

Labor and Employment Litigation and Counseling

Larson's employment practice includes representing corporations in high-stakes single-plaintiff and class action employment disputes in state and federal courts, in arbitration, and before administrative bodies.

We defend employers and managers against discrimination claims, wage and hour disputes, wrongful termination, harassment, and retaliation.

Our experience includes successfully representing employers against claims under the Fair Employment and Housing Act (FEHA), the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the California Family Rights Act (CFRA), and the Private Attorneys General Act (PAGA), to name a few. We also represent executives in high-profile employment matters, arising from executive compensation agreements and separation agreements.

In addition to litigation, Larson provides comprehensive counseling to employers in order to mitigate exposure before litigation. In this capacity, our attorneys conduct training regarding compliance with state and federal employment laws and lead internal workplace investigations.

Related Practice Areas

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Representative Matters

- Won summary judgment in favor of a Fortune 50 company in a hotly contested employment dispute, wherein the plaintiff alleged wrongful termination, discrimination, and defamation claims against our client.
- Negotiated a favorable settlement on behalf of a television station facing various discrimination and retaliation claims under FEHA and CFRA brought by a former news reporter.
- Conducted pre-litigation negotiations on behalf of an executive accused of harassment and retaliation by a colleague, resulting in all claims being dropped.
- Representing an A-list actor in a confidential arbitration proceeding against a major production studio involving cross-claims of breach of two employment agreements.

- Representing a mass media company in litigation involving breach of employment contract claims.

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