

proceeding, and authorized to make binding stipulations or commitments, or accompanied by a person empowered to act on behalf of the party represented, shall appear at the conference.

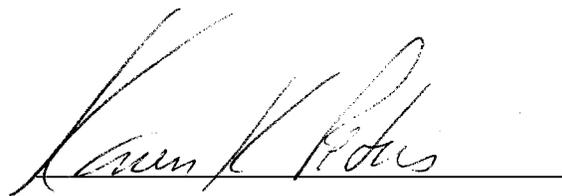
(b) Any attorney or party who, without good cause shown, fails to appear for or participate, with the familiarity and authorization described in subdivision (a) of this section, in a regularly scheduled pre-calendar conference, or who fails to comply with the terms of a stipulation or order entered following a pre-calendar conference, may be subject to such sanctions and/or to such costs in the form of reimbursement for actual expenses incurred and reasonable attorneys' fees as the court may direct.

(c) Should a pre-calendar conference not be scheduled within 30 days after the filing of a pre-calendar statement, any party may[, upon notice,] apply to the court by letter requesting such conference. The application shall include a brief statement indicating why a conference would be appropriate.

(d) The presiding justice shall appoint a departmental advisory committee consisting of attorneys who regularly attend the civil appeals settlement program conferences and include at least one former or current civil appeals settlement program settlement officer and such additional persons as the presiding justice deems necessary to perform the functions of the advisory committee. The departmental advisory committee shall meet annually for the purpose of making recommendations to the presiding justice with respect to enhancements of the program.

DATED AND ENTERED:

3/28/2013



Hon. Karen K. Peters
Presiding Justice

Material in [brackets] is deleted; material underlined is added