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# REPORT TO THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL

Item No.: 25-046
For business meeting on February 21, 2025

### Title

Report to the Legislature: Electronic Recording Equipment Purchased or Leased by Superior Courts (January 1 through June 30, 2024)

### Submitted by

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## **Report Type**

Information

## **Date of Report**

January 29, 2025

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# **Executive Summary**

Under Government Code section 69958, the Judicial Council is required to report to the Legislature semiannually on the purchase and lease of any electronic recording equipment that will be used to record superior court proceedings. For the reporting period of January 1 through June 30, 2024, six courts reported a combined total of \$1,184,376 for the purchase of electronic recording equipment or related items. On or before December 31, 2024, the Judicial Council's Executive Office staff submitted *Report of Electronic Recording Equipment Purchased or Leased by Superior Courts (January 1 through June 30, 2024)* to the Legislature.

# **Relevant Previous Reporting or Action**

This report is submitted to the Legislature semiannually. Reports from previous fiscal years are available on the "Reports to the Legislature" webpage of the California Courts website at <a href="https://www.courts.ca.gov/7466.htm">www.courts.ca.gov/7466.htm</a>.

# Analysis/Rationale

Government Code section 69957(a) allows the purchase and/or lease of electronic recording equipment for limited civil, misdemeanor, and infraction cases. Additionally, Government Code section 69957(b) allows the trial courts to use electronic recording equipment for the purpose of monitoring the performance of subordinate judicial officers, hearing officers, and temporary

judges. Government Code section 69957(c) requires the courts to obtain advance approval from the Judicial Council before purchasing or leasing any such equipment. Approval is subject to the equipment being used in the manner and for the purposes authorized under this section.

Government Code section 69958 requires that each superior court report to the Judicial Council the purchase and lease of all electronic recording equipment that will be used to record court proceedings, specifying all of the following:

- The superior court in which the equipment will be used;
- The types of trial court proceedings in which the equipment will be used;
- The cost of purchasing, leasing, or upgrading the equipment; and
- The type of equipment purchased or leased.

For the reporting period of January 1 through June 30, 2024, six superior courts reported a combined total of \$1,184,376 for the purchase of electronic recording equipment or related items (see Attachment A):

- Contra Costa—\$555,143 (misdemeanor and limited civil case types)
- Imperial—\$20,195 (misdemeanor case types)
- Los Angeles—\$213,398 (limited civil case types)
- Riverside—\$28,455 (limited civil case types)
- Sacramento—\$362,941 (limited civil and misdemeanor case types)
- Stanislaus—\$4,244 (misdemeanor case types)

# **Fiscal Impact and Policy Implications**

The requirements of this report do not result in any additional costs or operational impacts.

## **Attachments and Links**

1. Attachment A: Report of Electronic Recording Equipment Purchased or Leased by Trial Courts (January 1 through June 30, 2024)



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Ms. Sue Parker Chief Clerk of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 319 Sacramento, California 95814

Re: Report of Electronic Recording Equipment Purchased or Leased by Superior Courts (January 1 through June 30, 2024), as required under Government Code section 69958

Dear Ms. Jenkins, Ms. Contreras, and Ms. Parker:

Under Government Code 69958, the Judicial Council is submitting the semiannual *Report of Electronic Recording Equipment Purchased or Leased by Superior Courts*, for the reporting period of January 1 through June 30, 2024.

For this reporting period, six superior courts reported a combined total of \$1,184,376 for the purchase of electronic recording equipment or related items (see Attachment A):

- Contra Costa—\$555,143 for use in limited civil and misdemeanor case types
- Imperial—\$20,195 for use in misdemeanor case types
- Los Angeles—\$213,398 for use in limited civil case types
- Riverside—\$28,455 for use in limited civil case types

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- Stanislaus—\$4,244 for use in misdemeanor case types

If you have any questions related to this report, please contact Jessica Devencenzi, Principal Advisor, Policy and Research, at <a href="mailto:Jessica.Devencenzi@jud.ca.gov">Jessica.Devencenzi@jud.ca.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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COURTINFORMATION		
Court Name: Contra Costa County	Phone: (925)608-1024	Date: 8/22/2024
Court Contact: Abby Nunez	Email: anunez@contracosta.courts.ca.gov	
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For the reporting period, did the court purchase or lease equipment for use in a court proceeding?

Yes

	EQUIPMEN	T, CASETYPE, A	AND USE DETA	ILS (INSERT AD	DITIONAL LINES	AS NEEDED)	
# of Items	Include type, make, and model of equipment	Include what the equipment is or will be used for	Indicate types of court proceedings for use	Indicate if leased or purchased	If purchased: Include total purchase cost	If leased: Include total cost over lease term	Total purchase and/or lease cost
Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н
12	Biamp, TESIRA FORTE VT AVB	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	\$ 37,896	\$ -	\$ 37,896
6	Shure, AD4D Two- Channel Digitial Wirless Receiver	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	19,740	-	19,740
6	Biamp, EX-UBT, AVB Signal Processor (DSP)	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	3,307	-	3,307
6	Innovox, MLA-8WHT, Ultra-Flat Line Array Speaker		Limited Civil	Purchased	1,363	-	1,363
6	Crestron, RMC4, 4- Series Processor	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	4,260	-	4,260
6	Crestron, TS-770-B-S, 7in Tabletop Touch Screen	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	8,499	-	8,499
6	Crestron, TSW-1070- B-S, 10.1in Wall Mount Touch Screen	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	12,870	-	12,870

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12	FTR, AUD-NODE-V, Control Interface, Video Pause Button Transmitter	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	5,400	-	5,400
18	Stellar Labs, 555- 8494, Ground Loop Isolator 3.5mm Stereo to XLR Mono Male (FTR Replay)	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	242	-	242
12	Dell, OPTIPLEX 7090MFF, Micro Form Factor Desktop Computer	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	15,822	-	15,822
6	Wyrestorm, NHD000CTL, Controller for NetworkHD 100 & 200 Series Products	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	2,870		2,870
84	Wyrestorm, NHD-110 TX, 200 Series HD Over IP Encoder - New Version	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	60,346		60,346
66	Wyrestorm, NHD-110 TX, 200 Series HD Over IP Decoder with Video Wall Processing		Limited Civil	Purchased	96,096		96,096
18	Ergotron, 33-387- 085, Heavy Duty Touchscreen Stand, w/15deg Tilt Adjustment	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	2,601		2,601
6	Wolfvision, VZ-8- UHD, High Definition Desktop Document Camera w/14x Optical Zoom & Live Image Preview Monitor, PoE+, 4K Resolution	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	22,740		22,740
24	Marshall, CV355-30X- IP, 1080p60, Full HD IP Box Camera		Limited Civil	Purchased	45,792		45,792

6	Wolfvision, CYNAP CORE PRO, Wireless Presentation & Collaboration System	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	18,375		18,375
6	Lenovo, Thinksmart HubZoom i5/8gb/128gbSSD/Wi n10	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	11,877		11,877
6	Biamp, TESIRA FORTE VT AVB	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	18,948	-	18,948
3	Shure, AD4D Two- Channel Digitial Wirless Receiver	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	9,870		9,870
3	Biamp, EX-UBT, AVB Signal Processor (DSP)	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	1,654		1,654
3	Innovox, MLA-8WHT, Ultra-Flat Line Array Speaker	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	682		682
3	Crestron, RMC4, 4- Series Processor	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	2,130		2,130
3	Crestron, TS-770-B-S, 7in Tabletop Touch Screen	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	4,249		4,249
3	Crestron, TSW-1070- B-S, 10.1in Wall Mount Touch Screen	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	6,435	-	6,435
6	FTR, AUD-NODE-V, Control Interface, Video Pause Button Transmitter	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	2,700	-	2,700
9	Stellar Labs, 555- 8494, Ground Loop Isolator 3.5mm Stereo to XLR Mono Male (FTR Replay)	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	121		121
6	Dell, OPTIPLEX 7090MFF, Micro Form Factor Desktop Computer	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	7,911		7,911

3	Wyrestorm, NHD000CTL, Controller for NetworkHD 100 & 200 Series Products	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	1,435		1,435
42	Wyrestorm, NHD-110 TX, 200 Series HD Over IP Encoder - New Version	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	30,173		30,173
33	Wyrestorm, NHD-110 TX, 200 Series HD Over IP Decoder with Video Wall Processing		Misdemeanors	Purchased	48,048		48,048
9	Ergotron, 33-387- 085, Heavy Duty Touchscreen Stand, w/15deg Tilt Adjustment	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	1,301		1,301
3	Wolfvision, VZ-8- UHD, High Definition Desktop Document Camera w/14x Optical Zoom & Live Image Preview Monitor, PoE+, 4K Resolution	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	11,370		11,370
12	Marshall, CV355-30X- IP, 1080p60, Full HD IP Box Camera	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	22,896		22,896
3	Wolfvision, CYNAP CORE PRO, Wireless Presentation & Collaboration System	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	9,188	-	9,188
3	Lenovo, Thinksmart HubZoom i5/8gb/128gbSSD/Wi n10	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased Totals	5,939 \$ <b>555,143</b>	-	5,939 \$ 555,143
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COUNTRICKMATION		
Court Name: Imperial	Phone: 760-336-3520	Date: 8/21/202

Court Contact: Jair Baltazar Email: Jbaltazar@imperial.courts.ca.gov

For the reporting period, did the court purchase or lease equipment for use in a court proceeding?

Yes

EQUIPMENT, CASETYPE, AND USE DETAILS (INSERT ADDITIONAL LINES AS NEEDED)								
# of Items	Include type, make, and model of equipment	Include what the equipment is or will be used for	Indicate types of court proceedings for use	Indicate if leased or purchased	If purchased: Include total purchase cost	If leased: Include total cost over lease term	Total purchase and/or lease cos	
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4	AJA Video Systems U- TAP HDMI	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	\$ 2,044	\$ -	\$ 2,04	
4	Biamp Systems 0443.900	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	2,232		2,23	
4	Crestron Electronics DMC-4KZ-C	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	3,148	1	3,14	
4	Crestron Electronics DM-TX-4KZ-100-C-1G- B-T	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	2,896	-	2,89	
4	Crestron Electronics HD-DA2-4KZ-E	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	1,360	-	1,36	
8	Crestron Electronics HD-EXT3-C- W_SVSTEM	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	5,816	-	5,81	
12	Covid C6-BLK-SOOR	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	502	-	50	
16	Covid CSP1200-22- 1KR	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	675	-	67	
8	Covid P-C6F-BLK-1KR	Official Record	Misdemeanors	Purchased	1,522	-	1,52	

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COURTINFORMATION		
Court Name: Los Angeles	Phone: (213) 314-8746	Date: 7/29/2024
Court Contact: Vincent Herrera	Email: vherrera@lacourt.org	
For the reporting period, did the court purchase or	lease equipment for use in a court proceeding?	Yes

	EQUIPMENT, CASETYPE, AND USE DETAILS (INSERT ADDITIONAL LINES AS NEEDED)							
# of Items	Include type, make, and model of equipment	Include what the equipment is or will be used for	Indicate types of court proceedings for use	Indicate if leased or purchased	If purchased: Include total purchase cost	If leased: Include total cost over lease term	Total purchase and/or lease cost	
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197	Audio Technica Headphone	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	\$ 6,810	\$ -	\$ 6,810	
197	Flip2 (Sescom AB Switch)	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	10,331	-	10,331	
286	Mimo 7" Capacitive Touch, Metal Back Display	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	55,357	-	55,357	
196	Mimo Swivel Desk Stand or Wall Mount Mimi	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	37,627	-	37,627	
197	Consumables: TX6™ PLUS UTP Patch Cords, 10 FT, Blue	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	51,220	-	51,220	
12	Recording Clock Ethernet (New Style), PoE	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	4,796	-	4,796	
12	ATH-M20X, Audio Technica Headphone	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	415		415	

12	Flip2, Flip2 (Sescom AB Switch)	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	629	-	629
12	Consumables-Med, Consumables - Medium	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	11,868		11,868
12	Patch Panels & Cable Looms-Sm, Consum- Sm	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	14,505		14,505
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COURTINFORMATION		
Court Name: Riverside Superior Court	<b>Phone:</b> 951-777-3249	Date: 7.12.24
Court Contact: Jonathan Clark	Email: jonathan.clark@riverside.courts.ca.gov	
For the reporting period, did the court purchase or lease e	equipment for use in a court proceeding?	Yes

	EQUIPMENT, CASETYPE, AND USE DETAILS (INSERT ADDITIONAL LINES AS NEEDED)							
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9	FTR GOLD	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	\$ 4,686	\$ -	\$ 4,686	
9	FOCUSIRTE SCARLET1818	Official Record	Limited Civil	Purchased	23,770	-	23,770	
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Court Name: Sacramento	Phone: 916-874-4965	Date: 7/15/2024
Court Contact: Laetesia Ible	Email: iblel@saccourt.ca.gov	
For the reporting period, did the court purchase or	lease equipment for use in a court proceeding?	Yes
If "Yes," please provide the information requested b	elow.	

EQUIPMENT, CASETYPE, AND USE DETAILS (INSERT ADDITIONAL LINES AS NEEDED)							
# of Items	Include type, make, and model of equipment	Include what the equipment is or will be used for	Indicate types of court proceedings for use	Indicate if leased or purchased	If purchased: Include total purchase cost	If leased: Include total cost over lease term	Total purchase and/or lease cost
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12	FTR; Audio, Control, Infrastructure Hardware and Hearing Assistance Kits	IOtticial Record	Limited Civil & Misdemeanors	Purchased	\$ 362,941	\$ -	\$ 362,941
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	•	•		Totals	\$ 362,941	\$ -	\$ 362,941

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COURTINFORMATION							
Court Name: Stanislaus	Phone: 209-530-3256	Date: 7/22/2024					
Court Contact: Cindy Silvestre	Email: Cindy.Silvestre@stanct.org						
For the reporting period, did the court purchase or lease equipment for use in a court proceeding?  Yes							

If "Yes," please provide the information requested below.

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