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NOTICE TO ATTORNEYS

Jan. 27, 2017

PROBATE DIVISION TO IMPLEMENT ELECTRONIC FILING

Effective June 5, 2017, Los Angeles Superior Court will mandate electronic filing (efiling) of all documents filed in the Probate Division except for the following:

1. Peremptory challenges or challenges for cause of a judicial officer (CCP §170.6 or 170.1)
2. Original testamentary instruments (wills & codicils), letters, original trust documents, and bond or undertaking documents
3. Trial and hearing exhibits
4. Documents filed in civil cases that are related for handling in the probate division
5. Lodged documents

The Probate Division will accept electronic filings as of May 1, 2017, one month prior to implementation of mandatory efilings, to facilitate the transition. During the permissive phase, documents may be presented for filing at the clerk's office or may be submitted electronically.

Filings received after midnight are deemed filed as of the next business day.

A public meeting to provide information regarding electronic filing is scheduled at noon on Feb. 16, 2017, in Room 222, located on the 2nd floor of the Stanley Mosk Courthouse, 111 N. Hill Street, Los Angeles 90012. Immediately following the presentation, the electronic filing service providers will be available to answer questions in Room 522, located on the 5th floor of the courthouse.

A video recording of the public meeting and information from each electronic filing service provider will be posted on the Court's website at lacourt.org after Feb. 16, 2017, for persons unable to attend this informational session.

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