



Judicial Council of California  
Trial Court Budget Advisory Committee

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**TRIAL COURT BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**MINUTES OF OPEN MEETING**

March 9, 2023

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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**Advisory Body Members Present:** Judges: Hon. Jonathan B. Conklin (Chair), Hon. Wendy G. Getty, Hon. Kimberly A. Gaab, Hon. Patricia L. Kelly, Hon. Erick L. Larsh, Hon. Kimberly Merrifield, Hon. Jill C. Fannin, and Hon. Kevin M. Seibert.

Executive Officers: Ms. Rebecca Fleming (Vice Chair), Mr. Chad Finke, Mr. James Kim, Ms. Krista LeVier, Mr. Brandon E. Riley, Mr. Chris Ruhl, Mr. Neal Taniguchi, Ms. Stephanie Cameron, and Mr. David Yamasaki.

**Advisory Body Members Absent:** Hon. Michael J. Reinhart, Hon. Michael A. Sachs, Ms. Kim Bartleson, and Mr. Shawn Landry.

**Others Present:** Hon. David Kalemkarian, Hon. David Rubin, Mr. John Wordlaw, Mr. Zlatko Theodorovic, Ms. Fran Mueller, Ms. Brandy Olivera, Mr. Jessie Romine, Ms. Rose Lane, Mr. Douglas Denton, and Ms. Eunice Lee.

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**OPEN MEETING**

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**Call to Order and Roll Call**

The vice chair welcomed the members, called the meeting to order at 12:01 p.m., and took roll call.

**Approval of Minutes**

The advisory body reviewed and approved minutes from the February 24, 2023 Trial Court Budget Advisory Committee (TCBAC) meeting.

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**DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS (ITEM 1)**

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**Item 1 – SB 170 One-Time \$30 Million Court Interpreter Employee Incentive Grant (CIEIG) Award Recommendations for fiscal year 2022-23 (Action Required)**

Consideration of award recommendations to distribute CIEIG funding to the trial courts through the grant application process for cycle 2.

Presenter(s)/Facilitator(s): Douglas Denton, Principal Manager, Judicial Council Center for Families, Children & the Courts

**Action:** *TCBAC unanimously voted to approve the following recommendations for consideration by the Judicial Branch Budget Committee at its March 14, 2023 meeting and then the Judicial Council:*

- 1. Approve the proposed allocations for the Court Interpreter Employee Incentive Grant for fiscal year 2022–23; and*
- 2. Direct Judicial Council Budget Services staff to distribute grant awards to courts no later than the June 2023 distribution.*

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**INFORMATION ONLY ITEMS (NO ACTION REQUIRED)**

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**None**

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**ADJOURNMENT**

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There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:18 p.m.

Approved by the advisory body on April 6, 2023.