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Welfare and Institutions Code Section 827.9 is a legislatively crafted procedure for access to law enforcement reports. The legislature crafted it as a pilot project for the County of Los Angeles and has never readdressed the need for broader use throughout the state. We have utilized 827.9 for many years without any formal adoption or authorization. At this time the Court formalizes the 827.9 process in Santa Clara County with this Standing Order.

Welfare and Institutions Code Section 827,9 is hereby adopted and its use is authorized by law enforcement and the Santa Clara County Juvenile Court as a process for inspection, copying and dissemination of law enforcement records. Anyone not specifically authorized by this statute, other statutes, standing orders, or Rules of Court must file a Petition pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code Section 827.

The provision of 827.9 requiring the Presiding Judge to process these requests is not adopted. The Supervising Judge of Juvenile Justice Court or any other Juvenile Justice Court judge he or she delegates may process these requests.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

February 13, 2014

The Honorable Patrick Tondreau Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court