

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

**Civil Division**

Central District, Spring Street Courthouse, Department 6

**24STCV06193**

**RAUL GUTIERREZ, et al. vs LOS ANGELES COUNTY**

**PROBATION DEPARTMENT**

August 8, 2025

11:00 AM

Judge: Honorable Elihu M. Berle  
Judicial Assistant: P. Herrera  
Courtroom Assistant: M. Molinar

CSR: Michelle G. Cooper, CSR # 13572  
ERM: None  
Deputy Sheriff: None

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**APPEARANCES:**

For Plaintiff(s): No Appearances

For Defendant(s): No Appearances

Other Appearance Notes: See appearances below.

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**NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS:** Status Conference Regarding Case Management Order

**APPEARANCES:**

Counsel for Plaintiff(s): Richard Carter; Jon Drucker; Douglas Winter via LACC; Paul Perkins via LACC; Brent Buchsbaum via LACC; Christy Granieri via LACC; Sharon A. Ramirez, C. Genevieve Jenkins via LACC; Holli Leonard via LACC; Emily C. Barbour via LACC; and Hoanh Robinson via LACC; Mike Baltaxe via LACC; and Eyal Farahan via LACC;

Counsel for Defendant(s): Jamil M. Aslam; Victoria J. Ramirez via LACC; Oscar Bustos via LACC; Lindsey Rene Hagen via LACC; and Victoria J. Ramirez via LACC;

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The matter is called for hearing along with related cases.

Pursuant to Government Code sections 68086, 70044, California Rules of Court, rule 2.956, and the stipulation of appearing parties, Michelle G. Cooper, CSR # 13572, certified shorthand reporter is appointed as an official Court reporter pro tempore in these proceedings, and is ordered to comply with the terms of the Court Reporter Agreement. The Order is signed and filed this date. The Court Reporter is appearing remotely via LA Court Connect.

The Court has reviewed and considered the Joint Report and the [Proposed] Case Management Order No. 1, both submitted on August 1, 2025.

The Court and counsel confer as to the status of the cases.

The Case Management Order No. 1 is signed and filed this date.

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In 25STCV02388-Scarborough, the Court suggest that counsel submit an application to sever the termination claim.

In 25STCV07265-Dillihunt, counsel for Plaintiff may file a motion to unrelate.

Status Conference is scheduled for 09/03/2025 at 10:00 AM in Department 6 at Spring Street Courthouse.

The parties are ordered to meet and confer and file a joint status report by August 27, 2025, advising the Court of the following:

1. Status of the master complaint, notice of adoption of master complaint, proposed challenges to master compliant, filing of the master answer;
2. Schedule for discovery, specific deadlines, fact sheets and liability discovery requests.
3. Filing of any new case.

Notice is deemed waived.