

PRESS RELEASE

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SAN BERNARDINO SUPERIOR COURT SELECTS NEW COMMISSIONER ROBERT DRIESSEN

SAN BERNARDINO, CA—San Bernardino Superior Court (SBSC) is pleased to announce the selection of Robert Driessen as the Court's newest Commissioner, filling the vacancy created by recently appointed Judge Guy A. Bovée. Mr. Driessen will be officially sworn in on Monday, August 16, 2021, and will begin his new assignment at the Fontana Courthouse.

Mr. Driessen has over 16 years of legal experience in a multitude of litigation types. Mr. Driessen's most recent experience includes serving as Judicial Staff Counsel III with the Superior Court of San Bernardino County since 2015. Since 2011, he has served as a Deputy Staff Judge Advocate in the United States Air Force Advocate General's Corps. Additionally, he has managed his own law firm, worked in private practice and served as Deputy District Attorney for Orange County.

In 2005, Mr. Driessen received his Juris Doctorate from the William and Mary School of Law and his Bachelor of Arts in Economics and History from the University of California, Los Angeles in 1999.

Superior Court Commissioners hear matters including, but not limited to, family law, small claims, unlawful detainers (eviction), child support, domestic violence, civil harassment, traffic, and criminal matters. Commissioners must be active members in good standing with the State Bar of California, and be admitted to practice law in California for at least ten years.

For media-related questions, please contact Julie Van Hook, Communications and Public Affairs Officer via <u>courts-pio@sb-court.org</u>.



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