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Partner, through his Professional Corporation



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legal expertise

Jean Nogues handles complex business litigation including securities, antitrust, unfair competition and business torts, ERISA, insurance coverage, accountant liability, and land use/environmental matters.

representative matters

- Defended a charcoal manufacturing and distribution company in an antitrust class action alleging price fixing and territorial/customer allocations. Case settled favorably to client.
- Have successfully represented clients in DOJ antitrust investigations.
- Represented an online content provider in a case where it asserted that ICANN and the operator of a top level domain had violated the antitrust laws. Case settled favorably to client.
- Successfully defended the creator of popular online games against claims that it had violated the antitrust laws, and had engaged in unfair competition.
- Successfully represented a major music retailer and a vacuum cleaner manufacturer/distributor in a number of cases asserting antitrust and related claims.
- Successfully represented a major record label against antitrust claims relating to distribution practices. Prevailed on summary judgment.
- Represented a major insurance company in multi-district litigation involving financial fraud and the enforceability of policies purporting to insure payments under leases. The insurer sought rescission of policies and related agreements. These cases involved claims totaling over \$400 million, with our client's potential exposure at over \$100 million.
- Successfully defended individual and corporate clients against a \$5 millionplus claim for trade secret misappropriation and breach of fiduciary duty

practice areas

litigation

commercial litigation securities litigation regulatory

admissions

California, 1978

U.S. District Court

Central District of California, 1979

Eastern District of California,

Northern District of California, 1980

Southern District of California, 1992

District of Colorado, 1998

U.S. Court of Appeal

Sixth Circuit, 2006

Ninth Circuit, 1979

Tenth Circuit, 1999

U.S. Supreme Court, 1985

education

University of California Los Angeles School of Law, J.D., 1978; Order of the Coif

Managing Editor, UCLA Law Review

California State Polytechnic Pomona, B.A., 1975; with





that arose when plaintiff's president left plaintiff's employ and joined the corporate defendant. Jury verdict for our client followed a three week trial in Riverside Superior Court.

- Successfully represented multiple clients in ERISA benefits and withdrawal liability matters.
- Represented a major Japanese automaker in a suit alleging antitrust and Business & Professions Code § 17200 claims. After a successful summary adjudication motion defeating several of plaintiff's key claims, the case was settled on favorable terms for our client.
- Successfully represented a major Korean automaker in an antitrust matter asserting horizontal division of markets based on alleged cooperation of competitors.
- Successfully prosecuted claims of a city and its community redevelopment agency against accountants and brokers for losses sustained in investments in government-backed securities.
- Successfully represented a city in connection with matters arising out of collapse of the Orange County Investment Pool and subsequent bankruptcy including claims asserted against county investment pool, SEC proceedings, and other government investigations.
- Obtained a \$33 million verdict after a six-month trial in a Nevada case seeking recovery for pension trust loans to a casino owner.
- Successfully represented California Insurance Commissioner in claims against accountants of insurance company seized by Commissioner.
- Successfully represented developers in CEQA, zoning, and other land use challenges relating to water district's efforts to run major power transmission lines through the middle of a planned development.
- Represented both insureds and insurance companies in complex insurance coverage disputes.

honors & awards

- AV® Preeminent™ Rating, Martindale-Hubbell
- Southern California *Super Lawyers* (2004-2006)

Honors

other career experience

 Law Clerk to the Honorable Herbert Y.C. Choy, United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals



- Recognized by Best Lawyers in America© in:
 - Litigation ERISA (2020)

professional, business and civic affiliations

General Counsel to the Volunteer League of the San Fernando Valley (1988-2000)

headlines

27 MSK Attorneys Named Among *The Best Lawyers in America*© for 2020 August 15, 2019

MSK Leads Sale of Portfolio Company by Vicente Capital Partners to Arlington Capital Partners February 5, 2019

Jean Pierre Nogues and Matthew Beasley Obtain Summary Judgment Win for Their Client August 7, 2017

MSK Launches "Subprime" Practice Group January 15, 2008

media mentions

David Gordon, Jean Nogues, John Durrant and Mark Hiraide Mentioned in *Law360* June 27, 2016

client alerts

Paycheck Protection for Non-Profits Charitable Organizations May Apply for Forgivable Loans Under the CARES Act MSK Client Alert, April 3, 2020

Pardon The Interruption, Again Coronavirus Business Interruption, Part 2 MSK Client Alert, March 23, 2020

Pardon The Interruption, Again Coronavirus Business Interruption, Part 2 MSK Client Alert, March 20, 2020





Coronavirus Business Interruption *MSK Client Alert*, March 17, 2020

events & speaking engagements

Video: Navigating PPP Loan Forgiveness June 25, 2020

Facial Recognition Technology: Friend or Foe? December 7, 2019

The Antitrust Implications of Restricting Uber Ride Sharing and Tesla's Direct Sales Model October 28, 2015