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Superior Court Nears Completion of Imaging Project in Central Civil Division

On Tuesday, November 1, 2011, the San Diego Superior Court will add six more Central Division courtrooms to its comprehensive imaging project. This means all downtown Civil Independent Calendar departments will have moved to imaged documents.

Three months ago, the San Diego Superior Court began the process of building a program that will gradually move specific court operations to a paper-on-demand system. All newly-initiated cases, with some exceptions, assigned to civil departments in the court's Central Division will now be scanned and stored electronically in the court's case management system.

The following departments have or will become part of this program, effective on the indicated dates:

Tuesday, November 1, 2011:

Dept. 60	Judge Lisa Foster
Dept. 61	Judge John S. Meyer
Dept. 62	Judge Ronald L. Styn (<i>non e-File cases</i>)
Dept. 64	Judge William R. Nevitt, Jr.
Dept. 67	Judge William S. Dato
Dept. 71	Judge Ronald S. Prager (<i>non e-File cases</i>)

October 3, 2011:

Department 63	Judge Luis R. Vargas (<i>Non Construction Defect Cases Only</i>)
Department 65	Judge Joan M. Lewis
Department 66	Judge Joel M. Pressman
Department 68	Judge Judith F. Hayes
Department 70	Judge Randa Trapp
Department 75	Judge Richard E.L. Strauss

September 1, 2011:

Department 72	Judge Timothy B. Taylor
Department 73	Judge Steven R. Denton

August 1, 2011:

Department 69	Judge Jeffrey B. Barton
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The goal is to have all Central Division civil courtrooms (downtown San Diego) utilizing imaged documents by the end of the year.

Documents from the imaged cases in these departments will be retained in paper form for 90 days after the document is filed. All existing cases initiated prior to the imaging start date in a particular department will be maintained in hard copy.

For more detail on the imaging project, [click here](#).

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