



**ROBERT J. KAPLAN**

**AFFILIATION:** Judicate West

**LOCATION:** San Diego

**RATE:** \$8,000/day (in Southern California)

**SPECIALTY:** Complex, multi-party business, insurance, property, legal malpractice and employment cases, as well as class actions

**RECENT CASES:** He recently mediated the U.S. Department of Justice's housing-discrimination case against Los Angeles Clippers owner Donald T. Sterling, that resulted in the largest settlement in DOJ history. Kaplan also helped resolve a class-action dispute arising from resold, converted and polluted graves at a Los Angeles cemetery.

**BACKGROUND:** San Diego-based plaintiffs' lawyer, focusing on insurance bad faith

**FACT:** Kaplan and his wife packed up the kids 10 years ago and moved to Paris. They stayed two years. Nowadays, Kaplan is content to gaze upon the Gulfstream camper parked in his driveway, that he categorizes as "art on wheels."