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Request for Public Comment

The Law Revision Commission requests public comment on its tentative recommendation to repeal obsolete provisions of Code of Civil Procedure Section 259, such as those relating to notarial functions, fees, and official seals of court commissioners. The proposal would also harmonize the language of Section 259 relating to appointment of a court commissioner as temporary judge with the controlling constitutional provision.

The tentative recommendation is available from the California Law Revision Commission, 4000 Middlefield Road, Room D-1, Palo Alto, CA 94303-4739. The tentative recommendation is also available at the Commission's website (www.clrc.ca.gov) by following the "Public Comment" link.

The Commission often substantially revises its recommendations as a result of public comment. To receive timely consideration, comments should be submitted by **May 31, 2003**.

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