AMENDMENT TO THE CALIFORNIA RULES OF COURT
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(d) Standard for Determining Ability to Pay

The FEO will determine the responsible person's ability to reimburse the cost of legal services using the following standard:

(1) *Presumptive Inability to Pay; Waiver*

If a responsible person receives qualifying public benefits or qualifies for a fee waiver under the criteria of Government Code section 68632(b)(1) ~~has a household income 125 percent or less of the threshold established by the federal poverty guidelines in effect~~ at the time of the inquiry, then the person ~~he or she~~ is presumed to be unable to pay reimbursement and is eligible for a waiver of liability.

(A) *Qualifying public benefits* include benefits under any of the programs listed in Government Code section 68632(a).

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(e)–(h) * * *

7.–15. * * *