



Aaron A. Buckley

Partner

abuckley@paulplevin.com

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Paul, Plevin, Sullivan & Connaughton LLP, 2004 – Present
- Wilson, Petty, Kosmo & Turner LLP, 2000 – 2004
- Thompson Coburn LLP, 1996 – 1999

EDUCATION

- Southern Illinois University School of Law, J.D. 1996, *cum laude*
- United States Military Academy, B.S. 1986

ADMISSIONS

- All state courts of California, Arizona, Illinois, and Missouri
- United States District Courts for the Eastern, Central, Northern, and Southern Districts of California
- United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

Aaron Buckley specializes in the defense of employers in wage and hour class action litigation. He has handled numerous wage and hour class actions in the state and federal courts, including cases based on claims of employee misclassification, meal and rest period violations, off-the-clock work, and unreimbursed business expenses.

In addition to his class action practice, Mr. Buckley also defends individual wage and hour cases, as well as cases involving discrimination, harassment, retaliation, and wrongful termination claims.

Mr. Buckley regularly advises and counsels employers on a full range of employment law compliance issues, including employee discipline, wage and hour, and other workplace issues. Mr. Buckley also provides training to management on human resources and litigation avoidance topics.

Prior to beginning his legal career, Mr. Buckley was an infantry officer in the United States Army 1986-1993.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Member, State Bar of California Labor and Employment Law and Litigation Sections
- Member, San Diego County Bar Association Labor and Employment Law Section

RECENT SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Overtime Exemption Issues and Strategies (for American Corporate Counsel Association) - November 2007
- Avoiding Wage and Hour Time Bombs – September 2008