



**Hon. Melissa R. McCormick, Judge**

Superior Court of California, County of Orange

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**BIOGRAPHY OF Melissa R. McCormick**

**Appointed:** July 16, 2015 by Governor Jerry Brown.

**Prior Employment:** Partner (2004-2015) and Associate (1997-2003), Irell & Manella LLP; Law Clerk to Hon. Emilio M. Garza, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1996-97); Law Clerk to Hon. Judith N. Keep, Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of California (1995-96).

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