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Adam Johnson Named “OC Executive Leadership Nominee” for Second Year

Partner and Orange County office Managing Partner Adam Johnson has been named a Nominee for the “OC Executive Leadership Forum and Awards” by the *Los Angeles Times* for the second consecutive year. This prestigious recognition highlights influential C-suite executives, legal leaders, and entrepreneurs who are driving meaningful innovation, strategic growth and lasting structural impact within their organizations and across the broader Southern California business ecosystem.

“Adam’s recognition reflects both his exceptional legal talent and the outstanding leadership he provides to our Orange County office,” said Co-Managing Partner Steve Elie. “Under Adam’s leadership, our Orange County team has been recognized as one of the *Best Places to Work* for four consecutive years--a testament to the culture of excellence, collaboration and client service he cultivates.”

Johnson commands a diverse, multi-disciplinary practice spanning high-stakes litigation, employment law, insurance coverage, and education law. He defends employers in state and federal courts and before administrative agencies against discrimination, wrongful discharge and wage-and-hour claims. Johnson frequently advises companies on regulatory compliance, personnel policies and dispute mitigation. He is also a trusted counselor to academic institutions, guiding schools and universities through sensitive issues involving students, staff, and faculty. Johnson’s versatile litigation portfolio also includes complex business disputes, professional liability and insurance matters.

Deeply invested in the Orange County legal community, Johnson regularly presents on legal trends, mentors rising attorneys and participates in local civic initiatives.

Johnson’s ongoing leadership and legal acumen have earned him national recognition, including being named by *Lawdragon* as one of the “500 Leading Litigators in America” in 2025, and his office was just recognized as a Best Places to Work for the fourth consecutive year.