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On the Move: Tracking the Ins and Outs of California Lawyers

New hires, promotions, appointments and awards in-house, at firms and in government and academia.

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[Stephanie Haffner](#) has joined **Legal Aid of Marin**'s board of directors as executive director. She will focus on leading the organization's legal services on housing, employment and providing support for legal issues for seniors and low-income residents in Marin. Haffner had served previously as director of litigation at the **Western Center on Law & Poverty** in Los Angeles.

Amy Hespenheide joined **Withers Bergman** as a special counsel in its San Francisco office. Her practice focuses on estate planning for clients with a high net worth, and also manages trust administration and probate matters.

Baker & Hostetler brought on **Numan Siddiqi** as a partner in the firm's Costa Mesa office. Siddiqi's experience focuses on complex transactions for public and private companies. Most recently, he was a partner at **Brown Rudnick**.

Scott Stanton joined **Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky and Popeo** as a member in the San Diego office. Stanton will be part of the corporate and securities practice. He specializes in SEC reporting and corporate governance matters. Previously, he was a partner at **Morrison & Foerster**.

Tyson & Mendes promoted **Robert Taitz** to partner in its San Francisco office. His practice focuses on general liability and commercial litigation. Previously, Taitz was at **Skane Wilcox**.