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APPELLATE COURT SESSION
TO BE HELD AT USD COURT

September 28, 1978

The Fourth Appellate District Court of Appeal will hear oral arguments in the Joseph P. Grace Courtroom at the University of San Diego Law School on Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The hearings mark the first time in the court's history that it will convene outside of the appellate courtroom in the state building.

Two of the cases to be decided concern appeals based on the recent landmark decisions of the California Supreme Court regarding the individual liability of negligent parties based on their comparative fault.

One case, *Stewart v. Toyota Motor Sales U.S.A.* has been remanded back to the Appellate Court from the California Supreme Court with instructions to determine damages based on a recent court decision that assigns comparative fault measures to determine liability.

A second case, *Dantice, et al. v. Imperial Irrigation District, et al.* will be decided on similar principles.

Other cases on the docket include:

--*State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co. v. MacKenzie*--a bad faith insurance case appealed from the Superior Court of San Diego County.

--*In the Matter of the Arbitration between Baker v. McKinney, Jr., et al., minors*--an appeal from a verdict of wrongful death action against Doctors Hospital of San Diego and one of its physicians.

Justice Gerald Brown will preside over the hearings which begin at 9:30 a.m. and, after a noon recess, reconvene at 1:30 p.m.

The public is invited to attend.