                     | 1  | 1                     |
| Ventura         | 2                                     | 2                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Yolo            | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |
| Yuba            | 1                                     | 1                     | 0  | n/a                   |

\* No information received.