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## Hart King Victories Continue!



Andrew Kienle

### **AB-1278: DON'T GET NAILED!**

New California Law for  
Licensed Contractors

In October 2017, Governor Brown signed **AB 1278** into law. Previously, licensed contractors who failed to pay a final court judgment entered against them could simply avoid the judgment by not working under their license issued by the Contractor's State License Board ("Board"); form a new entity; or work under another contractor's license. **[Click here](#)** to continue reading...

**Partner**

Hart King partner, Andrew Kienle, recently prevailed at trial in a trust dispute in Orange County Superior Court. In the case, Hart King represented a beneficiary seeking to confirm his right to inherit an additional \$1,000,000 in assets contained in his father's trust. In the case, Hart King's client faced opposition by the trustee and another beneficiary of the trust.

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**Stephen J. Guichard**  
*Associate Attorney*

**Client Feedback**

"Thank you so much for all your work on the \*\*\*\*\* trust throughout this long and difficult experience. We all felt so safe with you handling the mediation process, even though it was terribly frustrating. You remained amazingly calm, and yet very firm in the face of all the chaos created by opposing counsel. You are very much appreciated. Our family was extremely lucky to have you with us."

– Vicki B.

(Review for Andrew Kienle on a trust litigation matter)



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