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Title

Juvenile Law | Technical Changes to Juvenile Rules and Forms (Action Required)

Summary

The Family and Juvenile Law Advisory Committee proposes making technical changes and correcting a technical error to four forms to conform to recent statutory changes to section 300 of the Welfare and Institutions Code enacted by Senate Bill 1085 (Kamlager; Stats. 2022, ch. 832). The committee also has identified an error that is technical in nature in a form recently updated in a proposal implementing the federal Families First Prevention and Services Act.

Recommendation

The Family and Juvenile Law Advisory Committee recommends that the Judicial Council, effective February 1, 2023:

1. Renumber the (b)(2) check box for Welfare and Institutions Code section 300(b)(2) to (b)(4) to correct the statutory reference to Welfare and Institutions Code section 300(b)(4) in section 1a. of *Juvenile Dependency Petition (Version One)* (form JV-100);
2. Renumber the (b)(2) check boxes for Welfare and Institutions Code section 300(b)(2) to (b)(4) to correct the statutory reference to Welfare and Institutions Code section 300(b)(4) in sections 4a. and 5a. of *Additional Children Attachment* (form JV-101(A));
3. Renumber the (b)(2) check boxes for Welfare and Institutions Code section 300(b)(2) to (b)(4) to correct the statutory reference to Welfare and Institutions Code section 300(b)(4) in sections 1b(1) through 1(b)(5) of *Juvenile Dependency Petition (Version Two)* (form JV-110);
4. Revise the spacing by deleting the extra space between “legal” and “services in the last text box on page two of *Juvenile Dependency Petition (Version Two)* (form JV-110);
5. Renumber the heading “§ 300(b)(2)” to “§ 300(b)(4)” to correct the statutory reference to Welfare and Institutions Code section 300(b)(4) on *Failure to Protect* (form JV-121);and
6. Revise *Initial Appearance Hearing-Juvenile Delinquency* (JV-642) to insert a finding that was inadvertently removed.