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Rules and Forms | Language Access Plan: Language Services in Noncourtroom Settings (Action Required)

Summary

The Advisory Committee on Providing Access and Fairness recommends the adoption of a new rule of court and the approval of three optional forms to satisfy a series of recommendations from the *Strategic Plan for Language Access in the California Courts* (LAP) focusing on the provision of language services outside the courtroom.

Recommendation

The Advisory Committee on Providing Access and Fairness recommends that the Judicial Council, effective September 1, 2019:

1. Adopt California Rules of Court, rule 1.300, titled “Access to programs, services, and professionals,” to be located within a new chapter of title 1, “Language Access Services”; and
2. Approve *Notice of Available Language Assistance-Service Provider* (form LA-350); *Service Not Available in My Language: Request to Change Court Order* (form LA-400); and *Service Not Available in My Language: Order* (form LA-450), to be identified by a new forms category titled “Language Access,” having the prefix LA.