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KERN COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
12/5/2024

BY Hinojosa, Ana
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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KERN

**IN RE: REQUESTS TO REDUCE OR
VACATE FINES AND FEES FOR
INFRACTION OFFENSES**

MISCELLANEOUS NO.: STO-24-0011

THE COURT HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

Under Government Code section 68645.3(e) and California Rules of Court, rule 4.335, a new ability-to-pay determination for the same fines or penalties can only be requested if there has been a change in the circumstances of the petitioner/defendant, following a previous determination.

If such a request is made, a clerk may conduct the determination based on the criteria outlined in California Rules of Court, rule 4.335, as permitted by Government Code section 68645.3(e). Should the petitioner/defendant seek review by a judicial officer, a written petition must be submitted.

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Local Rule 4.4 will be amended to reflect this change in the next local rules cycle.

THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

Dated: December 5, 2024.



J. Eric Bradshaw, Presiding Judge
Kern County Superior Court