## Judicate West Welcomes Hon. Cynthia G. Aaron in San Diego



SAN DIEGO, CA—Judicate West, one of California's leading providers of private dispute resolution services, has added Justice Cynthia G. Aaron, former associate justice in California's Fourth District Court of Appeal, to its roster of neutrals. Based in the San Diego office, she is available nationwide for mediation, mock appellate arguments, neutral evaluations, and appellate consultations.

Justice Aaron has nearly four decades of combined legal experience, including serving the last 20 years on the appellate bench. During her judicial tenure, she resolved all types of cases on appeal, including complex civil, probate and family law matters. Prior to her 2003 appointment to the Court of Appeal, she served as a magistrate judge in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of California, a position she held for eight years. Justice Aaron began her legal career as a trial lawyer with the Federal Defenders of San Diego, Inc. before founding her own firm, Aaron & Cortez, focusing on defending federal criminal cases, including multiple defendant conspiracy cases and white-collar prosecutions.

She earned her J.D. from Harvard Law School (1984) and her B.A. from Stanford University (1979).