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TRIAL ATTORNEY- HEARING OFFICER- FORMER HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATOR

I am a trial lawyer and have been practicing a broad range of law since 1985, including general health law. Prior to that, I spent over 10 years as a hospital executive in both major medical centers and community hospitals.

HEARING OFFICER AND PEER REVIEW EXPERIENCE

As a hospital administrator, I participated in well over 1000 medical staff committee meetings. As a lawyer, I have represented physicians and medical staffs as lead counsel in numerous hearings, appellate reviews, and writs. I have been called upon frequently to serve as a Hearing Officer as well as a Mediator and an independent investigator.

HEARING OFFICER TRAINING PROGRAM

Completed in March 2013.

GEOGRAPHIC AVAILABILITY

I provide my services anywhere they are needed within and outside of California.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

I graduated in 1972 from Villanova University with Bachelor Degrees in both Biology and Humanities. I earned my Master's Degree in Health Care Administration in 1975 from George Washington University. I received my Juris Doctor degree from Southwestern University School of Law in 1982.

BAR AFFILIATIONS

I was admitted to the California Bar in 1983. Since then I have been admitted to practice before the United States District Court, the United States Court of Appeals, and the United States Supreme Court.

CERTIFICATIONS

State Bar Board Certified Specialist in Civil Trial Advocacy and Medical Malpractice
American Board of Trial Advocates

PRIOR LAW FIRM AFFILIATIONS

Bonne, Bridges, Mueller, O'Keefe, and Nichols