

# CalSAWS | Enhancement Request (CER)

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<b>Submission Date</b>	10-02-2023
<b>Title</b>	Request to Update SIU Prosecution Sentence Selections

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<b>Program(s) Impacted:</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Adoptive Services	<input type="checkbox"/> ARC	<input type="checkbox"/> CalFresh	<input type="checkbox"/> Cal-Learn
<input type="checkbox"/> CalWORKS / RCA	<input type="checkbox"/> CAPI	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Care	<input type="checkbox"/> CMSP
<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Care	<input type="checkbox"/> GA/GR	<input type="checkbox"/> GAIN/REP/WTW	<input type="checkbox"/> GROW
<input type="checkbox"/> Kin-GAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Medi-Cal / RMA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other – specify Any program that can be prosecuted for welfare fraud			

<b>Area(s) Impacted:</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Call Center	<input type="checkbox"/> Case Assignment	<input type="checkbox"/> Central Print	<input type="checkbox"/> Client Correspondence
<input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility	<input type="checkbox"/> Fiscal / Collections	<input type="checkbox"/> Hearings	<input type="checkbox"/> Imaging
<input type="checkbox"/> Lobby Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Resource Data Bank	<input type="checkbox"/> Schedule Appt
<input type="checkbox"/> Security	<input type="checkbox"/> Self Service Portal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Special Investigation	<input type="checkbox"/> Task Mgmt
<input type="checkbox"/> Time Limits	<input type="checkbox"/> Training		
<input type="checkbox"/> Interface(s) - specify			
<input type="checkbox"/> County Operational (ex. Business Reply Mail (BRM), EBT Printers, Change of Address, Opt In/Out, etc.) – specify			
<input type="checkbox"/> Other – specify			

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## Justification / Request Summary:

"County Jail Prison" is a sentencing option for welfare fraud convictions.  
Please add it as an option in the Sentence field on the Prosecution Result Detail page.

## Issue:

Under California Penal Code PC 1170, many felony crimes (including welfare fraud under WIC 10980), are punishable by sentencing in "County Jail Prison" instead of State Prison.

This is an example of a sentence from a court case here in Lake County:

### Sentence Narrative

(2) as found in Count 1 of the Complaint and that as punishment therefore he be imprisoned in county jail prison for the middle term of 1 year, to be served concurrently to Counts 1 and 7 in [REDACTED]. The total term imposed is 2 years 8 months.  
The Court finds the defendant does not have the ability to pay and does not impose any fines or fees. Restitution in the amount of: \$ 3370.00 is payable to the victim CalWorks Program.

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"County Jail Prison" is not an option in the Sentence field on the Prosecution Result Detail page in CalSAWS.

The five options available in the Sentence field are:

Probation  
State Prison  
County Jail  
Suspended Sentence  
Community Service

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We believe "County Jail Prison" should be added as an option in the Sentence field.

PC\_1170.pdf and WIC\_10980.pdf are also attached.

## Proposed Recommendation:

Add "County Jail Prison" as an option in the Sentence field on the Prosecution Result Detail page.

## Priority/Implementation Consideration(s):

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