

TITLE 16. Court Reporters Board of California

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court Reporters Board of California (hereinafter "Board") is proposing to take the action described in the Informative Digest. Any person interested may present statements or arguments orally or in writing relevant to the action proposed at a hearing to be held:

Date: June 11, 2015

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: 2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Third Floor Conference Room

Written comments, including those sent by mail, facsimile, or e-mail, should be addressed to the attention of Paula Bruning, who is listed as the contact person in this Notice, and must be received by the Board at its office not later than 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 11, 2015, or must be received at the hearing. The Court Reporters Board, upon its own motion or at the instance of any interested party, may thereafter adopt the proposals substantially as described below or may modify such proposals if such modifications are sufficiently related to the original text. With the exception of technical or grammatical changes, the full text of any modified proposal will be available for 15 days prior to its adoption from the person designated in this Notice as contact person and will be mailed to those persons who submit written or oral testimony related to this proposal or who have requested notification of any changes to the proposal.

Authority and Reference: Pursuant to the authority vested by Sections 8007 and 8017 of the Business and Professions Code, and to implement, interpret or make specific Sections 8007 and 8017 of the Business and Professions Code and Section 2025.510 as follows:

INFORMATIVE DIGEST

A. Informative Digest

This rulemaking action amends one subsection of the regulation to make it conform to the underlying Code of Civil Procedure subsection.

Code of Civil Procedure section 2025.510, subdivision (d) requires the reporter to notify all parties when either the full or partial transcript will be available to a specific party prior to the time the original or copy would be available to any other party. The amendment to CCR 2403(b)(3) clarifies that transcripts requested prior to the time the original or copy would be available are requests for expedited copies.

B. Policy Statement Overview/Anticipated Benefits of Proposal

This amendment seeks to clarify that notification of transcript orders is required when requested prior to the time the original or copy would normally be made available.

C. Consistency and Compatibility with Existing State Regulations

The Court Reporters Board has evaluated this regulatory proposal and has determined that it is not inconsistent nor incompatible with existing state regulations.

FISCAL IMPACT ESTIMATES

Fiscal Impact on Public Agencies Including Costs or Savings to State Agencies or Costs/Savings in Federal Funding to the State: None

Nondiscretionary Costs/Savings to Local Agencies: None

Local Mandate: Not Applicable

Cost to Any Local Agency or School District for Which Government Code Sections 17500 - 17630 Require Reimbursement: None

Business Impact:

The board has made an initial determination that the proposed regulatory action would have no significant statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting business, including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states.

AND

The following studies/relevant data were relied upon in making the above determination: None

Cost Impact on Representative Private Person or Business:

The Board is not aware of any cost impacts that a representative private person or business would necessarily incur in reasonable compliance with the proposed action.

Effect on Housing Costs: None

EFFECT ON SMALL BUSINESS

The Board has determined that the proposed amendment to the regulation would have no effect on small businesses.

RESULTS OF ECONOMIC IMPACT ASSESSMENT/ANALYSIS:

Impact on Jobs/Businesses:

The Board has determined that this regulatory proposal will not have any impact on the creation of jobs or new businesses or the elimination of jobs or existing businesses or the expansion of businesses in the State of California.

Benefits of Regulation:

The board has determined that this regulatory proposal will have the following benefits to health and welfare of California residents, worker safety, and state's environment:

The regulation will help to protect the California consumer as it will make clear to all licensees the expectation concerning notification requirements when a request for expedited delivery is received.

CONSIDERATION OF ALTERNATIVES

The Board must determine that no reasonable alternative it considered to the regulation or that has otherwise been identified and brought to its attention would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed, would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposal described in this Notice or would be more cost-effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.

Any interested person may present statements or arguments orally or in writing relevant to the above determinations at the above-mentioned hearing.

INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS AND INFORMATION

The Board has prepared an initial statement of the reasons for the proposed action and has available all the information upon which the proposal is based.

TEXT OF PROPOSAL

Copies of the exact language of the proposed regulations and any document incorporated by reference and of the initial statement of reasons and all of the information upon which the proposal is based may be obtained at the hearing or prior to the hearing upon request from Paula Bruning at the Court Reporters Board of California, 2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 230, Sacramento, California 95833.

AVAILABILITY AND LOCATION OF THE FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS AND RULEMAKING FILE

All the information upon which the proposed regulations are based is contained in the rulemaking file which is available for public inspection by contacting the person named below.

You may obtain a copy of the final statement of reasons, once it has been prepared, by making a written request to the contact person named below.

CONTACT PERSON

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Website Access: Materials regarding this proposal can be found at courtreportersboard.ca.gov.