SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF MERCED
627 W. 21st Street
Merced, CA 95340

PAUL C. LO
PRESIDING JUDGE

STANDING ORDER - AMENDMENT
#2026-03

EFFECTIVE
October 6, 2026

This Standing Order 2026-03 is a revision of Standing Order 2012-0011 dated December 29, 2012, and Standing Order 2015-02 dated September 25, 2015, shall replace said Standing Orders.

The courtesy notice, which is mailed to parties cited for a violation of California Vehicle Code 22348(B), advises them that appearance in court is mandatory.

If the party who has received such a notice calls, writes or appears at the clerk's office, the clerk is authorized to take the following actions for alleged speeds of 101mph or above:

Advise the party:

1. He or she may post and forfeit the amount as set forth in the bail record on the case;

2. The amount must be paid in full within thirty (30) days or the party may request a payment plan;

3. Traffic school will not be permitted; and

4. DMV will put two (2) points on their record.

The court may also suspend the driving privilege for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days. The case will remain a **mandatory appearance.** The court shall advise the defendant of the contents contained in the excessive speed form. (Copy attached for reference.)

PAUL LO
PRESIDING JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

cc: All Judicial Officers
Amanda Toste, CEO
All Staff Attorneys
All Managers and Supervisors

Defendant: _____

Case Number: _____

EXCESSIVE SPEED RIGHTS

22348 (a) Notwithstanding subdivision (b) of Section 22351, no person shall drive a vehicle upon a highway with a speed limit established pursuant to Section 22349 of 22356 at a speed greater than the speed limit.

(b) Any person who drives a vehicle upon a highway at a speed greater than one hundred (100) miles per hour is guilty of an infraction punishable, as follows:

(1) Upon a first conviction of a violation of this subdivision, by a fine including penalties and assessments not to exceed two thousand one hundred twenty nine dollars ($2,129). The court may also suspend the privilege of the person to operate a motor vehicle for a period of not to exceed thirty (30) days pursuant to Section 13200.5.

(2) Upon a conviction under this subdivision of an offense which occurred within three (3) years of a prior offense resulting in a conviction of an offense under this subdivision, by a fine including penalties and assessments not to exceed three thousand one hundred ninety five dollars ($3,195). The person's privilege to operate a motor vehicle shall be suspended by the Department of Motor Vehicles pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 13355.

(3) Upon a conviction under this subdivision of an offense which occurred within five (5) years of two or more prior offenses resulting in convictions of offenses under this subdivision, by a fine including penalties and assessments not to exceed four thousand two hundred twenty dollars ($4,220). The person's privilege to operate a motor vehicle shall be suspended by the Department of Motor Vehicles pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 13355.

I understand I have the right to a trial before a Judge, the right to have an attorney represent me, the right to cross-examine witnesses, the right to remain silent, the right to have subpoenas issued, and the right to a verbatim record.

If I plead guilty or no contest, I understand I am waiving these rights.

Dated: _____ _____

Signature