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JUDGE KHYMBERLI S. APALOO ELECTED TO STATEWIDE ORGANIZATION

SAN BERNARDINO, CA—San Bernardino Superior Court (SBSC) is pleased to announce that Judge Khymberli S. Apaloo has been elected Vice President of the California Judges Association (CJA).

Judge Apaloo continues to make significant contributions during her judicial career. She provides exceptional leadership as SBSC's Co-Chair of the Elimination of Bias Committee and co-leads efforts for the award-winning Townhall Series focusing on educating the public and removing biases in the justice system.

Most recently, Judge Apaloo received several awards recognizing her efforts in community outreach. On May 6, Judge Apaloo was named the Judicial Officer of the Year by the Consumer Attorneys of the Inland Empire. The Order of the Eastern Star presented Judge Apaloo with the Heroes of the Inland Empire Award at their May 6 Fidelity Chapter luncheon. On April 21, she was awarded for Judicial Excellence and honored with the Legendary Champions of Justice Award by the California Association of Black Lawyers (CABL). The Legal Aid Society of San Bernardino awarded Judge Apaloo the Access to Justice Award on April 14.

As one of two vice presidents of the CJA, Judge Apaloo will provide guidance, advice, and support to the CJA President to advance the interests of the organization and the California judiciary. In addition, vice presidents interview the Chief Justice at the Annual Meeting. In the absence of the President, she may act as the President of the CJA.

The CJA is a voluntary professional organization promoting judicial excellence to achieve fair, impartial, and equal justice. With over 2,300 members, CJA is one of the most significant judicial organizations in the country.

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