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John A. Taylor, Jr, a partner at California's largest civil appellate law firm, Horvitz & Levy LLP, has been lead appellate counsel in dozens of appeals in a wide variety of areas including a recent right of publicity case — *Christoff v. Nestlé* — where he secured the reversal of a \$15 million judgment against Nestlé. Additionally, he has participated in numerous cases before the California Supreme Court, and his name appears on dozens of California appellate opinions. In 2007, he was appointed by Chief Justice Ronald George of the California Supreme Court to serve on the Judicial Council Appellate Advisory Committee of California. He is a California State Bar Certified Appellate Specialist, and is admitted to practice law in the California and Utah courts, the Ninth Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals, and the U.S. Supreme Court.

Mr. Taylor received his Bachelor of Arts from Brigham Young University (*summa cum laude*) and his Juris Doctor from Harvard Law School (*magna cum laude*). Following law school, he held a judicial clerkship with the Hon. Patrick E. Higginbotham, U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit. Before joining the firm, Mr. Taylor was a litigation associate with Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP.