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CJEO Draft Formal Opinion 2025-028

DISQUALIFICATION AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE RACIAL JUSTICE ACT

Public Comments Submitted with a Waiver of Confidentiality

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The following comments received by the committee on CJEO Draft Formal Opinion 2025-030 were submitted with a statement waiving confidentiality or consenting to disclosure. Comment No. 1 Submitted by: Stephanie Kuo, Legislative Analyst On behalf of: Superior Court of Los Angeles County To: Judicial Ethics Received on: July 1, 2025 Confidentiality waived.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. We believe the draft formal opinion is wellreasoned and will provide helpful guidance to judicial officers.