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Professional Profile	<p>I am a retired Deputy Attorney General with over thirty years of experience in civil and administrative law. For the past 3 years I have been "Of Counsel" to the law offices of D/R Welch, Attorneys at Law, a cannabis law firm located in downtown Los Angeles. While with the AG's Office, I appeared before the California Supreme Court and the Ninth Circuit United States Court of Appeals. I spent my entire career in the Civil Division and worked in the Torts and Condemnation, Health Education and Welfare, Health Quality Enforcement, Government, and Professional and Vocational Licensing Sections. I had many hearings before Administrative Law Judges at the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) and the State Personnel Board. I also handled many Writs of Mandate reviewing administrative law actions in the Superior Courts of California. My experiences will prove invaluable in the coming years as the cannabis industry develops in our state.</p> <p>As a Deputy Attorney General IV, I was assigned the most complex civil litigation, including being co-counsel on the Linda flood litigation that lasted a decade, including two trials and two appellate reviews.</p> <p>I have organized and participated in the presentation of many Continuing Education of the Bar (MCLE) programs including one on Medical Malpractice.</p>
Professional Accomplishments	<p>Awards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Attorney General Award for Excellence as a Team Tort and Condemnation Section – 1986 Flood Litigation Team Trial Counsel <p>California Supreme Court</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ <i>Peterson v. SF Community College District</i> (1984) Amicus Curiae Counsel Appeared before the California Supreme Court at oral argument▪ <i>Williams v. State of California</i> (1983) Counsel of Record Prepared Respondent brief for State of California <p>Memberships</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ United States District Court, Eastern District of California▪ United States District Court, Western District of California▪ United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit▪ California State Bar Association <p>Publications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Article, <i>California Law Protects Small-Scale Cultivators</i>, Cannabis Business Times (Jan. 9, 2017)
Work History	2013 -2017 “ Of Counsel “ D/R Welch Attorneys at Law,

	Sacramento, California . Cannabis Law 1974 - 2006 Deputy Attorney General IV, California Department of Justice, Office of the Attorney General, Sacramento, California
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Education	Juris Doctorate Loyola Law School Los Angeles, California July 1, 1971
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References	References are available upon request.
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