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Varner & Brandt Adds Three New Attorneys to its Riverside Offices

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(Riverside, California) —Varner & Brandt LLP proudly announces the addition of three new attorneys to its legal team: Jesse Morrison, Michelle M. Wolfe and Catherine Wise.

Jesse Morrison joins the firm representing individuals and businesses in civil practice with an emphasis on business related litigation, construction law, tort litigation, and employment disputes. Mr. Morrison is a graduate *magna cum laude* of Western New England University and the Southwestern University School of Law. Prior to receiving his Juris Doctorate, Mr. Morrison served as a Judicial Extern for the Hon. Judge Roy Paul, at the Los Angeles County Superior Court. Among his many accomplishments, Mr. Morrison was an NCAA All American Athlete in Wrestling and has been inducted into the New England Wrestling Association Hall of Fame, Massachusetts High School Wrestling Hall of Fame, and most recently, his high school alma mater's hall of fame.

Michelle M. Wolfe brings a wealth of knowledge to the firm with 20 years of experience trying civil and employment cases before both juries and arbitrators and representing both public and private employers in complex litigation/class actions and unfair business practices. Recently an invited speaker at the 2010 Association of Southern California Defense Counsel-Annual Seminar, Ms. Wolfe spoke on the topic of "Ethical and Cost/Benefit Considerations in Responsive Pleadings and Initial Discovery." Ms. Wolfe received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Ancient Greek/Classics from the University of California at Santa Barbara and earned her Juris Doctorate from Southwestern University School of Law where she received the American Jurisprudence Award and served as an extern for the Honorable Arthur Greenwald, United States Bankruptcy, Central District.

Catherine Wise joins the Varner & Brandt's trial practice team emphasizing in labor and employment and resolving business, including advising businesses on dispute prevention. She graduated from California State University, Fresno, with a Bachelor of Arts degree and obtained her law degree from the University of California, Davis. Ms. Wise is a former extern to the Honorable Ming W. Chin of the California Supreme Court.

Centered on relationships the attorneys and staff of Varner & Brandt LLP are dedicated to providing intelligent, creative, cutting edge solutions for their clients. The addition of these talented lawyers and their dedication to improving the community and practicing a "team approach" to best serve their clients' needs will augment the firm's reputation of providing more than legal counsel.

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