

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
PR - MARTINEZ-WAKEFIELD TAYLOR COURTHOUSE
COURT CALENDAR FOR SEPTEMBER 28, 2023
DEPARTMENT 30
JUDICIAL OFFICER: VIRGINIA M GEORGE

PROBATE EXAMINER NOTES-SUBJECT TO REVISION AFTER REVIEW BY
THE JUDGE

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1A. MSP04-00263 **THE MATTER OF THE THOMAS J. GONZALES II TRUST**
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: DEMURRER TO THE PETITION OF TOM GONZALES, OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE MOTION
 TO STRIKE ALLEGATIONS OF FRAUD FILED ON 06/01/23 BY JOEL THOMAS

1B. MSP04-00263 **THE MATTER OF THE THOMAS J. GONZALES II TRUST**
9:00 AM HEARING ON PETITION IN RE: TO RECOVER TRUST PROPERTY UNDER PROBATE CODE SECTION 850;
 FOR ACCOUNTING; AND FOR INSTRUCTIONS UNDER PROBATE CODE SECTION 12700 FILED ON
 03/27/23 BY TOM GONZALES

1C. MSP04-00263 **THE MATTER OF THE THOMAS J. GONZALES II TRUST**
9:00 AM HEARING ON PETITION IN RE: TO DETERMINE BENEFICIARY AND TO COMPEL PRODUCTION OF
 REQUESTED INFORMATION ON 11/23/22 BY JOEL THOMAS

4. MSP19-00779 **ESTATE OF JAMES CURTIS**
9:00 AM HEARING ON PETITION IN RE: FIRST AND FINAL REPORT OF EXE ON ACCOUNT; PETITION FOR ITS
 SETTLEMENT; PETITION FOR FINAL DISTRIBUTION, DISCHARGE OF EXECUTOR. SUBSEQUENT PETITION
 FILED

5. MSP20-01290 **ESTATE OF: CHARLES KNOPF**
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: FIRST & FINAL REPORT, PETITION FOR FINAL DISTRIBUTION ON WAIVER OF
 ACCOUNT, ALLOWANCE OF COMPENSATION, REIMBURSEMENT OF COSTS FILED ON 06/01/23 BY
 HEATHER A. HAMILTON

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6. P22-01396 ESTATE OF: ELINORE MILLER
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: FIRST & FINAL REPORT, PETITION FOR SETTLEMENT, ALLOWANCE OF
COMPENSATION, ATTORNEYS' FEES & FOR FINAL DISTRIBUTION FILED ON 06/01/23 BY BROOKE ANNE
MILLER

7. P22-01955 MATTER OF: THE MYRA M. GIBBS LIVING TRUST DATED MAY 25, 2021
9:00 AM HEARING ON PETITION IN RE: FOR ORDER INVALIDATING PURPORTED TRUST, FINANCIAL ELDER
ABUSE, CANCELLATION OF INSTRUMENT AND IMPOSITION OF CONSTRUCTIVE TRUST FILED 11/30/22
BY CLIFFORD BURRAGE

8. P22-01966 MATTER OF: FORTUNE FERRE MAY 23, 2007 REVOCABLE TRUST
9:00 AM HEARING ON PETITION IN RE: TO COMPEL ACCOUNTING, DISTRIBUTE TRUST ASSETS IN ACCORDANCE
WITH TRUST PROVISION AND REMOVE TRUSTEE FILED 12/02/22 BY CORRINE FERRE

9. P23-01004 ESTATE OF: ALICE WARD
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH IAEA FILED ON 05/31/23 BY
PRESTON SCOTT WARD

10. P23-01006 ESTATE OF: DOMINADOR BALLESTEROS
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH IAEA FILED ON 05/31/23 BY
TERESITA BALLESTEROS ISON AND WELFREDO BALLESTEROS

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11. P23-01010 MATTER OF: THE PETER AND JOAN E. AVENALI LIVING TRUST DATED APRIL 18,
1988 AS RESTATED ON MARCH 3, 2006
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: VERIFIED PETITION FOR ORDER TO INVALIDATE SECOND RESTATEMENT AND
AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED ON 06/01/23 BY HILLARY AVENALI CASH

12. P23-01017 MATTER OF: THE ROLANDO JAOCHICO 1999 TRUST
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR ORDER CONFIRMING TRUST ASSETS FILED ON 06/02/23 BY ROLANDO
M. JAOCHICO

13. P23-01019 ESTATE OF: DENNIS PISILA
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND FOR LETTERS TESTAMENTARY WITH IAEA
FILED ON 06/05/23 BY BAMBI BARKER

14. P23-01021 IN RE: ESTATE OF FRED L. VAN AMBURG, JR.
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION TO DETERMINE SUCCESSION TO REAL PROPERTY FILED ON 06/05/23 BY
THOMAS K. VAN AMBURG