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JUDGE ROCKY J BAIO RETIRES

Judge Rocky J Baio retired on June 29, 2024, from the Superior Court of California, County of Ventura after more than 14 years of dedicated service.

Judge Baio was appointed to the bench by Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr., on June 18, 2014. He fills the vacancy created by the retirement of Judge Barbara Lane in December 2013. During his tenure as a Court judicial officer, Judge Baio was assigned to civil, criminal, and most recently, the Family Law department. He also served as a member of the Ventura Superior Court's appellate division for five years.

Prior to his appointment, Judge Baio served as a court commissioner with the Ventura Superior Court since June 2010, where he served in Family Law as the Title IV-Child Support Commissioner until his judicial appointment.

Previous to that, he was a law partner at the law firm of Rosenmund, Baio and Morrow from 1987 to 2010, and an associate from 1982 to 1987. From 1979 to 1982 he was in private practice, specializing in Family Law, Estate Planning and Administration, Unlawful Detainer and Civil. He also served the court for many years as a temporary judge and court-appointed arbitrator.

Judge Baio earned his Bachelor's Degree from the University of California, Los Angeles, and his law degree from Western State University.

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