

# Grand Jury Background Checks Survey Summary

10 Counties Responding as of May 14, 2003

Do you conduct background checks on prospective Grand Jurors?		Comments
Alameda	Yes	By DA, through DOJ.
Contra-Costa	Yes	Fingerprint and background check.
Fresno	Yes	Through DOJ.
Kings	No	Complete application under penalty of perjury.
Los Angeles	Yes	Extensive background check done through DOJ & FBI.
Orange	Yes	Interviews, extensive records check, written report to committee
San Joaquin	Yes	By DA through DOJ.
Santa Clara	Yes	Criminal background check on Civil Grand Jurors.
Ventura	Yes	Through DOJ.
Yolo*		*Asked Question.