Rule 1.4.03 Appearances in Traffic and Minor Violation Departments - REVOKED

- (a) Traffic infraction *arraignments* and *ability to pay determination hearings* may be conducted by two-way remote video communication without prior approval from the court.
- (b) Defendants electing to appear remotely shall appear from a quiet location with good access to the Internet. Defendants in a remote location shall be free of distractions with the ability to focus during the proceedings. Defendants shall appear with their video turned on so that they are visible to the court for the entire proceeding.
- (c) If defendants do not appear from a quiet location or do not appear ready and able to focus on the proceedings, the Court may continue the hearing and order the defendant to appear in person.

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