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STANDING ORDER

STATE OF TEXAS	§	**IN THE COUNTY COURT**
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	§	**AT LAW NO. 7**
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COUNTY OF BEXAR	§	**BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS**

STANDING ORDER ON TRIAL PROCEDURES IN COUNTY COURT AT LAW NUMBER 7 AND IMPACT COURT NUMBER 7

This STANDING ORDER of Judge Melanie M. Lira, Presiding Judge of County Court at Law No. 7, hearing misdemeanor family violence cases, is intended to direct attorneys with cases in County Court at Law Number 7 and the Bexar County Impact Court for County Court at Law Number 7 that effective immediately:

ALL motions must be in writing and filed/served in accordance with the Local Rules of the Bexar County Courts at Law and the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure.

County Court at Law Number 7 and Impact Court will each hold a 'Call Docket' the Thursday before Monday trials each week. Necessary pre-trial matters should be addressed at that time. Impact Court Number 7 will hold trials on Mondays through Wednesdays.

County Court at Law No. 7 and the Bexar County Impact Court for County Court at Law Number 7 do NOT observe any general policy that each side gets a "not ready" announcement for trial with an automatic continuance/reset.

In the event a party is not prepared to go forward with a trial setting, a written motion for continuance that complies with the requirements of Chapter 29 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure must be filed and presented to the court for a ruling.

In the event that a trial continuance is agreed upon by the parties, both parties must approach the bench for good cause determination.

It is ORDERED that this STANDING ORDER be filed and recorded with the County Clerk of Bexar County

SIGNED, ORDERED & ENTERED on this 21 **day of** August**, 2023 by:**

Melanie Lira (Aug 21, 2023 12:12 CDT)

Judge Melanie M. Lira, Presiding
Bexar County Court at Law No. 7