

**AMENDED RULES
COUNTY COURT AT LAW NO. 1
HONORABLE ALFRED S. GERSON, JUDGE
EFFECTIVE BEGINNING MAY, 1992**

There is no docket call in this court. It will be presumed that your case is ready for trial when it appears on your docket, whether it's there as a requested setting or just because it's been around too long.

Trial dockets will be mailed in time for you to have them at least 60 days prior to the 1st day of the month in which your case is set. The mailing of this docket will be the only notice given of the trial setting. The only exception to this will be the special settings, of which you will be given special notice in ample time.

Announcement date is the 15th of the month prior to the month it is set. (i.e.: February 15th for the month of March)

On "not ready" announcements a **written MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE** must be filed within 4 days from announcement date. The clerk will then set the Motion for hearing and your office will be notified by phone.

All agreements to pass must be in writing and signed by all parties and furnished to the Court on or before the 15th of the month prior to the month it is set.

Granting of Motions permitting change in representation shall not be grounds for a continuance.

On all ancillary hearings it shall be the duty of the party requesting the hearing to: 1) obtain a date and time from the Clerk of the court, 2) notify all other counsel of record of such hearing in writing with a copy to this court.

With respect to jury trials, the following are **MANDATORY**:

- a) Your proposed questions, Motion in Limine, etc. must be left with the Clerk of the court no later than 9:00 a.m. on the day before trial begins (that means Friday if the trial starts Monday).
- b) Jury fee must be paid at least 30 days in advance of the 1st day of the month in which the case is set for trial with notice of it sent to this court.

All cases will be set by the Court as nearly as possible in the order in which they are requested. You will be notified by mail of the exact date and time your case is set. If your case has settled or settles before the trial date you are given, notify this court immediately.

Alfred S. Gerson
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Jefferson County, Texas