

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

Civil Division

Central District, Spring Street Courthouse, Department 7

JCCP5378
SILICOSIS CASES

July 18, 2025
9:09 AM

Judge: Honorable Samantha Jessner
Judicial Assistant: A. Morales
Courtroom Assistant: T. Bivins

CSR: None
ERM: None
Deputy Sheriff: None

APPEARANCES:

For Plaintiff(s): No Appearances

For Defendant(s): No Appearances

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS: Ruling on Submitted Matter

The Court, having taken the matter under submission on 07/11/2025 for Hearing on Petition for Coordination on case JCCP5378, now rules as follows:

The Petition for Coordination Pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Section 404 ET. SEQ.. CRC 3.521 ET SEQ. filed by Sergio C. Tapia II on 05/20/2025 in case number JCCP5378 is Granted.

By Order of the Chair of the Judicial Council, this Court was assigned as the Coordination Motion Judge for the purpose of hearing the Coordination Petition and, upon granting the Petition, to make a recommendation on the appropriate court site for assignment of a Coordination Trial Judge.

The Court, having reviewed and considered the Petition and all filings in response to the Petition, finds the cases subject to the Petition are complex cases within the meaning of California Rules of Court, rule 3.400, and that this is an appropriate matter for coordination pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure sections 404 and 404.1 and California Rules of Court, rules 3.501, et seq.

The Court recommends that a Coordination Trial Judge be assigned from the Complex Litigation Panel of the Los Angeles Superior Court. The Court designates the Second Appellate District as the designated District of the Court of Appeal to hear appeals in the coordinated proceedings.

All coordinated cases shall be stayed pending the assignment of a Coordination Trial Judge, provided that to the extent the parties have engaged in discovery and there are outstanding issues concerning the sufficiency of discovery responses, the stay shall not affect the parties' obligation to meet and confer in good faith with respect to outstanding discovery issues. The parties should complete their meet and confer efforts in sufficient time to permit the presentation of unresolved discovery issues to the Coordination Trial Judge at the time of the Initial Status Conference in the coordinated proceedings. The stay shall preclude the filing of any discovery motions or

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further proceedings on pleading challenges.

Plaintiff's counsel, Raphael Metzger is ordered to give notice.

Counsel are reminded that in preparing future documents, all captions must include the Coordinated Case Number JCCP5378 along with the originally assigned case number.

Any future hearings on the newly coordinated case(s) are advanced to this date and vacated.

The following cases are subject to this order: 21STCV06984, 23STCV11602, 24STCV01615, 24STCV05591, 24STCV10216, 24STCV17052, 24STCV18692, 24STCV18847, 24STCV19012, 24STCV19194, 24STCV20124, 24STCV20969, 24STCV21794, 24STCV21824, 24STCV23289, 24STCV24391, 24STCV25222, 24STCV25443, 24STCV25604, 24STCV26071, 24STCV26130, 24STCV28804, 24STCV28878, 24STCV29112, 24STCV29217, 24STCV30612, 24STCV30826, 24STCV30963, 24STCV31319, 24STCV31323, 24STCV31995, 24STCV32207, 24STCV32214, 24STCV33164, 24STCV33716, 24STCV34734, 25STCV03340, 25STCV04181, 25STCV04184, 25STCV04187, 22STCV31907, 22STCV38729, 23STCV00238, 23STCV00260, 23STCV01424, 23STCV01612, 23STCV06368, 23STCV06384, 23STCV06568, 23STCV08523, 23STCV08440, 23STCV08596, 23STCV11561, 23STCV11727, 23STCV12007, 23STCV29755, 23STCV31679, 24STCV01658, 24STCV11894, 24STCV22677, 24STCV22918, 24STCV23021, 24STCV23567, 24STCV24107, 24STCV24490, 24STCV25416, 24STCV25458, 24STCV25424, 24STCV25592, 24STCV25867, 24STCV25868, 24STCV28216, 24STCV28180, 24STCV28707, 24STCV28667, 24STCV29059, 24STCV29521, 24STCV30872, 24STCV30982, 24STCV31227, 24STCV32291, 24STCV33688, 25STCV000980, 25STCV01095, 25STCV02326, 25STCV02748, 25STCV03223, 25STCV03306, 25STCV03298, 25STCV03500, 25STCV03837, 25STCV03892, 25STCV03744, 25STCV04195, 25STCV04011, 25STCV04297, 25STCV04388, 25STCV05573, 25STCV06635, 25STCV07331, 25STCV07802, 25STCV08404, 25STCV09255, 25STCV09524, 25STCV09431, 25STCV09417, 25STCV09641, 25STCV09840, 25STCV09746, 25STCV10277, 25STCV10354, 25STCV10470, 25STCV10688, 25STCV10733, 25STCV10770, 25STCV11136, 25STCV11293, 25STCV11410, 25STCV11774, 25STCV11854, 25STCV13496, 25STCV13447, 25STCV14567, 25STCV14645, 25STCV14564, 25STCV15496, 25STCV15553, 25STCV15846, 25STCV15872, 25STCV15892, 25STCV16062, 25STCV16011, 25STCV15952, 25STCV16327, 25STCV16280, 25STCV16329, 25STCV16641, 25STCV16757, 25STCV16741, 25STCV16902, 25STCV17211, 25STCV17361, 25STCV17580,

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These coordinated actions are temporarily administratively assigned to this department, pending Judicial Council's determination of the county in which the Coordination Trial Judge will be located.

Certificate of Mailing is attached.

A copy of this minute order will append to the following coordinated cases under JCCP5378:
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