

1 SUPERIOR COURT  
2 COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO  
3 247 West Third Street, Eleventh Floor  
4 San Bernardino, CA 92415  
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8 **IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**  
9 **FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO**  
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11 IN RE: } GENERAL ORDER #GO26-031  
12 REJECTION OF ELECTRONICALLY } GENERAL ORDER OF THE  
13 FILED ABILITY TO PAY (e-ATP) } PRESIDING JUDGE  
14 REQUESTS FOR TRAFFIC INFRACTION  
15 CITATIONS DISPOSED OF BY BAIL  
FORFEITURE

16 The ability to pay tool is not intended to be used to request fine reductions after a  
17 judgment has been entered, including if the case was disposed of by bail forfeiture. It is  
18 hereby ordered that the clerk's office shall reject that filing.

19 This general order applies to all traffic infraction cases, in all courthouses, where  
20 the case was previously disposed of by bail forfeiture.

21 This order is effective January 1, 2026, and supersedes all previous general  
22 orders entitled *Rejection of Electronically Filed Ability to Pay (E-AtP) Requests for*  
23 *Traffic Infraction Citations Disposed of by Bail Forfeiture* issued by previous Presiding  
24 Judges. This order shall remain in effect until December 31, 2027.

25 Dated this 1st day of January, 2026.

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28 Rod Cortez  
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court