

**TENTATIVE RULINGS**

**FOR: January 16, 2018**

The Court may exercise its discretion to **disregard** a late filed paper in law and motion matters. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.1300(d).)

**Unlawful Detainer Cases** – Pursuant to the restrictions in Code of Civil Procedure section 1161.2, no tentative rulings are posted for unlawful detainer cases and appearances are required.

**Court Reporting Services** – The Court does not provide official court reporters in proceedings for which such services are not legally mandated. These proceedings include civil law and motion hearings. If counsel want their civil law and motion hearing reported, they must arrange for a private court reporter to be present. Go to <http://napacountybar.org/court-reporting-services/> for information about local private court reporters. Attorneys or parties must confer with each other to avoid having more than one court reporter present for the same hearing.

**Special Note--Because of the court holiday on Monday, the Court is unable to field telephone calls for requests for oral argument. For this reason, appearances will be allowed for the posted court hearings without notifying the Court, provided a party notifies all other parties today (Friday) that the party intends to appear and argue. If notice of intent to appear has not been given to all parties, no oral argument will be permitted and the tentative ruling will become the Court's ruling.**

**PROBATE CALENDAR – Hon. Rodney Stone, Dept. I (Criminal Courts Bldg.-1111 Third St.)**

**Conservatorship of Justin Edward Sandness, Jr.**

**PR24653**

TWELFTH ACCOUNT AND REPORT OF CONSERVATOR AND PETITION FOR APPROVAL THEREOF, AND FOR ALLOWANCE OF CONSERVATOR’S AND ATTORNEY’S FEES

**TENTATIVE RULING:** GRANT petition, including fees as prayed. After a review of the matter, the Court finds the conservator is acting in the best interest of the conservatee. Per the request of the conservator as indicated in the court investigator’s report, the matter is set for a review hearing and an accounting on October 29, 2019, at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. I. All accounting documents must be filed at least 30 days prior to the hearing. The court investigator shall prepare an investigator report for the next hearing date. The clerk is directed to send notice to the parties.

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**Estate of James Stephen McKinnon**

**17PR000248**

PETITION TO DETERMINE TITLE TO PERSONAL PROPERTY

**APPEARANCE REQUIRED**