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Gov. Newsom Announces New Appointment to Sacramento Superior Court

Sacramento, CA – Gov. Gavin Newsom today appointed Renuka George, of Sacramento County, to the Sacramento Superior Court bench.

“The court welcomes the addition of Ms. George and the experience she will bring to the Sacramento County bench,” Presiding Court Judge Bunmi O. Awoniyi said.

Since 2020, George has served as a Senior Assistant Attorney General in the Healthcare Rights and Access section at the California Department of Justice, Office of the Attorney General, which works on issues related to the health and welfare of Californians such as hospital transactions, healthcare antitrust work, prescription drug pricing, healthcare consumer protection, and health privacy.

George first joined the Attorney General’s Office in 2013 as a Deputy Attorney General in the Health, Education & Welfare section, where she represented state agencies charged with administering essential health service programs, including Covered California, the Department of Health Care Services, the Department of Public Health and the Department of Managed Health Care.

In 2017, George was asked to serve in the Attorney General's Executive Office, working as the Legislative lead on healthcare issues.

Prior to joining the Attorney General's Office, George worked as a litigation associate at Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati in Palo Alto, where she handled intellectual property, antitrust and complex commercial matters for international technology companies.

George also served as a Policy Advisor to then-San Francisco Mayor Gavin Newsom where she helped advance healthcare policy in the City and County of San Francisco.

George earned a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science with Honors from Stanford University and a Juris Doctor degree from Cornell Law School. She fills the vacancy created by the retirement of Judge John P. Winn.