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# INVITATION TO COMMENT

#### W17-02

Title

Juvenile Law: Implementation of Proposition 57, the Public Safety and Rehabilitation Act of 2016

Proposed Rules, Forms, Standards, or Statutes Amend Cal. Rules of Court, rules 4.116, 5.766, 5.768, and 5.770; revoke rules 4.510 and 5.772; revise forms JV-600, JV-642, JV-710, and JV-735; approve form JV-824

Proposed by
Family and Juvenile Law Advisory
Committee
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Action Requested

Review and submit comments by February 14, 2017

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# **Executive Summary and Origin**

Proposition 57, the Public Safety and Rehabilitation Act of 2016, substantially amends the process by which juvenile offenders may be transferred to the jurisdiction of the criminal court by (1) eliminating the authority of prosecutors to directly file petitions in criminal court, and (2) requiring that the juvenile court hold a hearing and determine if a transfer is appropriate. To implement the changes enacted by Prop. 57, the Family and Juvenile Law Advisory Committee is proposing amending or revoking six California Rules of Court and revising four forms to be consistent with the amended provisions. In addition, the committee proposes approval of a new optional writ petition form for seeking appellate review of the juvenile court's transfer decision.

# **Background**

On November 8, 2016, the people of the State of California enacted Proposition 57, the Public Safety and Rehabilitation Act of 2016, which became effective on November 9, 2016. Proposition 57 amends existing law to require that the juvenile court consider a motion by the district attorney or other appropriate prosecuting officer to transfer the minor to the jurisdiction of the criminal court before a juvenile can be prosecuted in a criminal court. To accomplish this,

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the proposition repeals all of Welfare and Institutions Code section 602(b), which provided that certain serious and violent felonies were to be prosecuted in criminal court, as well as all of section 707(d), which authorized the district attorney to directly file an accusatory pleading involving certain minors in criminal court. Because the proposition eliminates the ability of the prosecutor to direct file a case in criminal court, it also makes obsolete the reverse remand provisions of Penal Code section 1170.17 that allow a criminal court to consider whether a minor convicted of an offense that was not eligible for direct file should be sentenced under the juvenile court law.

In addition, the proposition substantially simplifies the existing standards for the juvenile court to employ when determining whether a minor's case should be heard in the criminal court. The prior version of section 707 required the juvenile court to evaluate whether the minor is "a fit and proper subject to be dealt with under the juvenile court law." The revisions to section 707 enacted by Prop. 57 instead ask the court to consider simply whether "the minor should be transferred to a court of criminal jurisdiction." Thus, in section 707, the concept of fitness has been eliminated and replaced with the term "transfer."

Under the prior statutory scheme, some minors were subject to a presumption of unfitness for juvenile court adjudication based on their age and/or prior offense history. Proposition 57 eliminates all of those presumptions and provides the court with one set of criteria to apply in a determination of whether "the minor should be transferred to a court of criminal jurisdiction." The criteria are those currently found in section 707(a), with broad discretion given to the court to evaluate and weigh each factor. Minors who may be subject to a motion to transfer jurisdiction to criminal court are those who are either:

- Alleged to have committed a felony when 16 years of age or older; or
- Alleged to have committed an offense listed in section 707(b) at age 14 or 15.

If the juvenile court orders that jurisdiction over the minor be transferred to the criminal court, the court must "recite the basis for its decision in an order entered upon the minutes." In addition, the court may not take a plea in any case in which a hearing has been noticed to hear a motion for the transfer of jurisdiction.

#### The Proposal

The proposal recommends amending three of the current juvenile rules on transfer to adult court, as well as one criminal rule that has obsolete statutory references to bring them into compliance with Propostion 57. Two rules that are entirely obsolete because they address issues pertaining to direct file or the prior presumptions are proposed to be revoked. The current optional order form for fitness hearings would be substantially revised to reflect the new law, and three other forms would be revised to correct obsolete statutory references. Finally, the proposal includes a new optional writ petition form for seeking appellate review of the court's decision on transfer of jurisdiction.

#### Amended and revoked rules on transfer to criminal court

The current rules that govern the procedures to be followed when the juvenile court is asked to determine whether a child's case should be heard in juvenile or criminal court are rules 5.766, 5.768, 5.770, and 5.772. Three of these rules (5.766, 5.768, and 5.770) need to be amended to reflect the new terminology and provisions of Prop. 57. The key proposed changes to the rules would:

- Eliminate references to fitness and amenability to handling under the juvenile court law and replace them with a focus on whether the child should be retained under juvenile court jurisdiction or transferred to criminal court jurisdiction;
- Clarify that the court has broad discretion to weigh the existing statutory criteria in making its order;
- Require the court to set forth its reasons for making a transfer order in its minute order; and
- Add the requirement that no plea be taken after a motion for transfer has been noticed, and that no plea that has been entered be considered as evidence at a transfer hearing.

Rule 5.772 would be revoked in its entirety as the provisions of law that it seeks to implement have been repealed by Prop. 57, and it is therefore obsolete.

#### Amended and revoked criminal law rules

Two rules in Title 4 of the California Rules of Court are impacted by the changes made by Prop. 57. Rule 4.116, which addresses when a case is filed in criminal court and the court determines that the defendant is a minor—and thus the case needs to be certified to juvenile court—needs to be amended to eliminate some obsolete statutory references in subdivision (a) of the rule. Rule 4.510, which implements the reverse remand provisions in Penal Code section 1170.17, is proposed to be revoked because although Prop. 57 did not repeal section 1170.17, that section only applies to cases that have been direct filed in criminal court and, as direct file has been eliminated by Prop. 57, reverse remand is now an obsolete procedure as no juvenile will be transferred to criminal court without the juvenile court first holding a hearing on the appropriateness of the transfer.

#### **Revised form JV-710**

The current optional order form for use after a hearing under section 707 is form JV-710, *Juvenile Fitness Hearing Order*. This form would be retitled *Juvenile Transfer to Criminal Court Jurisdiction Order*, and would be revised to:

- Eliminate obsolete statutory references;
- Replace references to fitness with the new transfer terminology;
- Reframe the court's findings on the statutory criteria to simply require the court to indicate which criteria informed a decision to order a transfer; and
- Simplify the findings and orders to reflect the more streamlined statute.

The revised form would be available to courts to document their findings and orders consistent with the requirements of the amended provisions of section 707.

### Forms with minor revisions to reflect updated statutes

Optional forms *Juvenile Wardship Petition* (form JV-600), *Initial Appearance Hearing–Juvenile Delinquency* (form JV-642), and *Juvenile Notice of Violation of Probation* (form JV-735) all include statutory references that are obsolete because of Prop. 57 and need to be updated to reflect the current statutory numbering scheme. In addition, forms JV-600 and JV-642 both reference juvenile fitness hearings and need to be revised to reflect the new transfer terminology.

## New writ petition form for juvenile transfer proceedings

The committee is proposing a new optional writ petition form, *Petition for Extraordinary Writ—Juvenile Transfer (Welfare and Institutions Code, § 707)* (form JV-824) to be available to either a child who has been ordered transferred or to the district attorney to seek appellate review of the court's order on a transfer motion.

#### **Alternatives Considered**

The committee considered seeking approval of these rule and form changes prior to circulation for comment while also circulating them to ensure that the rules and forms were up to date as early as possible, but determined that this was not necessary because the new law is straightforward and the impacted forms are all optional.

# Implementation Requirements, Costs, and Operational Impacts

As a result of the statutory changes made by Prop. 57, it is likely that juvenile courts will receive more requests for hearings from the district attorney seeking to transfer jurisdiction of a child to criminal court under section 707 as direct file is no longer an option, resulting in more of these hearings in the juvenile court. If the juvenile courts retain jurisdiction over children that would have otherwise been subject to direct file, the result will reduce the number of juvenile cases transferred to criminal court jurisdiction. Because Prop. 57 significantly simplified what the court must consider when determining whether to order a transfer, these proceedings may be shorter, and the court may need less time to make its findings and orders. All of these impacts are as a result of the changes in the law and are thus unavoidable. The new writ petition form should streamline the process for filing of writs in these cases and therefore improve access to justice for the parties to these matters.

# **Request for Specific Comments**

In addition to comments on the proposal as a whole, the advisory committee is interested in comments on the following:

- Does the proposal appropriately address the stated purpose?
- Will the proposed new writ form improve the process for challenging transfer orders?
- Does the revised JV-710 order form allow the court to accurately and comprehensively document its findings and orders?
- Should the date for repeal of rule 4.510, which implements the reverse remand procedure in Penal Code section 1170.17 be delayed beyond September 1, 2017 to accommodate cases that precede the enactment of Prop. 57? If so, what should be the effective date of the repeal?

The advisory committee also seeks comments from *courts* on the following cost and implementation matters:

- Would the proposal provide cost savings? If so, please quantify.
- What would the implementation requirements be for courts? For example, training staff (please identify position and expected hours of training), revising processes and procedures (please describe), changing docket codes in case management systems, or modifying case management systems.
- Would three months from Judicial Council approval of this proposal until its effective date provide sufficient time for implementation?
- How well would this proposal work in courts of different sizes?

#### **Attachments and Links**

- 1. Proposed amended and revoked Cal. Rules of Court, rules 4.116, 4.510, 5.766, 5.768, 5.770, and 5.772 at pages 6–14.
- 2. Proposed new and revised forms JV-600, JV-642, JV-710, JV-735, and JV-824 at pages 15–25.
- 3. Prop. 57: <a href="https://oag.ca.gov/system/files/initiatives/pdfs/15-0121%20">https://oag.ca.gov/system/files/initiatives/pdfs/15-0121%20</a>(Prison%20Sentence%20Reform)\_1.pdf

Rules 4.510 and 5.772 of the California Rules of Court would be revoked, and rules 4.116, 5.766, 5.768, and 5.770 would be amended, effective September 1, 2017, to read:

# Rule 4.116. Certification to juvenile court

## (a) Application

This rule applies to all cases not filed in juvenile court in which the person charged by an accusatory pleading appears to be under the age of 18, except (1) when the child has been found not a fit and proper subject to be dealt with under the juvenile court law or (2) when the prosecution was initiated as a criminal case under Welfare and Institutions Code section 602(b) or 707(d) when jurisdiction over the child has been transferred from the juvenile court under Welfare and Institutions Code section 707.

(b)-(d) \*\*\*

#### Rule 4.510. Reverse remand

(a) Minor prosecuted under Welfare and Institutions Code section 602(b) or 707(d) and convicted of offense listed in Welfare and Institutions Code section 602(b) or 707(d) (Penal Code, § 1170.17)

If the prosecuting attorney lawfully initiated the prosecution as a criminal case under Welfare and Institutions Code section 602(b) or 707(d), and the minor is convicted of a criminal offense listed in those sections, the minor must be sentenced as an adult.

- (b) Minor convicted of an offense not listed in Welfare and Institutions Code section 602(b) or 707(d) (Penal Code, § 1170.17)
  - (1) If the prosecuting attorney lawfully initiated the prosecution as a criminal case and the minor is convicted of an offense not listed in Welfare and Institutions Code section 602(b) or 707(d), but one that would have raised the presumption of unfitness under juvenile court law, the minor may move the court to conduct a postconviction fitness hearing.
    - (A) On the motion by the minor, the court must order the probation department to prepare a report as required in rule 5.768.
    - (B) The court may conduct a fitness hearing or remand the matter to the juvenile court for a determination of fitness.
    - (C) The minor may receive a disposition hearing under the juvenile court law only if he or she is found to be fit under rule 5.772. However, if the court and parties agree, the minor may be sentenced in adult court.

1		(D)—If the minor is found unfit, the minor must be sentenced as an adult,
2		unless all parties, including the court, agree that the disposition be
3		conducted under juvenile court law.
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5		(2) If the minor is convicted of an offense not listed in Welfare and Institutions
6		Code section 602(b) or 707(d), but one for which the minor would have been
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		presumed fit under the juvenile court law, the minor must have a disposition
8		hearing under juvenile court law, and consistent with the provisions of Penal
9		Code section 1170.19, either in the trial court or on remand to the juvenile
10		<del>court.</del>
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12		(A) If the prosecuting attorney objects to the treatment of the minor as
13		within the juvenile court law and moves for a fitness hearing to be
14		conducted, the court must order the probation department to prepare a
15		report as required by rule 5.768.
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17		(B) The court may conduct a fitness hearing or remand the matter to the
18		juvenile court for a determination of fitness.
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20		(C) If found to be fit under rule 5.770, the minor will be subject to a
21		disposition hearing under juvenile court law and Penal Code section
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25		unless all parties, including the court, agree that the disposition be
26		conducted under juvenile court law.
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28		(3) If the minor is convicted of an offense that would not have permitted a fitness
29		determination, the court must remand the matter to juvenile court for
30		disposition, unless the minor requests sentencing in adult court and all
31		parties, including the court, agree.
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33		(4) Fitness hearings held under this rule must be conducted as provided in title 5,
34		division 3, chapter 14, article 2.
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36	Rule	e 5.766. General provisions
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38	(a)	Fitness Transfer of jurisdiction to criminal court hearing (§ 707)
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40		A child who is the subject of a petition under section $602(a)$ and who was 14 years
41		or older at the time of the alleged offense may be considered for prosecution under
42		the general law in a court of criminal jurisdiction. The prosecuting attorney may
43		request a hearing to determine whether the child is a fit and proper subject to be
44		dealt with under the juvenile court law make a motion to transfer the child from
45		juvenile court to a court of criminal jurisdiction, in one of the following
46		circumstances:

1 2		(1) Under section 707(a)(1), the <u>The</u> child was 16 years or older at the time of the alleged <u>felony</u> offense if the offense is not listed in section 707(b).
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4		(2) Under section 707(a)(2), the child was 16 years or older at the time of the
5		alleged felony offense not listed in section 707(b) and has been declared a
6		ward of the court under section 602 on at least one prior occasion and:
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8		(A) The child has previously been found to have committed two or more
9		felony offenses; and
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11		(B) The felony offenses in the previously sustained petitions were
12		committed when the child was 14 years or older.
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14		(2)(2) Under section 707(a) the The shild was 14 years or older at the time of the
		(3)(2) Under section 707(c), the The child was 14 years or older at the time of the
15		alleged offense listed in section 707(b).
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17	<b>(b)</b>	Notice (§ 707)
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19		Notice of the fitness hearing on transfer of jurisdiction must be given at least five
20		judicial days before the fitness hearing.
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22	(c)	Time of fitness hearing—rules 5.774, 5.776
23	(C)	Time of fitness feating—rules 3.774, 3.770
24		The fitness transfer of jurisdiction hearing must be held and the court must rule on
25		the issue of fitness the request to transfer jurisdiction before the jurisdiction hearing
26		begins. Absent a continuance, the jurisdiction hearing must begin within the time
27		limits under rule 5.774.
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29	Rule	5.768. Report of probation officer
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31	(a)	Contents of report (§ 707)
32	()	(b) (c)
33		The probation officer must investigate the issue of fitness prepare and submit to the
34		court a report on the behavioral patterns and social history of the child being
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35		considered. The report must include information relevant to the determination of
36		whether or not the child would be amenable to the care, treatment, and training
37		program available through the facilities of the juvenile court, including information
38		regarding all of the criteria listed in rules 5.770 and 5.772 should be retained under
39		the jurisdiction of the juvenile court or transferred to the jurisdiction of the criminal
40		court, including information regarding all of the criteria in section 707(a)(2). The
41		report must also include any written or oral statement offered by the victim
42		pursuant to section 656.2. The report may also include information concerning:
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44		(1) The social, family, and legal history of the child;
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46		(2) Any statement the child chooses to make regarding the alleged offense;

1		(3)	Any statement by a parent or guardian;					
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3		(4)	If the child is or has been under the jurisdiction of the court, a statement by					
4		the social worker, or probation officer, or Youth Authority parole agent v						
5			has supervised the child regarding the relative success or failure of any					
6			program of rehabilitation; and					
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8		(5)	Any other information relevant to the determination of fitness.					
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10	<b>(b)</b>	Reco	ommendation of probation officer (§§ 281, 707)					
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12		The	probation officer must make a recommendation to the court as to whether the					
13		child	is a fit and proper subject to be dealt with under the juvenile court law should					
14		be re	tained under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court or transferred to the					
15			diction of the criminal court.					
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17	(c)	Coni	ies furnished					
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19		The	probation officer's report on the behavioral patterns and social history of the					
20			must be furnished to the child, the parent or guardian, and all counsel at least					
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22			24 hours before commencement of the fitness hearing on the motion. A					
			continuance of 24 hours must be granted on the request of any party who has not					
23		been	been furnished the probation officer's report in accordance with this rule.					
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26		707 <del>(</del>	( <del>a)(1)</del>					
27 28	(a)	Bure	den of proof (§ 707 <del>(a)(1)</del> )					
29	(4)	Dur	zen or proor (3 / 0/(u)(1))					
30		In a	fitness transfer of jurisdiction hearing under section 707(a)(1), the burden of					
31			ing that the child is unfit should be transferred to criminal court jurisdiction is					
32		-	the petitioner, by a preponderance of the evidence.					
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34	<b>(b)</b>	Crite	eria to consider (§ 707)					
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36			owing receipt of the probation officer's report and any other relevant evidence,					
37		the court may find that order that the child is not a fit and proper subject to be dealt						
38			under juvenile court law be transferred to the jurisdiction of the criminal court					
39		if the court finds:						
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41		(1)	The child was 16 years or older at the time of the alleged <u>felony</u> offense, and					
42			or the child was 14 or 15 years at the time of an alleged offense listed in					
43			section 707(b); and					
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45		(2)	The child would not be amenable to the care, treatment, and training program					
46		(-)	available through facilities of the juvenile court, should be transferred to the					

2		following criteria:				
3 4		(A) The degree of criminal sophistication exhibited by the child;				
5 6 7		(B) Whether the child can be rehabilitated before the expiration of jurisdiction;				
8 9 10		(C) The child's previous delinquent history;				
10 11 12		(D) The results of previous attempts by the court to rehabilitate the child; and				
13 14 15		(E) The circumstances and gravity of the alleged offense.				
16 17	(c)	Findings under section $707(a)(1)(2)$				
18 19		The findings must be stated in the order.				
20 21		(1) Finding of fitness				
22 23		The court may find the child to be fit and state that finding.				
24 25		(2) Finding of unfitness				
26 27		If the court determines the child is unfit, the court must find that:				
28 29		(A) The child was 16 years or older at the time of the alleged offense; and				
30 31 32		(B) The child would not be amenable to the care, treatment, and training program available through the juvenile court because of one or a combination of more than one of the criteria listed in (b)(2).				
33 34		If the court orders a transfer of jurisdiction to the criminal court, the court must recite the basis for its decision in an order entered upon the minutes.				
35 36	<del>(d)</del>	- Maintenance of juvenile court jurisdiction				
37 38		If the court determines that one or more of the criteria listed in (b)(2) apply to the				
39 40 41		child, the court may nevertheless find that the child is amenable to the care, treatment, and training program available through the juvenile court and may find the child to be a fit and proper subject to be dealt with under juvenile court law.				
42 43	<del>(e)</del> (d	<u>1)</u> Extenuating circumstances				
44 45 46		The court may consider extenuating or mitigating circumstances in the evaluation of each relevant criterion.				

# (f)(e) Procedure following findings

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- (1) If the court finds the child to be fit should be retained within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, the court must proceed to jurisdiction hearing under rule 5.774.
- (2) If the court finds the child to be unfit should be transferred to the jurisdiction of the criminal court, the court must make orders under section 707.1 relating to bail and to the appropriate facility for the custody of the child, or release on own recognizance pending prosecution. The court must dismiss the petition without prejudice.

## (g)(f) Continuance to seek review

If the prosecuting attorney informs the court orally or in writing that a review of a finding of fitness of the court's decision not to order a transfer of jurisdiction will be sought and requests a continuance of the jurisdiction hearing, the court must grant a continuance for not less than two judicial days to allow time within which to obtain a stay of further proceedings from the reviewing judge or appellate court.

## (h)(g)Subsequent role of judicial officer

Unless the child objects, the judicial officer who has conducted a fitness hearing on a motion to transfer jurisdiction may participate in any subsequent contested jurisdiction hearing relating to the same offense.

# (i)(h) Review of fitness determination on a motion to transfer jurisdiction to criminal court

An order that a child is or is not a fit and proper subject to be dealt with under the juvenile court law should or should not be transferred to the jurisdiction of the criminal court is not an appealable order. Appellate review of the order is by petition for extraordinary writ. Any petition for review of a judge's order determining the child unfit to transfer jurisdiction of the child, or denying an application for rehearing of the referee's determination of unfitness to transfer jurisdiction of the child, must be filed no later than 20 days after the child's first arraignment on an accusatory pleading based on the allegations that led to the unfitness determination transfer of jurisdiction order.

In any case in which a hearing for transfer of jurisdiction has been noticed under section 707, the court must postpone the taking of a plea to the petition until the conclusion of the transfer hearing, and no pleas that may have been entered already may be considered as evidence at the hearing.

#### Rule 5.772. Conduct of fitness hearings under sections 707(a)(2) and 707(c)

1 2	<del>(a)</del>	Presumption (§§ 707(a)(2), 707(c))
3		In a fitness hearing under section 707(a)(2) or 707(c), the child is presumed to be
4		unfit, and the burden of rebutting the presumption is on the child, by a
5		preponderance of the evidence.
6 7	<del>(b)</del>	Prima facie showing
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9 10		On the child's motion, the court must determine whether a prima facie showing has been made that the offense alleged is a felony or is specified in section 707(b).
11 12	<del>(c)</del>	Criteria to consider (§ 707(a)(2))
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14 15		Following receipt of the probation officer's report and any other relevant evidence, the court must find that the child is not a fit and proper subject to be dealt with
16		under the juvenile court law, unless the court finds:
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18 19		(1) The child was under 16 years of age at the time of the alleged felony offense;
20		(2) The child had not been declared a ward at the time of the alleged offense or
21		any time previously;
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23		(3) The child has not previously been found to have committed two or more
<ul><li>24</li><li>25</li></ul>		felony offenses;
26		(4) The prior felony offenses were committed before the child had reached the
27		age of 14 years; or
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29		(5) The child would be amenable to the care, treatment, and training program
30		available through the juvenile court, based on evaluation of each of the
31		following criteria:
32 33		(A) The degree of criminal sophistication exhibited by the child;
34		(11) The degree of eliminal sopinstication exhibited by the child,
35		(B) Whether the child can be rehabilitated before the expiration of
36		<del>jurisdiction;</del>
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38		(C) The child's previous delinquent history;
39 40		(D) The results of previous attempts by the court to rehabilitate the child;
41		and
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43		(E) The circumstances and gravity of the alleged offense.
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45 46	<del>(d)</del>	Findings under section 707(c)
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Following receipt of the probation officer's report and any other relevant evidence
the court must find that the child is not a fit and proper subject to be dealt with
under the juvenile court law, unless the court finds:
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(1) The child was under 14 years of age at the time of the offense specified in
section 707(b);
section 707(b),
(2) The offense alleged is not listed in section 707(b); or
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(2) The shild would be amonghle to the same treatment and training any array
(3) The child would be amenable to the care, treatment, and training program
available through the juvenile court, based on evaluation of each of the
<del>criteria described in (c)(5).</del>
(e) Extenuating circumstances
The court may consider extenuating or mitigating circumstances in the evaluation
of each relevant criterion.
(f) Findings (§§ 707(a)(2), 707(c))
The findings must be stated in the order.
(1) Finding of unfitness ( $\S$ 707 ( $\alpha$ )(2))
If the child has failed to rebut the presumption of unfitness, the court must
find that:
(A) The child has previously been found to have committed two or more
offenses listed in section 707(b) and was 14 years of age or older at the
time of the felony offenses; and
time of the felony offenses, and
(B) The child would not be amenable to the care, treatment, and training
program available through the juvenile court because of one or a combination of more than one of the criteria in (c)(5).
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(2) Finding of unfitness (§ 707(c))
If the child has failed to rebut the presumption of unfitness, the court must
<del>find that:</del>
(A) The child was 14 years or older at the time of the alleged offense and
the offense is listed in section 707(b); and
(B) The child would not be amenable to the care, treatment, and training
program available through the juvenile court because of one or a
combination of more than one of the criteria in (c)(5).

#### (3) Finding of fitness (§§ 707(a)(2), 707(c))

In order to find the child fit, the court must find that the child would be amenable to the care, treatment, and training program through the juvenile court on each and every criterion in (c)(5), and the court must state that finding of amenability under each and every criterion.

## (g) Procedure following findings

(1) If the court finds the child to be unfit, the court must make orders under section 707.1 relating to bail, and to the appropriate facility for the custody of the child, or release on own recognizance pending prosecution. The court must dismiss the petition without prejudice.

(2) If the court finds the child to be fit, the court must proceed to jurisdiction hearing under rule 5.774.

#### (h) Continuance to seek review

If the prosecuting attorney informs the court orally or in writing that a review of a finding of fitness will be sought and requests a continuance of the jurisdiction hearing, the court must grant a continuance for not less than 2 judicial days to allow time within which to obtain a stay of further proceedings from the reviewing judge or appellate court.

#### (i) Subsequent role of judicial officer

Unless the child objects, the judicial officer who has conducted a fitness hearing may participate in any subsequent contested jurisdiction hearing relating to the same offense.

### (j) Review of fitness determination

An order that a child is or is not a fit and proper subject to be dealt with under the juvenile court law is not an appealable order. Appellate review of the order is by extraordinary writ. Any petition for review of a judge's order determining the child to be unfit or denying an application for rehearing of the referee's determination of unfitness must be filed no later than 20 days after the child's first arraignment on an accusatory pleading based on the allegations that led to the unfitness determination.

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY:	STATE BAR NO:			FOR COURT USE ONLY	
NAME:					
FIRM NAME:					
STREET ADDRESS:					
CITY:	STATE: ZIP CO	DDE:			
TELEPHONE NO.:	FAX NO.:		DRAF	Γ	
E-MAIL ADDRESS:					
ATTORNEY FOR (name):			7	PPROVED BY TH	E
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF	:		JUDIC	IAL COUNCIL	
STREET ADDRESS:					
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BRANCH NAME:					
OAGE NAME			1		
CASE NAME:					
JUVENILE WARDS	HIP PETITION		CASE NUMBER:		
§ 601(a) § 601		§ 602			
Petitioner on information and belief alleges	the following:				
a The child named below comes wit					elfare and
Institutions Code (check applicable				ts):	
601(a) 601(b)	602 Violati	on (specify code sed	ction):		
h Under a provious order of this cou	rt datad	the chi	ld was doalar	ad a ward under Ma	fore and
b. Under a previous order of this cou			iu was ueciai	ed a ward under Wel	liale allu
Institutions Code section 6	01(a) 601(b)	602			
c. Child's name and address:			d. Age:	e. Date of birth:	f. Sex:
g. Name:	mother	h. Name:			mother
Address:	father	Address:			father
	guardian				guardian
	unknown				unknown
If mother or father (check all that apply):		If mother or father	(check all that an	nplv):	
legal biological presumed	d alleged	legal	biological		alleged
i. Name:	mother	J. Other (name, a	address, and	relationship to child).	•
Address:	father				
	guardian				
	unknown				
If mother or father (check all that apply):				dian resides within this	
legal biological presumed	d alleged	adult relat	ive lives in this	county or is closest to t	his court.
Attemption of the child (if the course).		I. Child is			
k. Attorney for child (if known):		/ I. Child is not deta	inad _	] data:nad	
Address:				detained.	
		Date and time	of detention	(custody):	
		Current place	of detention (	address):	
Phone number:					
i none number.					

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CHILD'S NAME:	CASE NUMBER:					
Petitioner requests that the court find these allegations to be true.						
3. Petitioner requests a hearing to determine whether the child should be transferred to the jurisdiction of the criminal court under Welfare and Institutions Code section 707.						
I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoin	g and all attachments are true and correct.					
Date:						
(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)	(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)					
Indian Child Inquiry Attachment (form ICWA-010(A)) is completed and attached.						
Number of pages attached:						

# TO PARENTS OR OTHERS LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE CHILD

You and the estate of your child may be jointly and severally liable for the cost of the care, support, and maintenance of your child in any placement or detention facility, the cost of legal services for your child or you by a public defender or other attorney, the cost of supervision of your child by order of the juvenile court, and the cost of any restitution owed to the victim.

#### **RECORD SEALING**

The court may seal your records at the conclusion of your case or you may request sealing at a later date. Please see form JV-595-INFO, *How to Ask the Court to Seal Your Records*, and form JV-596-INFO, *Sealing of Records for Satisfactory Completion of Probation*, available through your attorney or *www.courts.ca.gov/forms.htm*, for more information about record sealing.

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CHILD'S NAME:	CASE NUMBER:
INITIAL APPEARANCE HEARING—JUVENILE DEL	INQUENCY
Out-of-Custody Appearance In-Custody Appearance and Detention	
THE COURT MAKES THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS AND ORDERS:	
Notice has been given as required by law.	
2. The child's date of birth is (specify):	
The child is to remain out of custody pending the next hearing.	
	cify date):
5. The petition or notice of probation violation was filed at:	p.m. on (specify date):
<ol> <li>Counsel is appointed for the child as follows:</li> <li>Counsel is to represent the child until relieved by the court in accordance with Ca</li> </ol>	difornia Bules of Court rule 5 663
	prected as follows:
7. Ine information on the face of the petition was confirmed co	inected as follows.
8. a The court inquired of the mother others (names and relation	onships):
as to the identities and addresses of all presumed or alleged fathers.	
b. The court finds (name):	be the legal biological
presumed alleged father.	
<ol> <li>The mother father legal guardian other (specific provided with a Parental Notification of Indian Status (form ICWA-020) and to the court before leaving the courthouse today.</li> </ol>	- ·
10. a The child is may be an Indian child, and the county age of the proceeding and of the tribe's right to intervene. Proof of such notice mu	ncy must provide, as required by law, notice ust be filed with the court.
b. There is reason to believe that the child may be of Indian ancestry, and the c proceedings to the Bureau of Indian Affairs as required by law. Proof of such	
11. The court advised the child and parent or legal guardian of (check all that apply)	
a the contents of the petition.	
b. the nature and possible consequences of juvenile court proceedings.	
<ul><li>c the purpose and scope of the initial hearing.</li><li>d the hearing rights described in rule:</li></ul>	
<ul><li>d the hearing rights described in rule:</li><li>e the reason the child was taken into custody.</li></ul>	
f. the parent or legal guardian's financial obligation and right to be repres	ented by counsel.
g other:	
12. Reading of the petition and advice of rights were waived by the child	the child's counsel.
13. The prosecutor has requested that a hearing be set to determine whether the chil jurisdiction of the criminal court under Welfare and Institutions Code section 707.	
14 The child through counsel	
a. denied the allegations of the petition dated:	
b. asked the court to take no action on the petition at this time.	
15. For the reasons stated on the record, the petition is dismissed in the inte does not need treatment or rehabilitation.	rests of justice because the child
After inquiry, the court finds that the child understands the nature of the allegation or pleading no contest to the allegations of the petition, and understands and wai (check all that apply):	
a. The right to have a hearing.	Page 1 of 3

CHILD'S NAME:	CASE NUMBER:			
16. b. The right to cross-examine and confront witnesses. c. The right to subpoena witnesses and present a defense. d. The right to remain silent.				
17. The child through counsel				
a. admitted the petition as filed as amended on (date	<del>)</del> ):			
b. pleaded no contest to the petition as filed as amend	ed <i>on (date):</i>			
c. The child's counsel consents to the admission or plea of no contest.				
d. The admission or plea of no contest is freely and voluntarily made.				
e. There is a factual basis for the admission or plea of no contest.				
f The court finds that the child was under 14 years old at the time of the of his or her conduct at the time the offense was committed.	offense but the child knew the wrongfulness			
18. a. The following allegations are admitted and found to be true:				
	specified Enhancement sposition (if applicable)			
b. As to any offense that could be considered a misdemeanor or felony, the condetermine the offense as stated in 18a	urt is aware of and exercises its discretion to			
determine the offense, as stated in 18a.  The following allegations are dismissed:				
C. The following allegations are dismissed:  Count number Statutory violation				
States, Totales				
19. The child is described by section 601 602 of the Welfare	and Institutions Code.			
20. The maximum confinement time is:				
21. The child's residence is in: County.				
22. The matter is transferred to: County for dispose Juvenile Court Transfer Orders (form JV-550) will be completed and transmitted	ition and further proceedings. immediately.			
23. The child waives his or her right under <i>People v. Arbuckle</i> to have the disposition heard by this judicial officer.				
CHILD IN CUSTODY				
24. The court has considered the detention report prepared by probation and the following documents (specify):				
and the testimony of (name):				
and the examination by the court of (name):				
and takes judicial notice of the entire court file.				
25. The child is released from custody to the home of (name, address, and	nd relationship to child):			
on home supervision on electronic monitoring the terms of which are stated in the attached <i>Terms and Conditions</i> (form JV-624).				
26. The child is a dependent of the court under section 300 and is ordered released from custody. The child welfare services				
department must either ensure that the child's current caregiver take physical cu the child and place the child in a licensed or approved placement.				

CHILD'S NAME:			CASE NUMBER:			
<u> </u>	owing has been made that th	•				
28. Based on the fa	cts stated on the record, the	child is detained in se	ecure custody on the following grounds (check all that apply)			
a. The c	hild has violated an order of t	he court.				
b The c	hild has escaped from a cour	t commitment.				
c. The c	hild is likely to flee the jurisdic	ction of the court.				
d. It is a	matter of immediate and urge	ent necessity for the p	protection of the child.			
e It is re	asonably necessary for the p	rotection of the perso	on or property of another.			
29. Based on the fa	cts stated on the record, cont	inuance in the child's	home is contrary to the child's welfare.			
30. Based on the fa	cts stated on the record, there	e are no available sei	rvices that would prevent the need for further detention.			
31. Temporary place	ement and care is the respon	sibility of the probation	on department.			
32. Reasonable effor	orts to prevent or eliminate the	e need for detention o	of the child have have not been made.			
33. Probation is ord	ered to provide services that	will assist with reunifi	cation of the child and the family.			
34. Probation is grad 739.	nted the authority to authorize	e medical, surgical, o	r dental care under Welfare and Institutions Code section			
timelines, a prod	The child and the parent or legal guardian have been advised that if the child cannot be returned home within the statutory timelines, a proceeding may be scheduled to determine an alternative permanent home, including an adoptive home after parental rights are terminated.					
36 The moth relatives to prob			rdered to supply the names and contact information of adult and of their options to be included in the child's life.			
37 The probation o	fficer must file a case plan wi	thin 60 days.				
38. Probation is aut	Probation is authorized to release the minor at its discretion under the following circumstances:					
	<u> </u>					
39. The court accep	ts transfer from the County o	f:				
40. Other orders:						
41. Child	Counsel waives time for (c	check all that apply)				
jurisdiction	·		other:			
		irricaning	outer.			
42. The next hearing	igs will be					
Date:	Time:	Dept:	Type of hearing:			
Date:	Time:	Dept:	Type of hearing:			
43. The child						
	ered to return to court on the	above date and time				
	ns detained.	abovo dato dila tililo.				
		l Per 6 l				
44. All prior orders not in conflict, including any terms and conditions of probation, remain in full force and effect.						
45. All appointed counsel are relieved.						
Date:						
		$\overline{\Box}$	JUDGE JUDGE PRO TEMPORE COMMISSIONER REFEREE			
Countersignature for deter	Countersignature for detention orders (if necessary):					
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Date:			JUDICIAL OFFICER			

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY	STATE BAR NUMBER:					
NAME:	STATE DAK NUMBEK:	FOR COURT USE ONLY				
FIRM NAME:						
STREET ADDRESS:						
CITY:	STATE: ZIP CODE:					
TELEPHONE NO.:	FAX NO.:					
E-MAIL ADDRESS:	TAX NO	DRAFT				
ATTORNEY FOR (name):						
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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,	COUNTY OF	JUDICIAL COUNCIL				
STREET ADDRESS:						
MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE:						
BRANCH NAME:						
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Case Name:						
JUVENILE TRANSFER TO	CRIMINAL COURT JURISDICTION ORDER	CASE NUMBER:				
	nd Institutions Code, § 707)					
1. a. Date of hearing:	Dept.:	Room:				
b. Judicial officer (name):	Дери	NOOM.				
c. Persons present: Youth	Youth's attorney (name):					
	ty District Attorney (name):					
Other						
	The metition and report of the purcha	tion officer				
2. The court has read and cor	nsidered: The petition and report of the proba Other relevant evidence.	TION Officer.				
	Other relevant evidence.					
	each of the following criteria and has determined that t	he youth should be transferred to the				
jurisdiction of the criminal of						
	sophistication of the youth for the reasons stated on the					
	be rehabilitated prior to the expiration of jurisdiction fo	r the reasons stated on the record.				
	elinquent history for the reasons stated on the record.					
	attempts by the court to rehabilitate the youth for the r					
e the circumstances and	gravity of the offense for the reasons stated on the re	cora.				
4. THE COURT FINDS AND ORDE	ERS (check one):					
Welfare and Institutions Code	section 707					
a. The youth was at least	16 years old at the time of the alleged felony offense;	or				
	14 years old at the time of the alleged offense, and th					
in Welfare and Institution	ons Code section 707(b).					
5. THE COURT ALSO FINDS AND						
	etained under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court.					
The next hearing is on (date)	: at (time):					
for (specify):						
	ansferred to the jurisdiction of the criminal court.	an and law				
	<ol> <li>The matter is referred to the District Attorney for prosecution under the general law.</li> <li>The petition filed on (date): is dismissed.</li> </ol>					
2. The petition filed or						
3. The youth is to be of Bail is set in the am		IUII 2U1.1).				
4. Bail is set in the am 5. The youth is release						
5 The youth is release	to the custody of:					
	to the odelody of.					
Date:						
		JUDICIAL OFFICER				
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ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY STATE	BAR NUMBER:		FOR C	COURT USE ONLY
NAME:				
FIRM NAME:				
STREET ADDRESS:  CITY: STATE	: ZIP C	YODE:		
TELEPHONE NO.: STATE		ODE:		
E-MAIL ADDRESS:				
ATTORNEY FOR (name):				
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF				
STREET ADDRESS:				
MAILING ADDRESS:				
CITY AND ZIP CODE:				
BRANCH NAME:				
CASE NAME:				
			CASE NUMBER:	
JUVENILE NOTICE OF VIOLATION		ATION	ONOE NOMBER.	
§ 725 § 7	777(a)			
Petitioner on information and belief alleges the follow	ing:			
a. Under a previous order of this court, dated		the ch	nild was declared a	ward under Welfare and
Institutions Code section 601(a)	601(b)	602	ma wao acciarca a	Wara andor Wonaro and
(-,				
b. Under a previous order of this court, dated		, the child	d was NOT declare	ed a ward and was placed
on summary probation under Welfare and In	stitutions Co	ode section 725(a).		
			<u> </u>	
c. Child's name and address			d. Age: e. Dat	e of birth: f. Sex:
c. Office and address			d. Age. C. Dai	i. OCX.
g. Name:	mother	h. Name:		mother
Address:	father	Address:		father
	guardian			guardian
	unknown			unknown
If mother or father (check all that apply):	_	If mother or father (ch		. —
legal biological presumed	alleged	legal	biological	presumed alleged
i. Name:	mother	j. Other (state nam	e, address, and rel	lationship to child):
Address:	father			
	guardian			
	unknown			
If mother or fother /-bb!!				
If mother or father (check all that apply):	¬	No known pa	arent or guardian resi	des within this state. This
legal biological presumed	alleged	adult relative	inves in this county o	or is closest to this court.
k. Attorney for child (if known):		I. Child is		<del></del>
Address:		not detaine	d detained	d
			detention (custody	* · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Phone number:		Current place of	detention (address	):
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CHILD'S NAME:	CASE NUMBER:	
2. The child is a: probationer or ward of the court under Welfa 601 602 725(a) and the child has violated a condition (State supporting facts concisely, and number them 1, 2, etc.) See Attachment 2.	re and Institutions Code section n of probation or order of the court.	
3. The recommended modification consequence is: a Removal from the custody of a parent guardian [ b Placement in a foster home or relative's home c Commitment to a private institution d Commitment to a county institution e Commitment to the California Department of Corrections and Ref To be determined g Other (specify):	relative friend  chabilitation, Division of Juvenile Facilities	
<ol> <li>The child violated nonwardship probation. Petitioner requests a heat 725(a) to decide if the child should be a ward and determine the approximation.</li> </ol>		Code section
5. Number of pages attached:		
TO PARENTS OR OTHERS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SUPPO		
You and the estate of your child may be jointly and severally liable for the	cost of the care, support, and maintenanc	e of your

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child in any placement or detention facility, the cost of legal services for your child or you by a public defender or other attorney,

the cost of supervision of your child by order of the juvenile court, and the cost of any restitution owed to the victim.

COURT OF APPEAL	APPELLATE DISTRICT, DIVISION	Court of Appeal Case Number (court will provide):
in re the Matter of:		(FILE STAMP)
(Name and date	of birth of child)	
Petition	oners	_
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Superior Court of California	ı, County of:	Superior Court No.
	ondent	Related Appeal Pending Appellate Court No.
Real Party	in Interest	
STAY DEGLIESTED	(coo itom 11)	PETITION FOR EXTRAORDINARY WRIT— JUVENILE TRANSFER (Welfare and Institutions Code, § 707)
STAY REQUESTED	, (see item 11).	

#### INSTRUCTIONS—READ CAREFULLY

- Read the entire form before completing any items.
- This petition must be clearly handprinted in ink or typed.
- Complete all applicable items in the proper spaces. If you need additional space, add an extra page and mark the additional page box.
- This petition must be filed no later than 20 days after the child's first arraignment in the adult criminal court for the transferred case.
- If you are filing this petition electronically and you are an attorney, follow the requirements of rules 8.70—8.79 and the court's local rules regarding electronically filed documents. If you are filing this petition in paper form and you are an attorney, follow the requirements of rule 8.44 regarding the number of copies. If you are *not* represented by an attorney, file the original and one set of any supporting documents.
- Notify the clerk of the court in writing if you change your address after filing your petition.

Individual Courts of Appeal or the Supreme Court may require documents other than or in addition to this form. Contact the clerk of the reviewing court for local requirements.

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CA	ASE NAME:	CASE NUMBER:
1.	This Petition for Extraordinary Writ—Juvenile Transfer is filed on behalf of petitioner.  a. Name: b. Address: c. Phone number: d. E-mail:	
2.	Petitioner is the a child b district attorney	
3.	The Petition for Extraordinary Writ—Juvenile Transfer pertains to the following child:  Name of child:  Child's date of birth:	
4.	This petition seeks extraordinary relief from the order of <i>(name)</i> :  a ordering a transfer of jurisdiction from juvenile to criminal court.  b denying a motion requesting transfer of jurisdiction from juvenile to criminal cocc other <i>(specify)</i> :	ourt.
5.	The challenged order was made on (date of hearing):	
6.	The order was erroneous on the following grounds (specify):	
7.	<ul><li>a. Supporting documents are attached.</li><li>b. Because of exigent circumstances, supporting documents are not attached (e.g.)</li></ul>	xplain):
8.	Summary of factual basis for petition (Petitioner need not repeat facts as they appear in specific portion of the record, its significance to the grounds alleged, and disputed aspe	
		Additional pages attached.
9.	Points and authorities in support of the petition are attached (number of pages attached	d):
10.	Petitioner requests that this court direct the trial court to <i>(check all that apply):</i> a Vacate the transfer order under section 707.  b Vacate the denial of the motion seeking transfer under section 707.  c Remand for hearing.  d Order that jurisdiction remain with the juvenile court.  e Order a transfer of jurisdiction to the criminal court.  f Other <i>(specify):</i>	

11. Petitioner requests a temporary stay pending the granting or denial of the petition for a. Hearing date (must specify):	or extraordinary writ.
b. Reasons for stay (specify):	
	Additional pages attached.
12. Total number of pages are attached:	
13. I am the petitioner attorney for petitioner.	
attorney for petitioner.	
declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forest	going is true and correct, except for matters that
are stated on my information and belief, and as to those matters, I believe them to be to	rue.
Date:	
	<b>•</b>
(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)	(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER ATTORNEY
Address:	

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CASE NAME: